## COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR POWHATAN COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Powhatan County, Virginia seeks experienced candidates to the County's next County Administrator. Powhatan County, a community of approximately 28,000 residents and 262 square miles, is located in Virginia's Central Piedmont region between the Appomattox and James Rivers.

While maintaining a charming rural atmosphere, Powhatan County's central location provides residents with access to major cultural, recreational, educational and medical centers. The City of Richmond, the Commonwealth's capital city, is 20 miles east of Powhatan. The Atlantic Ocean, Washington DC, Colonial Williamsburg, and the Blue Ridge Mountains are within a two hour drive.

The County provides services to residents with 175 employees and FY 2016-17 budget is \$104.7M. The County has Aa GO bond rating.

The County Administrator is appointed by a five member Board of Supervisors elected from five districts for four year concurrent terms. The Administrator is responsible for implementing policies of the Board of Supervisors; supervising and coordinating department activities; preparing the annual budget; developing long and short range plans; ensuring the County's financial integrity; and developing policy recommendations for Board of Supervisors consideration.

The successful candidate will have a Bachelor's degree in planning, public or business administration, finance or related field (Master's degree preferred) and have demonstrated experience in community and economic development and finance along with considerable experience as a county/city administrator/manager or assistant in a larger community.

The salary range is \$\$150,000-\$175,000. Starting salary DOQ&E

Resume and cover letter submitted electronically by March 3, 2017 to:

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