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## NEWS RELEASE



Brent Adams

### Adams chosen for inaugural MS Leadership Class

**Atlanta, February 24, 2009** – Private Bank of Buckhead’s Brent Adams is one of 77 corporate leaders chosen for Atlanta’s first MS Leadership Class, an effort of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society Georgia Chapter.

“Brent takes community leadership and involvement seriously, and I am proud he was recognized by being asked to be part of the inaugural MS Leadership Class,” says Charlie Crawford, president and CEO of Private Bank of Buckhead, “especially at a time when volunteer leadership and non-profit funding are particularly challenging.”

Adams, a senior vice president of the bank, currently serves on the finance committee of Buckhead Christian Ministry, the advisory council of Atlanta Crime Stoppers, and the steering committee for the Buckhead Business Association Leadership Institute. He also is a graduate of Leadership Atlanta (2008).

“We are honored to launch the inaugural class with such an accumulation of bright, energetic men and women. The nominees have responded to the needs of our community without hesitation,” says Roy A. Rangel, president of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society Georgia Chapter. “This great group of leaders will build awareness of the National MS Society and its mission to create a world free of MS.”

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Class graduates will be honored with the National Multiple Sclerosis Society's coveted *MS Leadership Scholar Award*, an honor reserved for a stellar group of men and women across the U.S. aspiring to greater achievements in their field and making significant contributions in their community. Alana Shepherd, long-time Atlanta business leader and co-founder of the Shepherd Center, serves as the Honorary Chair for the MS Leadership Class of 2009.

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