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WATER AUTHORITY OF DICKSON COUNTY ACHIEVES PERFECT SCORE ON SANITARY SURVEY

Dickson County, TN – December 12, 2025 – The Water Authority of Dickson County is proud to announce that it has received a perfect score of 100% on its latest Sanitary Survey, conducted by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC). This outstanding achievement reflects the Authority’s unwavering commitment to providing safe and reliable drinking water to the community.

The Sanitary Survey, defined by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), is a comprehensive review of a public water system to evaluate its capability to deliver safe drinking water. Under the EPA’s guidelines, TDEC is responsible for the primary enforcement of public water systems in the state of Tennessee, ensuring that all regulations are met and that water quality remains a top priority.

The TDEC Division of Water Resources Sanitary Survey Manual outlines that a sanitary survey includes an onsite evaluation of a water system’s operations, sources, facilities, treatment processes, distribution network, and overall management practices. The thorough assessment also identifies any deficiencies that could potentially impact the safety of drinking water.

Community Water Systems (CWS) must have a survey conducted at least once every 3 years. TDEC has typically conducted the survey at WADC every other year. The rating is based on a detailed inspection, during which the Division’s inspector assesses various factors that contribute to the overall functionality and safety of the water supply system.

“We are extremely proud of our team’s dedication to maintaining the highest standards in water quality and safety,” said Scott Miller, Chief Executive Officer of the Water Authority of Dickson County. “Receiving a perfect score on the Sanitary Survey is a testament to the hard work and commitment of our staff, and it assures our community that they can trust the water we provide.”

The Water Authority of Dickson County remains committed to transparency and excellence, continuously working to enhance water quality and ensure the safety of its drinking water for the residents of Dickson County.

For more information about the Water Authority of Dickson County and its services, please visit www.wadc.us or contact Rocky Bowker at rbowker@wadc.us or (615) 441-5433.

****About the Water Authority of Dickson County****

WADC was formed as a regional water and wastewater service provider by the consolidation of the City of Dickson Water and Wastewater System, Turnbull-White Bluff Utility District, and Harpeth Utility District. In 2006 the City of Fairview’s Water and Wastewater systems were acquired, as well as the Wastewater Systems from the Town of White Bluff in 2015. The Water Authority of Dickson County is committed to delivering high-quality water and wastewater services to the over 23,000 customers within its service area.

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