Cathy Tucker-Vogel, Section Chief Public Water Supply Section Kansas Department of Health and Environment

## **Biography:**

Cathy Tucker-Vogel is the Public Water Supply Section Chief at the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), Bureau of Water with over 30 years of water sector experience in the State of Kansas. She oversees the drinking water, state revolving fund (SRF), and water operator certification programs. This includes permitting and oversight of approximately 972 water utilities serving a population of 2.8 million and the licensing of nearly 2,000 water operators. Prior to joining KDHE Cathy worked on multiple water resource issues at the Kansas Water Office.

Cathy is a past president of the Association of State Drinking Water Administrators (ASDWA) and previously represented the EPA Region 7 states on the Board of Directors. She is also the past Chairperson of the ASDWA Small Systems Committee. Cathy serves on the ASDWA PFAS, Cybersecurity and LCRR workgroups. She has also served on numerous EPA planning committees and workgroups at the regional and national levels. Cathy received her bachelor's degree in Environmental Studies with an emphasis on environmental planning from the University of Kansas.