



## **STEVEN B. HUCKABY, *PRESIDENT & CEO***

Steve Huckaby has more than 28 years of experience in the midstream business, most recently as President of Arista Midstream Services, LLC. Before founding Arista Midstream, Steve served as Vice President of Business Development and General Manager of the Denver office for Momentum Energy Group, LLC. During his tenure at Momentum, Mr. Huckaby was responsible for all business development activities in the Rocky Mountain West for the Yorktown Energy Partners, Bank of America and Lehman Brothers-backed midstream startup. He was instrumental in the acquisition of Kinder Morgan's Powder River gathering system and for the greenfield development of the Collbran Valley Gas Gathering System joint venture.

- From 1999 – 2005, Mr. Huckaby was the Vice President of Gathering and Processing at Kinder Morgan, Inc. where he managed a range of projects including Kinder Morgan's \$80 million Wyoming gathering and processing assets; Coyote Gas Treating, LLC, the company's \$40 million joint venture with Enterprise Field Services; KMP's 49% interest in Red Cedar Gas Gathering, a joint venture with the Southern Ute Indian Tribe; and KMP's 25% interest in Thunder Creek Gas Services, a joint venture with Devon Energy.
- From 1997 to 1999, Mr. Huckaby was the President of Tall Pines Energy, Inc. Tall Pines sought production and downstream opportunities in the Rocky Mountain West.
- From 1995 to 1997, Mr. Huckaby was the co-founder and Executive Vice President of Bear Paw Energy, Inc., a midstream company engaged in gas gathering, processing and treating with assets in Montana and North Dakota. The company was sold to TransMontaigne Oil Company in 1996.
- Mr. Huckaby was the Manager of Business Development at Synder Oil Company from 1994 to 1995. There he initiated and managed the development of downstream projects to support the development activities of SOCO's North American production units. He established a joint venture between SOCO, Cornerstone Natural Gas and KCS Energy to gather, process, and market SOCO, Chesapeake Energy and Patterson Oil gas wells in the Grimes County, TX Buda-Georgetown play.
- From 1990 to 1994, Mr. Huckaby served as the Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Vessels Oil and Gas, Inc. Vessels Oil and Gas engaged in production and midstream activities within the DJ and Washakie Basins. Mr. Huckaby was responsible for the company's \$85 million downstream activities, including the company's business development efforts. Mr. Huckaby was instrumental in the development of Vessels' first asset acquisitions outside the DJ Basin.

A colleague once said this of Steve, "Having worked with Steve for many years, I've come to appreciate and value the following: his commitment to his family, the fact that he makes the right decisions in problematic situations whether it's in his best interest or not, his commitment to customer service, and his core belief that good business is forged by personal relationships. This is a creed he lives by every single day. He walks the talk."

Mr. Huckaby began his career in 1981 with various positions in operations and engineering at Oxy Cities Service NGL, Inc. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Oklahoma State University.

Steve's community service includes fundraising for volunteer firefighters and founding member, the Annual Big Chili Cook-Off, Arts and Music Festival in Evergreen, CO where Steve lives with Dawn, his wife of 27 years, and their children Tyler and Hannah. Favorite movies: Giant and Hellfighters. "I'm always looking for a good movie about the oil and gas business," says Steve. "And just try finding one about a pipeliner. If you do, let me know."