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**GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF WOODTURNERS --
Exhibition of Recent Works by the State's Leading Woodworkers**

Douglasville, Georgia – The Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville/Douglas County is pleased to present a show of more than 130 recent works created by 28 members of the Georgia Association of Woodturners at the Cultural Arts Center in historic downtown Douglasville. These shining orbs with delicately rendered finials, elegant bowls of beautiful and rare woods, well-wrought urns, vases and vessels embellished with piercings and pyrography, both sculptural and functional works, all demonstrate the versatility of their medium and eloquently illustrate the diversity of techniques involved in their making. The exhibition will be on view throughout the month of September.

Dedicated to providing education and information about woodturning to artists and the general public, the Georgia Association of Woodturners (GAW) is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners, which is headquartered in Minnesota. With more than 120 active members, the Georgia chapter meets monthly at the Highland Woodworking store in Virginia Highlands and will hold its 17th annual conference, “Turning Southern Style XVII,” September 16th - 18th, in Unicoi State Park and Lodge near Helen, Georgia. The current show represents their first exhibit in Douglas County.

The Cultural Arts Center of Douglasville/Douglas County is located at 8652 Campbellton Street in historic downtown Douglasville, Georgia, about 20 miles from Atlanta and just off I-20 west (exit 36). Hours of operation are Mondays through Fridays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For directions and more information, please contact the Cultural Arts Council at 770/949-2787 or visit our web site, www.artsdouglas.org.

The Cultural Arts Council and its exhibitions at the Cultural Arts Center are supported by its members, sponsors, the City of Douglasville, the Douglas County Board of Commissioners, and Georgia Council for the Arts through appropriations from the State General Assembly. The GCA is supported in part by the National Endowment for the Arts, which believes a great nation deserves great art.

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PLACE: The Cultural Arts Center of Douglasville / Douglas County
8652 Campbellton Street
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DATES: September 1 – 30, 2011

RECEPTION: Thursday, September 1, 6 - 8 p.m.

GALLERY HOURS: Mondays – Fridays, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

COST: Free and open to the public

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