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Western Carolina announces new Director of Operations and Director of Information Systems

Greenville, S.C. (August 26, 2008) - Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority (WCRSA) is pleased to announce the promotions of Glen McManus to Director of Operations and Blake Visin to Director of Information Systems.



McManus has 21 years of experience in public utilities management and engineering. He previously served as Western Carolina's Operations Manager for more than five years. As the new Director of Operations, McManus will be responsible for planning and directing the programs of Western Carolina's Operations Division, including treatment facilities, trunk lines, pump stations, central maintenance, biosolids reuse program, internal power generation and distribution, and development of green energy projects. McManus graduated from Clemson University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering Technology, and currently resides in Inman, South

Carolina.

Visin, as the new Director of Information Systems, will be responsible for the Geographical Information Systems, as well as the Instrumentation and Information Systems departments that manage all mapping, voice and data, networking and plant control systems support and implementation. Visin has worked for 11 years as the Information Systems Manager at Western Carolina. He is a resident of Greenville, South Carolina, and graduated from University of Wisconsin-Whitewater with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Management.



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Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority

Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority provides wastewater treatment services to more than 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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