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Wakefield Beasley & Associates Starts Design of 600-Acre Luxury Resort in Egypt, 100-Acre Military Base in Kabul

ATLANTA, Ga. – Wakefield Beasley & Associates, the award winning Atlanta architecture firm that ranks as one of the largest in the southeast, has started schematic design work for development of a 600-acre luxury resort overlooking the Red Sea 250 miles south of Cairo.

Michel T. Lentz, who heads the retail-mixed use design studio at Wakefield Beasley & Associates, said the resort will include several golf courses and several hundred thousand square feet of retail and hotel facilities.

Facilities won't be so plush at a second Wakefield Beasley project — a U.S. military base in Kabul, Afghanistan. Lentz said Wakefield Beasley & Associates is master planning the 100-acre facility and two of the firm's Atlanta architects are scheduled to depart to Kabul soon for a one-year stay to complete design work.

Lentz also said Wakefield Beasley & Associates hopes to have a contract soon to design a luxury resort hotel in Flamingo, Costa Rica.

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About Wakefield Beasley & Associates

Headquartered in suburban Atlanta with offices in Jacksonville, Wakefield Beasley & Associates Architects Inc. is an award winning architectural and interior design firm. Founded in 1980 by R. Lamar Wakefield and John B. Beasley, Jr., the firm provides master planning, architecture, interior design, program management, construction management, furniture procurement and facilities management services.