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## Presenter Bio

### **Jerry Permenter**

**City Manager**

City of Adel, GA

Jerry Permenter has been the City Manager of Adel for the past decade and serves as the Chairman of the ECG Power Marketing Services business unit Board of Directors. Previously he worked for Cook, Carter, Chapman & Company, a CPA firm, and then for the City of Adel for 19½ years as City Clerk/Finance Director.

Along with responsibilities as City Manager, he continues to work closely with the Cook County Economic Development Commission in efforts to expand existing business and to bring new industries and businesses into the region that enhance the opportunities and benefits to the community.

Jerry first graduated from Valdosta Technical College and then received both Municipal Clerk and Finance Officer Certifications from the University of Georgia.

Personal and Professional Organizations:

- Deacon & Sunday school teacher, Springhead Baptist Church
- Board Member and Chairman, ECG Power Marketing Services
- Board Member, Southeastern Federal Credit Union, 120 million dollar financial institution operating in South Georgia
- Member, Georgia City/County Managers Association

He and his wife Sonya have 2 daughters and sons-in-law and a 2-year old granddaughter (Marlee) with a grandson due in May