



34th Annual “Snowball” Wastewater Operator’s Conference



Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2025

- 7:15-8:30** **Registration** (coffee & rolls)
- 8:30-9:30** *(Ballroom 1)* **CIPP Lining and Manhole Rehabilitation**
Monte Daken, Johnson Service Company
- 9:30-10** *(Ballroom 1)* **Valve and Gate Inspection and Maintenance**
Lee Dunn, Gurney and Associates
- (Ballroom 2)* **Low Pressure Sewer**
Ryan Turnbull, Iowa Pump Works
- 10-10 :15** **Break (Exhibit Area)**
- 10:15-11:15** *(Ballroom 1)* **Q&A Roundtable Discussion**
Phillip Halstead, Grace Dana, Randol Wehrbein, Jason Windhorst, Jeff Stittle, & Mike McBride, NDEE
- (Ballroom 2)* **Sewer Backup Liability**
Fred Wiebelhaus, LARM
- 11:15-11:45** *(Ballroom 1)* **A Cold Wind Blowing: Temperatures, DO, and Aeration Performance**
Brian Gongol, DJ Gongol & Associates
- (Ballroom 2)* **Backflow**
Greg Brekel, NDEE
- 11:45-1** *(Loper Room)* **Lunch (New York Strip)**
(Survey Cards at Tables)
- 1-2** *(Ballroom 1)* **CISA 101**
Warren Hagelstien, CISA
- (Ballroom 2)* **General Collection System Maintenance**
Monte Daken, Johnson Service Company
- 2-2:15** **Break (Exhibit Area)**
- 2:15-3:15** *(Ballroom 1)* **How to Successfully Run an Oxidation Ditch with Very Low DO Levels**
Jake Rink, Olsson

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- 2:15-3:15** *(Ballroom 2)* **Pumping Application**
Chris Johnson, Gurney & Associates
- 3:15-4** *(Ballroom 1)* **NPDES Support Services**
Mark Pomajzl, JEO
- (Ballroom 2)* **The CLAWS of Pump Maintenance**
Brian Gongol, DJ Gongol & Associates
- 4-4:50** **Break (Exhibit Area)**

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- (Ballroom 1)*
- 8-8:30** **NWEA and NWOD Updates**
Scott Seelhoff
- 8:30-8:50** **Break (Exhibit Area)**
- 8:50-9:50** **PFAS Treatment**
Nolan Groff, Olsson
- 9:50-10** **Break (Exhibit Area)**
- 10-11:30** **WW Cert. Program and NDEE Update**
Mike McBride, NDEE
- 11:30-12** **Utility Disconnect and Connection**
Lash Chaffin, LoNM

KEY	Potential Hours
Wastewater	10
(W) = Water (Grades 1-4)	6
Backflow (Grade 6)	0.5