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BIRMINGHAM WATER WORKS BOARD ELECTS NEW OFFICERS FOR 2022

Christopher Rice to Serve as Chair

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA — **JANUARY 13, 2022** — During the regularly-scheduled board meeting held Wednesday, the Birmingham Water Works Board elected Christopher Rice as Chairman of the Board for 2022.

Appointed to the Board by City of Birmingham Mayor Randall Woodfin in 2021, Rice is the head of the finance department for American Care Ventures. He has more than 20 years of experience in finance and accounting and holds a bachelor's degree in accounting from Miles College. He also serves as a board member and vice president of Fred Horn Industrial Baseball League.

In addition, the board elected William "Butch" Burbage, Jr., CPA as Vice Chairman and Tereshia Q. Huffman as Second Vice Chairwoman.

The board also voted Larry Ward as Secretary-Treasurer and Carl Dalton NeSmith, Esq. as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

The remaining board members, Lucien Blankenship, Esq., Tom Henderson, Ronald A. Mims, and George Munchus, Ph.D., will serve as directors for 2022.

ABOUT BIRMINGHAM WATER WORKS: Founded in 1951, the Birmingham Water Works Board serves 770,000 people in Jefferson, Shelby, Blount, St. Clair, and Walker counties. The BWWB operates four filtration plants, a certified testing laboratory, and has more than 4,000 miles of pipe in its distribution network. For more information about the Birmingham Water Works Board, media inquiries, or tours of our museum, please call 205-244-4225 or visit www.bwwb.org.