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### **Western Carolina Hires Administration and Finance Director**

Greenville, S.C. (July 12, 2007) Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority is pleased to announce that Greenville native, Cathy Caldwell, was hired to fill the position of Administration and Finance Director. Caldwell's duties include managing Finance, Information Systems, Purchasing, Customer Service and Contract Administration departments. She serves as the agency's Chief Financial Officer and is also responsible for ensuring agency compliance with all administrative functions including applicable laws, directing the long-range financial planning and coordinating the annual budget.

Caldwell graduated from Furman University in 1989 with a Bachelor of Arts in Accounting. She was most recently the Assistant Corporate Controller and Americas Region Controller for KEMET Electronics Inc. in Simpsonville. At KEMET, Caldwell was also a member of the Extended Leadership Team and the Leadership Forum, which included training by Harvard Business School. Prior to KEMET, she was the Director of Accounting Operations at IBM Insurance Outsourcing Services in Greenville and the Accounting Manager at Adidas America, Inc. in Spartanburg. Her career also includes experience in banking and public accounting. She is a Certified Public Accountant and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority celebrates provides wastewater treatment services to over 400,000 industrial, commercial and residential customers in Greenville County and parts of Anderson, Spartanburg, Pickens and Laurens Counties. Western Carolina operates and maintains 300 miles of major sewer trunk lines and 10 major wastewater treatment facilities.

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