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**EDWARD E. EASTERLIN JOINS MEAG POWER AS
SR. VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

ATLANTA, GA (November 1, 2016) – The Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia (MEAG Power) announced today that Edward E. Easterlin will join the organization and bring over 25 years of utility financial experience, as MEAG Power continues to serve the wholesale power needs of 49 Participant communities throughout the state.

Since 2009, Easterlin has served as Vice President and Chief Financial Officer for Omaha Public Power District. As a member of their executive team, he helped provide overall organizational direction and oversaw the Financial Services Business Unit, including 125 employees. Easterlin has also held key financial positions with Colorado Springs Utilities and South Carolina Public Service Authority (Santee Cooper).

“I am extremely pleased to be a part of the MEAG Power team and look forward to joining the joint action agency so dedicated to its Participants’ success. All of us in the public power industry understand the issues ahead and the need to focus on securing a prosperous future for our local communities,” said Easterlin.

James E. Fuller, MEAG Power’s President and Chief Executive Officer, praised Easterlin’s depth of experience in finance, audit, treasury, risk management, budgeting and forecasting. “Edward is more than qualified to take on this position. I know he will help us maintain the excellent standing we have with the financial community and with our Participants,” commented Fuller.

Easterlin has a Master of Business Administration from Charleston Southern University and a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Baptist College at Charleston. He also attended Trident Technical College and earned Associate degrees in Nuclear and Chemical Engineering Technology. He recently served as Vice-Chairman of the Business & Finance Section for the American Public Power Association.

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The Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia (MEAG Power) is a public generation and transmission organization providing power to 49 Georgia communities with annual electric sales of \$643 million and 10.6 million megawatt-hours of delivered energy in 2015.

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