

**STATE REGULATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES REVIEW COMMITTEE**

**CANDIDATES FOR THE  
SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
PERSONAL DATA QUESTIONNAIRE**

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**NOTICE: The information requested herein is needed to assist the Committee in its investigation of candidates for the Public Service Commission. This questionnaire is the initial step in the investigation of your candidacy. A completed questionnaire should be returned to the Committee as soon as possible, but in any event no later than noon, 12:00 p.m., on Friday, October 24, 2025. (Use and attach separate sheets, if necessary.)**

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**PLEASE SPECIFY THE SEAT FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING (THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT IN WHICH YOU RESIDE; YOU MAY ONLY APPLY FOR ONE SEAT): Three (3)**

1. Full Name: Mr. Stephen Michael Caston

Home Address: [Redacted]

Business Address: 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210

Email Address: [Redacted]

Telephone Number(s): (Office) 803-896-5100  
(Home) not applicable  
(Cell) [Redacted]

2. Date of Birth: [Redacted] 1955

Place of Birth: Chester, South Carolina

3. Social Security Number: [Redacted]

4. SCDL No. or SCHD No.: [Redacted]

Voter Registration No.: [Redacted]

5. Family Status:

Married on April 25, 1981, Lisa Laura Glotfelty Caston  
Never divorced, two children  
[Redacted]

6. List each institution of higher learning you attended, including dates of attendance and degrees awarded. Please provide an official transcript prior to your screening hearing. If you left any institution without receiving a degree, state the reason for leaving.

- (a) Clemson University, 1974-1978, BS Civil Engineering
- (b) Clemson University, 1979 (6 hours of graduate courses in Reinforced Concrete Design and Prestressed Concrete Design)
- (c) Clemson University and University of South Carolina Joint Master Program, 2000-2004, Master Public Administration

7. List any continuing education courses or other professional education or training programs that you have attended in the past five years.

July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

- (a) Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class with ORS, Public Service Commission, September 30, 2024
- (b) Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class with ORS, Public Service Commission, October 04, 2024
- (c) Foundations of Water 101, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), June 3-5, 2025
- (d) South Carolina Enterprise Information System (SCEIS) - through the SCEIS, I have annually completed various training on Ethics, Code of Judicial Conduct Rule 501, cyber security, security policy reminders, and a host of other State and PSC policy reminders.
- (e) Allowable Ex Parte Briefings (July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025):
  - December 19, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2024-42-E: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC on Hurricane Helene Restoration Efforts
  - January 21, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2024-44-E: Conservation Voters of South Carolina Regarding Transmission Planning Best Practices and Examples of Successful Transmission Planning in Other States
  - January 29, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2024-55-E: SERC Reliability Corporation Regarding SERC 101/ERO Enterprise, Transmission Planning, and Load Growth/Changing Resource Mix
  - April 24, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2024-56-E: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC on a Proposed Merger
  - May 12, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2025-18-E: Conservation Voters of South Carolina on Electric Grid Benefits of Energy Efficiency

July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024

- (a) Michigan State University – Institute of Public Utilities, March 12-14, 2024, Foundations of Public Utility Regulation and Ratemaking

- (b) Annual Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class, October 2<sup>nd</sup> and October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023
- (c) South Carolina Enterprise Information System (SCEIS) - through the SCEIS, I have annually completed various training on Ethics, Code of Judicial Conduct Rule 501, cyber security, security policy reminders, and a host of other State and PSC policy reminders.
- (d) Allowable Ex Parte Briefings:
  - July 6, 2023, Texican Natural Gas Company, Natural Gas Markets in South Carolina
  - July 12, 2023, South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, SERC Reliability Corporation, Resource Adequacy, and Related Matters
  - September 15, 2023, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy progress, LLC, DEC's and DEP's Integrated Resource Filing, "2023 Carolinas Resource Plan"
  - September 21, 2023, Conservation Voters of South Carolina, How Other States Have Reliably Integrated Renewable Energy Onto Their Grids
  - November 30, 2023, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC, Overview of Energy Efficiency, Demand-Side Management, and Demand Response
  - January 24, 2024, Carolina for Affordable and Reliable Electricity (CARE), South Carolina Electric and Natural Gas Reliability Study
  - January 29, 2024, Conservation Voters of South Carolina, Battery Storage
  - February 27, 2024, TotalEnergies Renewable USA, LLC, Opportunity for Offshore Wind, Including TotalEnergies' Carolina Long Bay Project to Be Developed Off the Coast of Wilmington, North Carolina
  - March 19, 2024, Southeastern Wind Coalition, Overview of Offshore Wind's potential To Meet Economic Development, Grid Reliability, and Resource Demand Needs in the Southeast
  - May 7, 2024, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC Proposed Customer Renewable Programs and Proposed Modifications to Green Source Advantage Program and Riders GSA

July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023

- (a) Michigan State University – Institute of Public Utilities, August 8-12, 2022, the program emphasized the disciplines and skills in the regulatory process. Core economic, legal, accounting, finance, and policy theories and concepts were introduced and discussed.
- (b) Annual Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class: October 3<sup>rd</sup> and October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022
- (c) National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) Annual Meeting, July 16-19, 2023 Southeast Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (SEARUC), June 4-7, 2023.
- (d) South Carolina Enterprise Information System (SCEIS) - through the SCEIS, I have annually completed various training on Ethics, Code of Judicial Conduct Rule 501, cyber security, security policy reminders, and a host of other State and PSC policy reminders.
- (e) Allowable Ex Parte Briefings:
  - September 1, 2022, Conservation Voters of South Carolina on Electric Vehicle Charging, Grid Benefits and Examples of Other States' Programs

- October 14, 2022, at 10 a.m.: ND-2022-62-E and Docket No. 2022-256-E: At the Request of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC Regarding Act No. 227 of 2022 – Storm Damage Recovery (Securitization)
- October 24, 2022, at 2 p.m.: Docket No. 2022-168-A: At the Request of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC Regarding Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act and the Inflation Reduction Act
- January 30, 2023, at 11 a.m.: ND-2022-72-E: At the Request of the Conservation Voters of South Carolina Regarding Economics of Natural Gas and Natural Gas Markets and Lessons Learned from Other States
- January 30, 2023, at 2 p.m.: Docket No. 2022-256-E: Presentation by Saber Partners, LLC Regarding (1) Bond Issuance Process, (2) Market Considerations for Bond Issues, (3) Investor Considerations for Bond Investments, (4) Role of the Regulator and the Bond Issuance Process, (5) Consumer Benefits for Bond Impacts, (6) Other Factors to Consider for Bond Issues
- February 7, 2023, at 10 a.m.: ND-2022-77-E: Briefing Regarding the South Carolina National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Formula Program (SC NEVI Plan)
- February 9, 2023, at 2:00 p.m.: ND-2021-6-A: Briefing Providing an Update on the South Carolina Emergency Rental Assistance Program
- February 21, 2023, at 10 a.m.: ND-2022-76-E: Briefing Regarding the South Carolina Electric Vehicle Stakeholder Initiative Report
- February 27, 2023, at 3 p.m.: ND-2023-6-E: Briefing on Winter Storm Elliott and its Impact on the Companies' Operations
- April 6, 2023, at 10 a.m.: ND-2023-4-ECGWST: At the Request of John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, An Overview of Cybersecurity Challenges Facing Providers of Critical Infrastructure Services (Including, but not Limited to, Communications, Energy, Water and Wastewater and Transportation Companies)
- April 27, 2023, at 3 p.m.: ND-2023-17-E: At the Request of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC Regarding Fuel Procurement Practices and Energy Efficiency Initiatives
- May 4, 2023, at 10 a.m.: ND-2023-14-E: At the Request of the South Carolina Public Service Authority (Santee Cooper) Regarding the Grid Resilience Grant Program under the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Section 40101(d)
- May 8, 2023, at 2:00 p.m.: ND-2023-19-A: At the Request of the South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs Regarding Its Role in Public Service Commission Dockets
- May 17, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2023-20-E: At the Request of the Conservation Voters of South Carolina Regarding Energy Burden on Ratepayers in South Carolina and Energy Efficiency Programs in Other States
- June 8, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2023-21-E: At the Request of Alison M. Drummond, D. Wayne Waddell, Landowners, and Residents of Green Pond Community Regarding Duke Energy Big Ferguson Transmission Line Project (Spartanburg County, SC)

July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

- (a) SEARUC, Annual Education Conference (October 3-6, 2021)
- (b) Annual Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class, January 11, 2022
- (c) NARUC Winter Policy Summit (February 13-16, 2022)

- (d) NARUC Committee on Water meetings on January 13, February 14, March 10, April 11, and June 14, all in 2022. All meetings lasted approximately one hour, and all were held via WebEx.
- (e) Michigan State University - Institute of Public Utilities, March 1-3, 2022, the program emphasized Power Grid and Engineering Economics of the Supply Chain for Power (March 1-3, 2022)
- (f) South Carolina American Water Works Association (SCAWWA) and the Water Environment Association of South Carolina (WEASC), Annual South Carolina Environmental Conference (March 13-14, 2022)
- (g) Michigan State University - Institute of Public Utilities, August 8-12, 2022, IPU's 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Regulatory Studies Program
- (h) South Carolina Enterprise Information System (SCEIS) - through the SCEIS, I have annually completed various training on Ethics, Code of Judicial Conduct Rule 501, cyber security, security policy reminders, and a host of other State and PSC policy reminders
- (i) Allowable Ex Parte Briefings:
- October 14, 2021, at 10 a.m.: ND-2021-33-E: High-Level Overview of Santee Cooper's Organization and Operations, as Well as the Statutory Responsibility of the Commission
    - November 19, 2021, at 11 a.m.: Allowable Ex Parte Briefing in Docket No. 2021-349-E Joint Petition of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC to Request the Commission to Hold a Joint Hearing with the North Carolina Utilities Commission to Develop Carbon Plan
    - December 2, 2021, at 10 a.m.: ND-2021-34-E: Allowable Ex Parte Briefing from the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff Regarding Its Oversight of the South Carolina Public Service Authority (Santee Cooper)
    - December 7, 2021, at 10 a.m.: ND-2021-39-EG: Allowable Ex Parte Briefing from Dominion Energy, South Carolina, Incorporated (DESC) Regarding the Cost of Gas on Natural Gas Prices and Electricity Prices and Its Impact on Customers
    - December 7, 2021, at 2 p.m.: ND-2021-40-EG: Allowable Ex Parte Briefing from Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Incorporated Regarding the Cost of Gas on Natural Gas Prices and Electricity Prices and Its Impact on Customers
    - February 3, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.: ND-2021-44-E: A Briefing by SC Clean Energy Industries Task Force Regarding the Merger of E4Carolinas and SC Clean Energy Business Association and the Introduction of Team Members
    - February 16, 2022, at 2:30 p.m.: ND-2022-3-E: Overview of Santee Cooper's 2020 Comprehensive Integrated Resource Plan, Plans for its Integrated Resource Plan Update and Presentation of Proposed Procedural Schedule for its Competitive Procurement Renewable Energy Filing/Petition
    - February 28, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.: Docket Nos. 2018-321 -E (Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC) and 2018-322-E (Duke Energy Progress, LLC): Electric Transportation Update and Potential New Programs
    - March 28, 2022, at 10:30 a.m.: ND-2022-6-C: Allowable Ex Parte Briefing from Charter Communications, Inc. - (1) Charter's business profile and impact both nationally and in South Carolina. (2) Challenges, opportunities, and solutions to reducing the "digital divide" and timely deploying broadband services where they are needed most. (3) Charter's commitment, progress, and ideas toward the timely deployment of broadband services in South Carolina.

- (a) New Commissioner Orientation – Public Service Commission Staff, October 1 and October 27, 2020, and December 3, 2020, in-house and virtual
- (b) Annual Joint Ethics and Administrative Law Class, October 9, 2020
- (c) New Commissioner Educational Training (Models Used to Estimate ROE) – Public Service Commission Staff, held on several dates during the months of December 2020, January, February and March 2021
- (d) National Regulatory Research Institute (NRRI), December 30, 2020, Public Utility Regulatory Finance Concepts
- (e) State of SC, Dept. of Administration, March 5, 2021, Fleet Safety Driver Training
- (f) Lawrence Berkeley National Lab, April 20, 2021, and June 29, 2021, Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Training
- (g) State of SC, Dept. of Administration, June 24, 2021, Communication Skills Class
- (h) NARUC Western Rate School, May 10-14, 2021

8. Have you been employed or held any position in any of the following areas?

- (a) energy issues
- (b) telecommunications issues
- (c) consumer protection and advocacy issues
- (d) water and wastewater issues
- (e) finance, economics, and statistics
- (f) accounting
- (g) engineering
- (h) law (regulation of public utility legal issues)

Please provide the duration of your employment or service and details about the nature of the work or the position.

June 1978 - October 1978; Engineer for James T. Triplet and L.R, Ryan, Inc; nature of work/position – Company Engineer for internal engineering for bridge construction company

October 1978 – 1988; Enwright Associates; nature of work/position - Design Engineer and contract construction manager for an engineering firm specializing in water and wastewater treatment, commercial buildings, and educational buildings

1988-1991; Black & Veatch; nature of work/position - Project Engineer and business development for engineering company specializing in water, wastewater, environmental engineering, electric generation and transmission, and telecommunications.

November 1991-June 1997; SJWD Water District; nature of work/position - District Engineer for in-house engineering, developed and managed all professional contracts (outside consultants, contractors, etc.)

1997-March 2019, SJWD Water District; nature of work/position - General Manager/Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of all aspects of the utility (staff, projects, budget, strategic planning...)

September 24, 2020 – present; Public Service Commission of South Carolina (PSC), nature of work/position – one of seven commissioners whose duty is the regulation of public investor-owned electric, natural gas, telecommunications, and water/wastewater companies, as well as some transportation services such as household movers and taxi cabs. The PSC's role includes setting rates, establishing standards and regulations, and adjudicating disputes related to utility services.

9. Have you served in the military? If so, give the dates of service, branch of service, highest rank, serial number, present status, and the character of your discharge or release. Please provide a copy of your DD-214 prior to your screening hearing. - No
10. Have you ever held public office? If so, provide details, including the office, whether elected or appointed, the length and dates of your service. Also, state whether or not you timely filed reports with the State Ethics Commission during the period you held public office. If not, were you ever subject to a penalty. If so, provide details, including dates. - Yes
  - (a) Board member of the Pickens County Water and Sewer Authority (later became known as Pickens County Public Service Commission). This position was appointed by Pickens County Council. I served from 1985 to 1991. I resigned my position when I took a position with a large engineering firm that sought to open an office in South Carolina, starting in the upstate. I did not desire any appearance of conflict of interest as I worked to help the engineering company grow through my business development efforts. To the best of my recollection I filed timely reports with the State Ethics Commission.
11. Have you ever been an unsuccessful candidate for elective, judicial, or other public office? If so, provide details, including dates. - No
12. Please list in chronological order any employment of you by any governmental agency (whether full time or part time, contractual or at will, consulting or otherwise). Provide dates of employment, name of employer, name of supervisor, and major job responsibilities.
  - (a) November 1991-June 1997; name of employer: SJWD Water District, District Engineer; supervisor - Mr. Danny Blackwell, GM (my former supervisor - deceased); major job responsibilities - I performed all engineering, developed and managed all professional contracts (outside consultants, contractors, etc.)
  - (b) June 1997-March 2019; name of employer: SJWD Water District, General Manager/Chief Executive Officer (CEO); supervisor - employed at the pleasure of 5-member Board of Commission. The SJWD Commissioners are recommended by the local delegation and appointed by the Governor. The Chair of the Commission, at my retirement, was Mr. Sanford (Buddy) Carlton; major job responsibilities - all aspects of the utility (staff, projects, strategic planning...)
  - (c) September 24, 2020 – present; name of employer: Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Commissioner; supervisor – Public Utilities Review Committee (PURC) that provides legislative oversight in accordance with Act 175 and subsequent legislative modifications.; major job responsibilities - oversee investor-owned electric, natural gas, telecommunications, and water/wastewater companies, as well as some transportation services such as household movers

and taxi cabs. The PSC's role includes setting rates, establishing standards and regulations, and adjudicating disputes related to utility services.

13. Please list in chronological order any occupation, business, or profession in which you have been engaged or employed (other than serving in a public office or being employed by a governmental agency). Please briefly note the nature of your work during each period.
- (a) June 1978 - October 1978, nature of work - Engineer for James T. Triplet and L.R, Ryan Bridge Contractors
  - (b) October 1978 – 1988, nature of work - Design Engineer and Contract Construction Manager for Enwright Associates (Engineering Consulting firm specializing in water and wastewater treatment, commercial buildings, and educational buildings)
  - (c) 1988-1991, nature of work - Project Engineer for Black & Veatch, an engineering company specializing in water, wastewater, environmental engineering, electric generation and transmission, and telecommunications
  - (d) March 2019-present, nature of work - President of Mike Caston Consulting LLC. I retired from SJWD Water District March 31, 2019. I set up an LLC in December 2018 in anticipation of my retirement.
14. Are you now an officer or director or involved in the management of any business enterprise? Explain. - No
15. Describe any financial arrangements or business relationships that you currently have or have had in the past that could pose a conflict of interest in the position you seek. Explain how you would resolve any potential conflict of interest.

No, I have no current financial relationships or business relationships that could pose a conflict.

From March 2019 to September 2020, I had a contract with Goodwyn Mills & Cawood (GMC) and Clearwater Services (a subsidiary of GMC at the time). GMC is an engineering/architectural consulting firm and Clearwater Services was a contract Operations company for water and wastewater utilities but no longer is affiliated with GMC. At the time of my contract, GMC and Clearwater mostly contracted with municipal utilities and private developers. My primary role as a contractor for GMC and Clearwater Services was business development. During this time, GMC and Clearwater engaged Blue Granite Water Company as a client. Blue Granite is a public water and wastewater utility that is regulated by the Public Service Commission. In my first term as a Commissioner for the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, I publicly noted my previous contract with GMC and Clearwater and recused myself from any issue related to Blue Granite for a period of a year or more. After requesting and receiving no concerns or objections from the utility or any other parties, I participated in Blue Granite cases.

I fully understand that I cannot perform any outside employment during regular business hours and at no time perform any work for any organization that is regulated by the Public Service Commission. I also fully understand that the precepts of the Code of Judicial Conduct are mandatory rules and guidelines for professional conduct and ethical behavior that are expected in this role.

16. If you currently hold an interest in stock or other securities, list each stock or other security you currently own. If you prefer, you may attach broker or account records containing the requested information instead of listing it here. – (see attached Edward Jones Statement for Period Aug 30 – Sep 26, 2025)
  
17. Have you ever been convicted of a violation of any federal law or regulation, state law or regulation, county or municipal law, regulation, or ordinance? Are there any charges pending against you for a violation of any federal law or regulation, state law or regulation, county or municipal law, regulation, or ordinance? If so, provide details. (DO NOT include traffic violations for which a fine of \$200 or less was imposed.) - No
  
18. To your knowledge, have you ever been under federal, state, or local investigation for possible violation of a criminal statute? If yes, explain. - No
  
19. Has a tax lien or other collection procedure ever been instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities? Have you ever defaulted on a student loan? Have you ever filed for bankruptcy? If so, provide details. - No
  
20. Have you ever been a named party in a lawsuit, either personally or professionally? If so, provide details. - Yes  

Lidell/SJWD Water District (June 2006) – dispute between property owner and SJWD Water District; I was the General Manager/CEO of SJWD. Case was terminated.

Riverpoint Property Owner/Glotfelty Trust (February 2004) – dispute between some neighbors that rented units to Clemson University students and some neighbors who did not want rentals to university students. My wife and I were joint owners with my wife’s parents (Glotfelty) who owned units that rented to students, as did some other neighbors. An agreement was reached, and the case was dismissed.

Stephen M Caston/Unknown Defendants (September 2001) – attempt to recover costs incurred from the City of Easley for actions that were dismissed/ruled in my wife’s and my favor.
  
21. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by, or been the subject of a complaint to, any court, administrative agency, bar association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If so, provide details. - No

22. Are you now or have you ever been employed as a “lobbyist,” as defined by S.C. Code Section 2-17-10(13), or have you acted in the capacity of a “lobbyist’s principal,” as defined by S.C. Code Section 2-17-10(14)? If so, please provide the dates of your employment or activity in such capacity and specify by whom you were directed or employed. - No
23. Since your decision to seek a position on the Public Service Commission, have you accepted lodging, transportation, entertainment, food, meals, beverages, money, or any other thing of value, as defined by S.C. Code Section 2-17-10(1), from a lobbyist or lobbyist’s principal? If so, please specify the item(s) received, date of receipt, and the lobbyist or lobbyist’s principal providing the item(s). - No
24. S.C. Code Section 8-13-700 provides, in part, “No public official, public member, or public employee may knowingly use his official office, membership, or employment to obtain an economic interest for himself, a member of his immediate family, an individual with whom he is associated, or a business with which he is associated.” Please detail any knowledge you may have of any formal charges or informal allegations that you or any other candidate violated these provisions. (Include the disposition, if any, of such charges.) – I am not aware of any
25. S.C. Code Section 8-13-765 provides, in part, “No person may use government personnel, equipment, materials, or an office building in an election campaign.” Please detail any knowledge you may have of any formal charges or informal allegations that you or any other candidate violated these provisions. (Include the disposition, if any, of such charges.) – I am not aware of any
26. Other than expenditures for travel or room and board, please itemize all expenditures (by amount, type, and date) by you, or on your behalf, in seeking the office of Public Service Commissioner. - None
27. Please list the amount and recipient of all contributions made to members of the General Assembly within six months of filing this questionnaire. - None

28. Have you directly or indirectly requested a pledge of any member of the General Assembly as to your election for the position for which you are being screened? Have you received the assurance of any public official or public employee that they will seek the pledge of any member of the General Assembly as to your election for the position for which you are being screened? – No to both questions
29. Have you or has anyone on your behalf solicited or collected funds to aid in the promotion of your candidacy for the position of Public Service Commissioner? If so, please specify the amount, solicitor (if applicable), donor, and date of solicitation and/or receipt. - No
30. List all professional organizations of which you are a member and give the titles and dates of any offices that you have held in such groups.
- (a) National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC)
  - (b) Southeastern Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (SEARUC)
  - (c) Water Environment Association of South Carolina (Life Member), chaired numerous committees from mid 1980s to Mid-2000s
31. List all civic, charitable, religious, educational, social, and fraternal organizations of which you are or have been a member during the past five (5) years.
- (a) NewSpring Church, Clemson Campus
  - (b) Clemson Fellowship Club
  - (c) Tiger Lettermen
32. State any other information which may reflect positively or negatively on you, or which you believe should be disclosed in connection with consideration of you for a position on the Public Service Commission.
- (a) Registered Professional Engineer:
    - South Carolina (9441), 1984
  - (b) “A” Water Distribution License issued by SC LLR
  - (c) 2002 Herman H. Wiedemen Award (South Carolina American Water Works Association (SCAWWA) award may be presented annually to a member who has been actively engaged in the water supply profession and has contributed substantially toward achievement and science of the water supply industry)
  - (d) 2004 George Warren Fuller Award (American Water Works Association (AWWA) award for Distinguished Service to the Water Supply Field)
  - (e) 2008 Public Servant of the Year (Upstate Forever)
  - (f) AWWA Committees: Quality Management in Engineering & Construction, Engineering and Construction Research, Source Water Protection, Competitive Practices, Business Practice Standards
  - (g) Governor’s Drought Response Committee (2000-2019)
  - (h) Task Force Leader for Governor Sanford’s Management, Accountability, and Performance (MAP) Committee

- (i) Peer Review team leader for AWWA’s QualServe program. QualServe is a program developed by AWWA to help utilities across North America achieve maximum performance using total quality management (TQM) practices using self-assessments and peer reviews. My team performed multiple peer reviews of utilities in North Carolina, Florida, Colorado, and Canada
- (j) Former Board member of Foothills Resource Conservation and Development Council, Inc. (appointed by Spartanburg County Council)
- (k) Appalachian Council of Governments (ACOG) Regional Water Quality Advisory Committee (appointed by Spartanburg County Council)
- (l) Member of ACOG’s Basin Planning Authority (appointed by ACOG)
- (m) SCDHEC Regulation Revision Committee, chair of sub-committee responsible for design criteria on Pumping, Storage, and Distribution for the State Primary Drinking Water Regulations
- (n) Former Board member of Voluntary Certification for Utility Distribution and Collection Personnel
- (o) Former President of Spartanburg County Water Managers’ Association
- (p) Former Vice-Chair of Pickens County Public Service Commission (formerly Pickens County Water and Sewer Authority)
- (q) Former Vice-Chair of Board of Directors for South Carolina Special Purpose Districts (SCSPDs) (approximately 2014 – 2018)
- (r) Former Board member of SC Rural Water Association (approximately 2008 – 2012)
- (s) Former Chair of the South Carolina American Water Works Association (SCAWWA)
- (t) Former member of the Board of Directors of the American Water Works Association

33. List the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of five (5) persons, including your banker, from whom references could be required. Also, provide this Committee with original letters of recommendation from each person listed herein, including their signature. A photocopy, facsimile, or electronic submission of a letter of recommendation will not be accepted.

- 1) Dr. Edward Evans, Prisma Health Seneca Medical Associates, [Redacted]
- 2) Ms. Christy S. Holder, PE, Grand Strand Water & Sewer Authority, [Redacted]
- 3) Ms. Rita Allison, [Redacted]
- 4) Mr. Clint E. Shealy, PE, City of Columbia, [Redacted]
- 5) Mr. Bill Harley, First Citizens Bank, [Redacted]

YOUR SIGNATURE WILL BE HELD TO CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF ANY PROCEEDING BEFORE A GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE OR ANY RECORD INFORMATION CONCERNING YOUR CREDIT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ANSWERS TO THE ABOVE QUESTIONS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Signature:

Date: October 11, 2024

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*PLEASE NOTE: S.C. CODE SECTIONS REFERRED TO IN THIS DOCUMENT ARE CONTAINED IN THE PDQ CODE REFERENCES DOCUMENT.*

I ACKNOWLEDGE, AS A CANDIDATE, THAT I AM RESPONSIBLE FOR REVIEWING THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS. THESE DOCUMENTS ARE PROVIDED ON THE USB FLASH DRIVE WITH THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION APPLICATION MATERIALS AND ARE ACCESSIBLE ON THE PUBLIC UTILITY REVIEW COMMITTEE'S WEBSITE:

- (1) An Introduction to the Public Service Commission;**
- (2) The press release issued by the Committee announcing the start of its application process;**
- (3) An Advisory Opinion relating to attendance by candidates for the Public Service Commission at legislative receptions;**
- (4) An Advisory Opinion relating to attendance by candidates for the Public Service Commission at legislative caucus meetings;**
- (5) The Judicial Code of Conduct;**
- (6) Statutory definitions and statute concerning pledges; and**
- (7) Information regarding accessing your credit report.**

**Signature:**

**Date:**