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SAN ANTONIO WATER COMPANY ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF BRIAN LEE AS ITS NEW GENERAL MANAGER

Upland, Ca. – After a statewide recruitment, the Board of Directors for the San Antonio Water Company (Company) announces the appointment of Mr. Brian Lee as its new General Manager effective September 17, 2018. Mr. Lee replaces Charles Moorrees who is retiring after 19 years with the Company. Mr. Moorrees was hired in 1999 as the Company's Capital Project's Manager and was appointed General Manager in 2005.

Mr. Lee is an experienced General Manager with over 12 years of professional water management and leadership experience in various capacities throughout California. Mr. Lee most recently served as the General Manager of the San Lorenzo Valley Water District located in Boulder City, CA., in Santa Cruz County. Prior to his tenure with San Lorenzo Mr. Lee was the Deputy General Manager/District Engineer for Marina Coast Water District and Assistant General Manager/District Engineer for the Rainbow Municipal Water District.

Mr. Lee will assume leadership of one of the States oldest mutual water companies. Founded in 1882 the Company has preserved and managed its water rights for the benefit of its shareholders. The Company has interests in numerous groundwater basins and surface water rights in both San Bernardino and Los Angeles County, *"This is a tremendous opportunity and I am looking forward to working with the Board of Directors and staff of the Company as well as its shareholders. The San Antonio Water Company is a unique entity with an impressive history and extensive water rights interests in multiple areas. I'm excited about the possibilities that lie ahead."* – Brian Lee, new General Manager.

Mr. Tom Thomas, President of the Company's Board of Directors anticipates a positive transition in leadership. *"We have a great deal of appreciation for the valuable contributions Mr. Moorrees has made to the Company and we are excited to have Mr. Lee as our new General Manager. Mr. Lee is an experienced professional and this is the beginning of a new chapter for the Company. We had a number of qualified candidates to select from and Mr. Lee was clearly the best candidate for the Company and our shareholders."*

For more information about the San Antonio Water Company you can visit their web site at www.sawaterco.com. The Company's offices are located at 139 N/ Euclid Ave. Upland, CA. 91786

