

## **Biography**

### **KARL G. BROWN**

Since 1995, Karl G. Brown has served as the Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania State Conservation Commission. In this position, he is responsible for the administration of all Commission programs and responsibilities, including Nutrient & Odor Management, Dirt, Gravel & Low Volume Road Maintenance, the Resource Enhancement and Protection (REAP) Tax Credit Program, and the general support and oversight of county conservation district programs. The Commission provides oversight to the Nutrient and Odor Management Certification Programs, as well as the Manure Hauler and Broker Certification Program.

Prior to working for the Commission, Karl worked for Pennsylvania Farm Bureau's Governmental Relations Division (1984-95). Karl also worked as a soil conservationist for Lebanon County Conservation District (1982-84) and as a laboratory technician and research field-crew member at Pennsylvania State University Plant Nutrition Laboratory (1980 – 1982).