

Media Contact: Jennifer Candler Communications Manager (864) 809-1186

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Monday, October 16, 2023

## Spartanburg Water Director of Drinking Water Services Reappointed to SCLRR Environmental Certification Board

Ken Tuck will serve his third term on the board after his reappointment by Gov. McMaster

SPARTANBURG – Ken Tuck, Director of Drinking Water Services at Spartanburg Water, was recently reappointed to the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (SCLLR) Environmental Certification Board for a third term by Governor Henry McMaster.

Representing state Public Water Treatment Operators, Mr. Tuck assists the board in licensing individuals engaged in the operation of environmental systems, including the treatment of water and wastewater as well as the operation of water distribution systems. The board also makes process control and system integrity decisions about water quality or quantity and well systems, as well as receiving and investigating complaints that may require action against those who violate environmental operations licensure laws.

Mr. Tuck also serves as Regulatory Review Committee Chairman of the SC Environmental Certification Board.

In his role as Director of Drinking Water Services at Spartanburg Water, Mr. Tuck oversees all drinking water treatment processes and watershed protection, which includes the oversight of two, drinking water treatment plants and three reservoirs. He has served with Spartanburg Water for more than 22 years, and is active in numerous state and local organizations, including most recently being named as Chairman of the South Carolina Broad River Basin Council.

"Ken is an invaluable member of our Spartanburg Water team, and an incredibly skilled and knowledgeable water professional," said Spartanburg Water CEO, Guy Boyle. "We are proud to have him share his expertise as a member for this essential state board."

ABOUT SPARTANBURG WATER: Spartanburg Water, an industry leading utility, is comprised of Spartanburg Water System and Spartanburg Sanitary Sewer District. It serves a population of more than 200,000 within Spartanburg County, as well as others in parts of Greenville, Union and Cherokee counties. With the help of its dedicated team of about 300 employees, each day it produces an average of 25 million gallons of drinking water and cleans 12 million gallons of reclaimed water for its customers and community. For more information on Spartanburg Water's water quality efforts, visit us at spartanburgwater.org.