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Press Release

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Camden County's Department of Solid Waste Saves Taxpayers \$250,671.12!

Woodbine, GA – August 6, 2008: Camden County's Department of Solid Waste recently saved taxpayers \$250,671.12 by refurbishing a 12 year old bulldozer tractor instead of buying a new one. A brand new bulldozer tractor would have cost the County \$390,000.00. After searching for more cost saving alternatives, Solid Waste Director, Lannie Brant, found that by having the old one rebuilt it would only cost \$139,328.88, which also includes a 3 year extended warranty. After a full renovation of the bulldozer tractor, "not only does it look brand new, but it smells brand new too", stated Lannie Brant. The bulldozer tractor is used for clearing the land and spreading the waste at the landfill. County Administrator Steve Howard said, "I commend this department for being innovative and thinking out-of-the-box to cut costs as we continue our initiative to provide services at the lowest cost to the citizens of Camden County!" -End-

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