



## County Administrator

Crisp County, Georgia

Salary negotiable DOQ

Application Deadline: August 26, 2019

Crisp County, Georgia, (pop. 22,736) a dynamic and flourishing county in South Georgia, is seeking an innovative and experienced professional to serve as County Administrator. The position reports to a five-member board of commissioners, administers an annual budget of approximately \$30,000,000 and manages the daily operations of a county with more than 200 employees and over 20 departments.

The county's small town charm is on display with its comfortable neighborhoods and shade covered drives, Victorian and Federal style homes, and an active downtown district in the county seat of Cordele. Known as the Watermelon Capitol of the World, the county has retained its traditional agricultural roots while seamlessly blending in a combination of cultural, educational, and recreational opportunities. The community also serves as the "inland gateway" for the Port of Savannah, the second largest port on the East Coast, and the Port of Brunswick. Combined with its convenient access to I-75, Crisp County is an attractive partner for business and industrial development.

The successful candidate will have demonstrated leadership as a Manager/Administrator in either a City or County government. Candidates must be familiar with Georgia's local funding methods, shared services agreements, and have experience with local government enterprise operations. Must have effective communications skills, ability to professionally speak, interact, and represent the county in public as well as meetings and presentations. The successful candidate will have demonstrated innovative approaches to problem solving and a proven, pragmatic creativity in their vision for modern governance. A minimum of a Bachelor's degree in a relevant field of study is preferred, but a combination of education/experience/motivation will be considered.

To apply, please email a cover letter, resume, professional references, and salary requirements to [CrispCountySearch@uga.edu](mailto:CrispCountySearch@uga.edu). Materials should be directed to:

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The University of Georgia's Carl Vinson Institute of Government is assisting Crisp County with the search process.