



## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **WATERWAYS COUNCIL, INC. ELECTS DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, OFFICERS AND AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Washington DC – As its Annual Meeting and Board of Directors Meeting in Chicago on November 14, 2018, Waterways Council, Inc. (WCI) elected Directors for a Three-Year Term ending November 2021 as follows:

#### **Ohio Valley Region**

Bruce McGinnis, McNational, Inc., South Point, OH

#### **Mississippi Region Category**

Rob Innis, LafargeHolcim, Dundee, MI

#### **Southern Region**

Scott Leininger, CGB Enterprises, Inc., Covington, LA

#### **Shipper's Category**

Ken Applegate, Valero Energy, Houston, TX

#### **Carrier's Category**

Matt Woodruff, Kirby Corporation, Houston, TX

#### **Waterways Services Category**

Cherrie Felder, Channel Shipyard, Metairie, LA

#### **Associations/Government Category**

Troy Jones, St. Louis-Kansas City Carpenters Regional Council, St. Louis, MO

#### **At Large Category**

Chris Blanchard, Cooper/T. Smith, New Orleans, LA

Mary Ann Bucci, Port of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

Rob Carlisle, Carlisle & Bray, Covington, KY

Marty Hettel, American Commercial Lines, St. Louis, MO

Kevin Mulholland, Phillips 66, Houston, TX

Mario Munoz, Turn Services, LLC, New Orleans, LA

Ken Hartman, National Corn Growers Association, Waterloo, IL  
Brent Nissen, ARTCO/ADM, Decatur, IL  
Caryl Pfeiffer, LG&E & KU Services, Louisville, KY  
Martha Scott Poindexter, Bunge Corporation, Washington, DC  
Rodney Weinzierl, Illinois Corn Growers Association, Bloomington, IL

**Board Members by virtue of their title:**

Michael Toohey, President and CEO, Waterways Council, Inc., Washington, DC, Nov.  
2019  
Dan Mecklenborg, General Counsel, Ingram Barge Company, Nashville, TN, Nov.  
2019

The following WCI Executive Committee, Officers, and Audit Committee Members were also elected by the Board of Directors:

**Executive Committee**

Peter Stephaich, Chairman  
Tim Parker, Immediate Past Chairman  
Michael Toohey, President and CEO  
Matt Ricketts, First Vice Chairman  
Steve Golding, Vice Chairman  
Rob Innis, Vice Chairman  
Caryl Pfeiffer, Vice Chairman  
Rodney Weinzierl, Vice Chairman  
Dan Mecklenborg, General Counsel  
Marty Hettel, Secretary  
Cherrie Felder, Treasurer  
Merritt Lane, At Large  
Scott Leininger, At Large  
Lee Nelson, At Large  
Jeff Webb, At Large  
Matt Woodruff, At Large  
Rick Calhoun, Honorary Past Chairman  
Mark Knoy, Honorary Past Chairman  
Berdon Lawrence, Honorary Past Chairman

**Officers**

Peter Stephaich, Chairman  
Tim Parker, Immediate Past Chairman  
Michael Toohey, President and CEO  
Matt Ricketts, First Vice Chairman  
Rob Innis, Vice Chairman  
Steve Golding, Vice Chairman  
Caryl Pfeiffer, Vice Chairman  
Rodney Weinzierl, Vice Chairman  
Matt Woodruff, Vice Chairman  
Dan Mecklenborg, General Counsel  
Marty Hettel, Secretary

Cherrie Felder, Treasurer  
Debra Calhoun, Senior Vice President  
Paul Rohde, Vice President

**Audit Committee**

Lee Nelson, Chairman  
Caryl Pfeiffer  
Matt Ricketts  
John Wepfer

*Waterways Council, Inc. is the national public policy organization advocating for a modern and well-maintained national system of ports and inland waterways. The group is supported by waterways carriers, shippers, port authorities, agriculture, labor and conservation organizations, shipping associations and waterways advocacy groups from all regions of the country. Visit [www.waterwayscouncil.org](http://www.waterwayscouncil.org).*