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**BAXTER & WOODMAN, INC. ANNOUNCES NEW REGIONAL MANAGER**

Baxter & Woodman, Inc. Consulting Engineers is pleased to announce the appointment of James E. Sparber, P.E. as Assistant Regional Manager of the firm's DeKalb office. Mr. Sparber earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Valparaiso University and his Master of Science in Environmental Management from Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago.



Mr. Sparber is a senior project engineer with more than ten years of experience in the planning and design of municipal transportation facilities, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, and construction contract management. "Jim brings a wealth of experience in dealing with municipal infrastructure projects," said Steve Larson, Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer.

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