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Uselton now vice chairman, executive director of OMI

James C. Uselton, former executive vice president of Jacobs Engineering, has been appointed the vice chairman and executive director of OMI Industries. The company specializes in odor neutralization technology that is natural and eco-friendly.

“OMI is in a period of rapid growth since introducing our consumer products in 2003, growing at a rate of 100% year over year. We needed Mr. Uselton’s executive experience and leadership to guide our executive team,” stated Phillip Coffey, chairman and chief executive officer of OMI.

Uselton has been working with Coffey and the OMI executive team since 2005. In 2001, He retired from Jacobs Engineering. He was president and chief operating officer of Sverdrup Corporation as well as chairman and chief executive officer of Sverdrup Technology. He continues to work with Jacobs serving on the Board of Directors of Aerospace Testing Alliance, the operating contractor at Arnold Center.

The position allows Uselton to stay in Tullahoma.

OMI offers odor neutralization products for industrial (Ecosorb) and consumer (Fresh Wave) uses. Both the industrial and consumer products use a proprietary blend of plant extracts to eliminate unwanted odors. When activated by airflow, the unique blend of aniseed, clove, cedarwood, lime, and pine needle attracts, captures and neutralizes odor molecules.

The company’s Ecosorb Natural Odor Neutralizer is a broad-spectrum odor neutralizer. Ecosorb eliminates the need for multiple odor control products and breaks odors down for complete removal, leaving no peripheral odors or odorous byproducts.

OMI is headquartered just outside Chicago in Barrington, Ill and was founded in 1989.