

Calendar of Events

April 24, 2025

Location-Change- Emerging Contaminants - Sampling, Labs, Results and Reporting -# 04-022

Riverdale Community Center

57 Loy Avenue

Riverdale, NJ 07457

08:30 AM - 01:00 PM EST

Please limit of 3 registrants per system

Description

This course will help participants to properly and economically sample and test their water and wastewater. It will elaborate on the critical issues of PFNA, PFOA and PFOS and enhance the participant's ability to monitor for process control, quality assurance and regulatory compliance purposes. Sample analytical reports will be reviewed to enhance understanding of the meaning of laboratory results.

Date and Location:

April 24, 2025 – Riverdale Community Center,

*Accreditation: 3.0 TCH Water & Wastewater, Course Number 04-022101-30. CPWM
3.0 Technical DLGS-NJWA-212*

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April 29, 2025

**NEW! - New Jersey's Water Workforce: Strategies for Strengthening Recruitment, Retention,
Brooklawn Community Center
101 2nd Street
Brooklawn, NJ**

08:30 AM - 01:00 PM EST

Who should attend? This workshop is designed for water and wastewater utility leaders in New Jersey, including directors, superintendents, managers, public works officials, and others involved in hiring, budgeting, staff development, or long-term planning.

Description: New Jersey's water and wastewater systems are facing real workforce challenges as many experienced operators are nearing retirement and fewer people are entering the field. Utilities need practical strategies to recruit and retain qualified staff—and to keep institutional knowledge from walking out the door. This free, in-person workshop offers practical tools to help managers and public works staff plan ahead and build a stronger team. The session will cover how to work within civil service rules, plan for succession, offer more competitive salaries, and communicate job opportunities more effectively. Participants will also learn about the NJWA Apprenticeship Program. Whether you're thinking about long-term staffing needs or trying to fill open positions today, this training will help you take the next step.

Dates & Locations:

April 29, 2025: Brooklawn Community Center, 101 2nd Street, Brooklawn, NJ 08030

Accreditation:

4.0 Training Contact Hours for NJ-Licensed Water/Wastewater Operators: TCH Course Number 04-042501-30

4.0 Hours toward license renewal for NJ Certified Public Work Managers: DLGS-NJWA-285 (4.0 Mgmt.)

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April 30, 2025

**NEW! - New Jersey's Water Workforce: Strategies for Strengthening Recruitment, Retention,
Hightstown Fire Department
140 North Main St
Hightstown, NJ 08520**

08:30 AM - 01:00 PM EST

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Dates & Locations:

April 30, 2025: Hightstown Fire Dept Hall, 140 North Main St, Hightstown, NJ 08520

Accreditation:

4.0 Training Contact Hours for NJ-Licensed Water/Wastewater Operators: TCH Course Number 04-042501-30

4.0 Hours toward license renewal for NJ Certified Public Work Managers: DLGS-NJWA-285 (4.0 Mgmt.)

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May 1, 2025

**NEW! - New Jersey's Water Workforce: Strategies for Strengthening Recruitment, Retention,
Mount Olive Township Council Chambers
204 Flanders-Drakestown Road
Flanders, NJ**

08:30 AM - 01:00 PM EST

Who should attend? This workshop is designed for water and wastewater utility leaders in New Jersey, including directors, superintendents, managers, public works officials, and others involved in hiring, budgeting, staff development, or long-term planning.

Description: New Jersey's water and wastewater systems are facing real workforce challenges as many experienced operators are nearing retirement and fewer people are entering the field. Utilities need practical strategies to recruit and retain qualified staff—and to keep institutional knowledge from walking out the door. This free, in-person workshop offers practical tools to help managers and public works staff plan ahead and build a stronger team. The session will cover how to work within civil service rules, plan for succession, offer more competitive salaries, and communicate job opportunities more effectively. Participants will also learn about the NJWA Apprenticeship Program. Whether you're thinking about long-term staffing needs or trying to fill open positions today, this training will help you take the next step.

Dates & Locations:

May 1, 2025: Mt Olive Twp Council Chambers, 204 Flanders-Drakestown Rd, Budd Lake, NJ 07828

Accreditation:

4.0 Training Contact Hours for NJ-Licensed Water/Wastewater Operators: TCH Course Number 04-042501-30

4.0 Hours toward license renewal for NJ Certified Public Work Managers: DLGS-NJWA-285 (4.0 Mgmt.)

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May 14, 2025

MGT 343 Disaster Management for Water & Wastewater Utilities -#04-102407-30 (Hightstown)

Hightstown Fire Department

140 North Main St

Hightstown, NJ 08520

08:00 AM - 05:00 PM EST

Matthew Maffei,

matt@njwater.org

MUST ATTEND BOTH DAYS

Course Description

This course provides students with information about the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (USEPA) Response Protocol Toolbox covering necessary steps to be taking during the response and recovery of Water and Wastewater Utilities. Participants will be guided through the various issues concerning preparing for, responding to, and recovering from incidents affecting water and/or wastewater facilities. The course introduces the various natural and man-made (accidental or intentional) hazards to which water and wastewater systems may be vulnerable and the potential effects the hazards may induce. Planning for and managing incidents are discussed, as well as disaster mitigation, response, and recovery specific to drinking water and wastewater systems.

Accreditation:

14.0 Training Contact Hours for NJ-Licensed Water/WW Operators. TCH Course Number 04-102407-30

14.0 Hours toward license renewal for NJ Certified Public Works Managers: DLGS-NJWA-273 (5.0 Tech, 5.0 Management, 4.0 Gov.)

Date and Location: May 14 & 15, 2025, Hightstown Fire Station, 140 North Main Street, Hightstown, NJ.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- *Plan to arrive at 8:00 am. Latecomers cannot be admitted.*
- *This is a FEMA Certification Course. FEMA courses require participants/students to establish a FEMA Student ID Number.*
To obtain a FEMA SID number use the following link: Register for your FEMA SID (dhs.gov)
- *Licensed Operators desiring TCHs, and CPWMs credit must attend BOTH days.*
- *Participants must bring a digital device (cell phone, tablet, or computer) to class to take the Pre/Post Test*

Tips regarding the registration process:

For the Section DHS/FEMA Required Information indicate the following:

Student Discipline: Indicate "Public Works"

Level of Government: Indicate either Local (for municipal government) or Private Sector (for investor-owned/privately owned utilities).

Under Participant Information and the question

"How did you hear about us?": Indicate "Other" then "NJ Water Association."

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July 1, 2025

New Electronic Reporting Requirements (E2)
Compliance Starts July 1, 2025