Instructor Spotlight

Roger brings many years of experience as he started as an Operator/Supervisor of Wastewater Treatment Facilities in Pennsylvania as well as a Water and Wastewater Lab Technician before joining Envirep, Inc. in 2005. During the years with Envirep, Roger has served as a Service Manager, Manufacturer's representative for water and wastewater treatment equipment manufacturers, providing maintenance, startup, training and troubleshooting of various water and wastewater equipment.

We welcome Roger to DRWA and look forward to having him join us for this presentation!!!

Pump Maintenance and Troubleshooting
Tuesday, February 27th 2024

During this session, the participant will be able to understand centrifugal pump basics, centrifugal pump operation, pump components, suction lift principals, net positive suction head and total dynamic head. Also, the participant will learn how to use pump performance curves and system head curves to avoid and resolve mechanical problems, estimate pump capacity using wet well draw-down test, disassemble and assemble a centrifugal pump, replace components, lubricate pump, adjust clearances, use pressure gauges to troubleshoot pumps, understand the causes of cavitations and remedies and have a better understanding of safety concerns when working in a pump station environment.
Cross-Connection-Control Program

**WHY IS A CROSS-CONNECTION CONTROL PROGRAM SO IMPORTANT?**

A cross-connection control program is not only critical from a public health perspective, but also in preventing significant exposure, litigation, and financial loss to anyone not in compliance with this important regulation.

**It Protects Public Health.**

Normally, water in a home or building flows in one direction. Under certain conditions, water can actually flow backwards; this is known as backflow, which can introduce contaminants into the drinking water supply with dangerous – even lethal – consequences.

**It's The Law.**

State and local regulations and plumbing code require approved backflow prevention methods to be installed at every point of potable water connection and use. Fines, penalties, and the loss of water service are all possible if non-compliant. Furthermore, if contamination occurs and an individual or a group of individuals or their property suffers damage due to a backflow incident, they may seek damages from the municipality and the entity that contributed to the contamination.

DRWA's Upcoming Events

**Thursday, October 3rd 2024**

**Barry Walter Memorial Golf Outing**

Jonathan’s Landing
1309 Ponderosa Drive
Magnolia, DE. 19962
9:00 AM Registration & 10:00 AM Shotgun Start

**Friday, October 4th 2024**

**15th Annual Water & Wastewater Operators Expo**

Greenwood Volunteer Fire Company
12611 Fire Hall Avenue
Greenwood, DE. 19950
8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

**Friday, October 18th 2024**

**5th Annual Sporting Clays Tournament “In Memory Of Bob Slater”**

Owens Station Sporting Clays
12613 Hunters Cove Road
Greenwood, DE. 19950
8:00 AM Registration 9:00 AM Shoot Begins
12:00 PM Lunch, Awards & Raffles

**Wednesday, February 26th & Thursday, February 27th 2025**

**34th Annual Technical Conference & Exhibition**

Delaware State Fairgrounds
18500 S. DuPont Highway
Harrington, DE. 19952

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