



BOOTHEEL EXPO

August 20 - 21, 2019



Black River
COLISEUM

301 South 5th Street
Poplar Bluff, Missouri 63901

10 Hours
Renewal Credit

THIS MEETING IS APPROVED
FOR MoDNR CREDIT HOURS

Tuesday Course #1904525
DW 6.5, DS 6.5, WW 6.5

Wednesday Course #1904526
DW 3.5, DS 3.5, WW 3.5

SEE INSERTS FOR BOARD & COUNCIL TRAINING and OFFICE PRO's TRAINING!

Expo Agenda

Day 1 - Tuesday, August 20

Water Room SESSIONS (DW & DS)

7:00 a - 8:00 a	BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS
8:00 a - 9:00 a	Chemical Feed Pump Troubleshooting – Jason McGee, American Development Corp
9:00 a -10:00 a	Improving Water Quality through Automatic Flushing – Dale Biggerstaff, Hamilton County (IL) Rural Water
10:00 a -10:30 a	BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS
10:30 p -12:00 p	HDPE Fundamentals: Fusion, Tapping & Jointing – Jim Johnston, McElroy Industries
12:00 p - 1:00 p	LUNCH WITH EXHIBITORS
1:00 p - 2:00 p	Water Specialist Inspection of Construction Work – Charlie Jones, Greene Co. PWSD # 5
2:00 p - 3:00 p	Sampling Pitfalls – Jason Kirkman, MoDNR SERO
3:00 p - 3:30 p	BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS
3:30 p - 4:30 p	Water Valve Applications & Maintenance – Barry Nichols, Clow Valve

Wastewater Room SESSIONS (WW)

7:00 a - 8:00 a	BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS
8:00 a - 9:00 a	Safe Use & Start-Up of Ultra-Violet Light for Disinfection - Bud Konieczny, TG Rankin Co.
9:00 a -10:00 a	Modeling for Success – Taking Lagoon Process Design to the Next Level: Jim Martin, Environmental Technologies Inc.
10:00 a -10:30 a	BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS
10:30 p -12:00 p	Managing Wastewater Assets and Replacement – Mark Klaus, MRWA
12:00 p - 1:00 p	LUNCH WITH EXHIBITORS
1:00 p - 2:00 p	Common Compliance Shortfalls in The Wastewater Field – Donald Jones/Gary Webber, MRWA
2:00 p - 3:00 p	Common Compliance Shortfalls in The Wastewater Field (continued)
3:00 p - 3:30 p	BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS
3:30 p - 4:30 p	Safe Use and Applications of Oxidizers in Wastewater, Mark Weirich – Hawkins Water Treatment Group

Day 2 - Wednesday, August 21

GENERAL SESSIONS (DW, DS, WW) EMERGENCY RESPONSE

7:00 a - 8:00 a	BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS
8:00 a - 9:00 a	Earthquake Preparedness - Jeff Riggs, State Emergency Management Agency
9:00 a -10:00 a	Impacts of Flooding on Water/Wastewater Systems - Joan Stemler, Chief of Water Control Operations, US Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District
10:00 a -10:30 a	BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS
10:30 p -12:00 p	Ice Storm 10-Year Anniversary: Lessons Learned - Brad Rayburn/Eric Fuchs, MRWA
12:00 p - ????	Registration Prize Drawing and Raffle Prize Drawing

Lunch Provided By:

**MIDWEST
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Test your skills in the MRWA Rodeo!
Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place!



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**IF PAYING WITH MODNR VOUCHERS, YOU MUST SIGN THE ROSTER
EACH DAY REGARDLESS OF CERTIFICATION STATUS.**



Don't miss the MRWA Bootheel Expo, providing the finest in water and wastewater training courses from industry experts as well as lots of food, fun, and learning in the coliseum arena!

We've assembled experts from around the country to provide you with insight on topics you can use everyday on the job. Sessions this year include:

- ✓ Chemical Feed Pump Troubleshooting
- ✓ Automatic Flushing
- ✓ High Density Polyethylene Pipe
- ✓ Construction Inspection
- ✓ Sampling
- ✓ UV Light Disinfection
- ✓ Asset Management and Replacement
- ✓ Emergency Response and Preparedness

And don't forget the trademarks of any MRWA show:

- Vendors showing the latest in water and wastewater technology
- Prize drawings
- Food
- MRWA Rodeo sponsored by Kubota

Conference Overview:

- Full breakfast and lunch provided on Tuesday ... Full breakfast on Wednesday!
- Re-certification hours for DW, DS, and WW certifications!
- Exhibitor Prize Drawings during breaks and lunch!

ALL REGULAR ATTENDEES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR OUR **REGISTRATION PRIZE**.
DRAWING TO BE HELD SOMETIME ON **WEDNESDAY**.
YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.



Download today!

The MRWA Conference App for Android and Apple devices!!

Includes:

- ◇ Session Schedules
- ◇ Exhibit Hall Layout
- ◇ Exhibit Hall Scavenger Hunt Clues
- ◇ And new this year...Conference Evaluation so you can tell us what you thought of the Expo..

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**MRWA Bootheel Expo
Room Block**

**Group Rate: \$99
King or 2 Queens**

**USE Promo Code MVB
for conference rate**

*Reservations must be made
by August 5 for guaranteed
availability and rate.*



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Attendee Registration Form (PLEASE PRINT)

Name: _____

System Representing: _____

Phone Number: (_____) _____ Certification Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ @ _____

Only one registration per sheet. Please make copies for additional registrants and complete all information. Please print name as you wish it to appear on your name tag. Your full registration includes all conference activities and meals. If you are paying with MoDNR Training Vouchers, use course #1904525. Please include the entire completed voucher form with your registration and mail them to the MRWA office. MRWA will not be responsible for credit hours not properly applied to your certification.

Member System Employee Registration: \$150.00 \$ _____
Regulatory agencies receive the member rate. This does not apply to water/wastewater systems owned/operated by a governmental entity.

or

Non-Member System Employee Registration: \$250.00 \$ _____

Want to pay with a credit card? Register online at www.moruralwater.org.

Total Due \$ _____

Cancellation Policy

Due to scheduling limitations and meal costs, the last day to cancel registrations is August 12, 2019. All uncancelled no-show registrations will be liable for the full member system rate of \$150.00

Please Return Completed Forms with Remittance To:



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