

## **Patrick W. McKinney**

Patrick W. McKinney joined the South Carolina Ports Authority Board of Directors in June 2011 and will lead the Board as Chairman beginning in January 2016. Mr. McKinney's 40-year career in real estate sales and development included the \$105 million purchase of Kiawah Island in 1988 from the Kuwait Investment Company, the largest single real estate transaction in South Carolina history at the time.

Mr. McKinney was a partner in Kiawah Partners, Kiawah's master developer, until its sale in 2013, and serves as a consultant to Kiawah Island Real Estate, from which he retired as President in 2006. Mr. McKinney's coastal real estate sales and development experience also includes Sea Pines Plantation in Hilton Head, Wild Dunes Beach & Racquet Club, and partnership in the Brumley/McKinney Company in Charleston. During his career Mr. McKinney worked alongside various architects in the development of nine golf courses on Kiawah Island, Sea Pines Resort and Doonberg Links in Ireland.

Mr. McKinney has served in leadership positions in numerous local, state and national golf associations and numerous non-profit organization boards. In addition to the SCPA Board, Mr. McKinney is an active Board member with The Horizon Project, Turning Point with Dr. David Jeremiah, as well as The Original Six Foundation.

Mr. McKinney earned his BBA in Marketing from Georgia State University.