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DFI fills top positions in Corporate/Consumer Services Division

MADISON – The Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions (DFI) filled the top two positions within its Division of Corporate and Consumer Services effective Oct. 10.

Paul Holzem, who has more than 30 years of experience in the financial services industry, has been named administrator – the top position in the Division. Steven Caya, the president of a Madison technology company and a former U.S. Air Force officer, has assumed the position of deputy administrator.

“We are pleased to have Paul and Steve join the DFI team,” DFI Secretary Peter Bildsten said. “The two of them bring extensive and varied work experiences that will serve the Corporate and Consumer Services Division well.”

Holzem most recently served in a leadership role in the mortgage division of Wisconsin Community Bank in Madison and as vice president of North Shore Bank in Brookfield. In addition to his banking experience, Holzem has extensive experience in the mortgage insurance and securities industries.

“I am pleased to have the opportunity to serve in a leadership role at DFI,” Holzem said. “I look forward to working closely with the DFI team to provide exemplary service to our customers.”

Caya most recently was in charge of day-to-day operations of Digilog Inc., a manufacturer of high tech data collection vehicles. He also spent more than five years in the Air Force, including stints at Minot (ND) Air Force Base and Cape Canaveral (FL) Air Force Station.

“I have been very impressed by the professionalism of DFI employees,” Caya said. “I’m excited by the opportunity to work with such a dedicated team.”

The Division of Corporate and Consumer Services is responsible for examining and filing business documents for corporations and other organizations; examining and filing documents under the Uniform Commercial Code; and administering the Wisconsin Consumer Act.

Holzem succeeds Cheryl Olson-Collins, who now heads the DFI’s Division of Administrative Services and Technology. Caya succeeds Ray Allen, who is now DFI deputy secretary.

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