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## **All Eight SSSD Wastewater Facilities Recognized For Excellence**

SPARTANBURG – The Spartanburg Sanitary Sewer District (SSSD) is proud to announce that we are once again the recipient of the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC) Facility of Excellence Award. All eight of our wastewater treatment facilities received this individual honor:

- A. Manning Lynch Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Clifton Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Cowpens Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Fingerville Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Lower North Tyger River Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Pacolet Wastewater Treatment Facility
- Page Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility
- South Tyger River Wastewater Treatment Facility

SCDHEC, in junction with the Water Environment Association of South Carolina (WEASC), each year seeks to recognize with the award, facilities that strive for excellence in several key areas of facility operations. These include meeting compliance standards, implementing improvements, practicing safety, maintenance and management, and the protection of the environment while meeting or exceeding customer expectations.

SSSD has continued to win this award annually since the program's inception. In early May 2022, we learned every one of our wastewater facilities were recognized, based on 2021 performance.

"These awards are result of the hard work and attention to detail of all of our employees at Spartanburg Water," said Spartanburg Water Deputy Chief Operating Officer Rick Jolley.

**ABOUT SPARTANBURG WATER:** Spartanburg Water, an award-winning utility, is comprised of Spartanburg Water System and Spartanburg Sanitary Sewer District. It serves a population of nearly 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 nearly 300 employees, each day it produces an average of 25 million gallons of drinking water and cleans 14 million gallons of reclaimed water for its customers and community.

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