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## **Morgan White Group Vice Chairman Richard Eaton has passed away**

**Ridgeland, MS – January 27, 2025** — This morning Richard “Rick” Eaton passed away peacefully at UMMC due to complications from cancer. He was surrounded by his family.

Mr. Eaton joined Morgan White Group in 1999, and over the following 26 years served in the roles of Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operating Officer, and most recently Vice Chairman.

“We will miss him tremendously and the love he had for his family, this company, and our employees. He had a huge impact on so many of us,” said Chairman and Co-Founder David White. “His wisdom and vision for Morgan White Group will live on through the many wise decisions he made.”

Both of Mr. Eaton’s sons play active roles at the company. Alan Eaton is an Executive Vice President and Chief Investment Officer, and Ryan Eaton was recently named President after serving many years as Chief Marketing Officer.

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