

## Dr. Scott Turner

Dr. Scott Turner, Superintendent of Spartanburg District Five Schools, was appointed to serve on the EOC by the Chair of the House Education Committee, Representative Rita Allison. His term as Rep. Allison's educator designee to the committee, began in July 2018.

Turner has been the Superintendent in District Five for 15 years, having started his career in the district as principal of Byrnes High School. Prior to that, he served as both a principal and assistant principal in multiple school districts. His career in education started over 30 years ago when he served as a Chemistry and AP Biology teacher at his alma mater, Boiling Springs High School.

Turner earned his Bachelor's degree in Biology from Wofford College, a Master's and Education Specialist (Ed.S) degree from Converse College, and his Doctor of Education (Ed.D) in Educational Leadership from South Carolina State University.



"I am honored to have been appointed by Representative Allison to serve on the South Carolina Education Oversight Committee," stated Turner. "I look forward to working with the EOC members and staff in an effort to improve educational opportunities for students, and provide support for districts, schools, and educators across our great state."

Dr. Turner is the Past President of the South Carolina Association of School Administrators (SCASA), and co-chaired SCASA's capital building campaign. He serves on the SC School Boards Insurance Trust, the BMW Advisory Board, the Spartanburg Community College Board of Commissioners, and on the board for Middle Tyger Community Center.

Turner considers his biggest accomplishments to be his two children, Alex and Mallory, who are both graduates of District 5 and proud Carolina Gamecocks who both aspire to be educators.

**Note: On July 1, 2019, Dr. Turner began a new position as the Deputy Superintendent of Greenville County Schools.**