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FAIRHOPE NAMES NEW ELECTRIC SUPERINTENDENT

FAIRHOPE, Alabama -- The City of Fairhope welcomes Jade Fleming who joined Fairhope Utilities in mid-November as the new Electric Superintendent

Fleming is a native of Pike County and a graduate of Lurleen B. Wallace Community College. He has spent the past 25 years in the electric utility industry, working for the City of Troy and Georgia Power, A Southern Company, where he has served in every capacity in his industry from Groundman to Engineering Specialist.

Fleming has spent the past month getting to know the system, the employees and the community.

"I have been excited to learn the challenges and opportunities for growth and improvement here in Fairhope," said Fleming. "We have a great, seasoned group of employees working hard to make this system the best it can be. After spending summers coming to this City, the chance to help improve the electric system is the opportunity of a lifetime and one I feel lucky to have. I look forward to becoming part of this community."

"The City of Fairhope is fortunate to have someone like Jade join our team," said Fairhope Mayor Sherry Sullivan. "His knowledge and experience in the public and private sectors are assets needed to be a successful superintendent. We look forward to seeing the great things he can do here."

Fleming and his wife, Mashone, have two children, Anna Morgan, 22, and Owen, 15.

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