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# TAHC Welcomes Sami Chadli as Director for Administration and Finance

AUSTIN - The Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC) is pleased to announce the addition of Mr. Sami Chadli to the TAHC team as the new Director for Administration and Finance. Chadli will be headquartered in the central office in Austin.



Chadli brings 16 years of state government experience with him. He previously was employed with the Texas Juvenile Justice Department (TJJD,) which was formerly known as the Texas Youth Commission (TYC). Chadli served as the Budget Director while employed at TJJD/TYC. Prior to working for the TJJD/TYC, he worked with other state agencies such as the Health & Human Services Commission (HHSC) and Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT.)

Chadli's professional portfolio includes positions such as accounting clerk, accountant, budget analyst, program specialist, budget manager and budget director.

He obtained his BBA in Finance and MBA from Texas State University (formerly, Southwest Texas State University).

Chadli and his wife, Dija, and their two boys, reside in Kyle, where they enjoy spending quality family time together.

"The Texas Animal Health Commission is excited to welcome Sami to the TAHC team. With his budget and financial experience, he will be an asset to the agency," Dr. Dee Ellis, Executive Director, said.

Founded in 1893, the Texas Animal Health Commission works to protect the health of all Texas livestock, including: cattle, swine, poultry, sheep, goats, equine animals, and exotic livestock.

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