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Alex Margevicius sworn in as Interim CWD Commissioner

On Thursday, January 5, 2012, Mayor Frank Jackson swore in Alex Margevicius as the Interim Commissioner of the Cleveland Division of Water (CWD).

“Alex has a great working knowledge of Cleveland Water,” said Dept. of Public Utilities (DPU) Director Barry Withers. “He has been one of the key players in many of the significant accomplishments that Cleveland Water has achieved in the past several years, and we expect to continue that tradition under his leadership.” Margevicius’ appointment comes at a time when CWD is undergoing significant restructuring.

“The Division of Water has made good progress over the last year in addressing many of its significant challenges,” says Margevicius. “We have a team of solid and dedicated professionals that I am honored to lead. We look forward to continue the Division of Water’s transformation into a well-regarded utility that delivers quality services in a cost efficient way.”

Margevicius began his 27 year tenure with CWD in 1985 as a Civil Engineer and rose to become the Assistant Commissioner of Engineering. He has been responsible for nearly 200 contracts during his career, primarily for CWD’s Capital Improvement Program.

He holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering and a Master of Science Degree in Systems Engineering from Case Western Reserve University.