

## Calendar of Events

February 10, 2026  
- February 11, 2026

**? 2026 Joint Expo & Operator Days**  
**Lansing Center**  
**333 E. Michigan Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48933**  
Various Start Times (select on registration)  
MWEA, 517-641-7377  
mwea@mi-wea.org  
*Registration is now OPEN!*

### *Who Should Attend*

*All drinking water and wastewater professionals — including operators, supervisors, lab techs, maintenance techs, and superintendents — should plan to attend this annual training event!*

*Enjoy two days of high-quality content in both Technical and Managerial tracks, followed by access to the Joint Expo Hall featuring 150+ vendors. View the full Operator Days training agenda [here](#).*

*If you're only attending the Expo, use the same registration to sign up for your Expo-only pass.*

### *Continuing Education Credits (CECs) & PDHs*

#### *Operator Training\**

*Earn 0.3 Technical OR Managerial DW/WW Credits per day (up to 0.6 total)*

*EGLE Course Code: 338*

*Choose Technical or Managerial track at registration.*

*You must stay in your selected track for full credit.  
Switching between tracks during the same day is not allowed.  
You can take one day Technical and one day Managerial (0.3 each).  
Partial credits cannot be awarded.*

*Joint Expo Hall\**

*Earn 0.2 “Other” Credits for walking the floor*

*EGLE Course Code: 344*

*\*Certificates will be emailed about one month after the event.*

*Registration & Rates*

*Early-Bird Deadline: January 30, 2025*

*Operator Days Full 2-Day Package – \$300 Early-Bird*

*Includes both days of sessions (Technical or Managerial), breakfast and lunch both days, Expo access, and entry to the Tuesday evening Mixer.)*

*Operator Days Single Day Pass – \$160 Early-Bird*

*Includes one day of sessions (Technical or Managerial), breakfast, lunch, and Expo access.)*

*Joint Expo Only – FREE if registered by January 31!*

*(After that, a \$10 fee applies. No penalty for early registration — sign up now!)*

*After January 30:*

*Full Package: \$330*

*Single Day: \$175*

*Expo Only: \$10*

*Group Registration*

*Simplify registration for your team! Download the Excel group registration form or email MWEA to request it directly. Add all attendees, and we'll process them for you.*

*Lodging, FAQs & More*

*Visit [www.jointexpo.org](http://www.jointexpo.org) for hotel information, FAQs, and additional event details.*

February 20, 2026

**Section 7 Chili Cookoff**

**WestSide Fire Station**

**911 West Shepherd**

**Charlotte, MI 48813**

**10:30 AM**

**Matt Griffith, (517) 231-2324**

**[mg Griffith@charlottemi.org](mailto:mg Griffith@charlottemi.org)**

*Please join MWEA Local Section 7 in their Annual Chili Cookoff on February 20th at 10:30 am at the WestSide Fire Station in Charlotte. There will be prizes for 1st-3rd place and guest speaker Jason Frederick, Dubois-Cooper.*

*More information on the **EVENT FLYER***

*Please RSVP by February 17th if you plan on attending.*

February 24, 2026

**Training: Preliminary, Primary and Secondary Treatment @ YCUA**

**Ypsilanti Community Utility Authority (YCUA)**

**2777 State St.**

**Ypsilanti, MI 48198**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**[dwood@mi-wea.org](mailto:dwood@mi-wea.org)**

*Instructor: Todd Nichols*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 WW Technical*

*Code: 2598*

*Registration Costs:*

*MWEA/WEF Member - \$180*

*\*Non-member - \$300*

February 26, 2026

**Training: Tertiary Treatment & WW Disinfection**

**Linden WRRF**

**6450 Silver Lake Rd**

**Linden, MI 48451**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**[dwood@mi-wea.org](mailto:dwood@mi-wea.org)**

*Instructor: Jason Hall*

*CEC Information:*

*0.5 WW Technical*

*Code: 2599*

*Registration Costs:*

*MWEA/WEF Member - \$180*

*\*Non-member - \$300*

February 27, 2026

**Water for People Topgolf Mixer and Fundraiser**

**Topgolf**

**500 Great Lakes Crossing Dr**

**Auburn Hills, MI 48326**

**10:00 AM - 01:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Abigail Broxholm, 517-641-7377**

**abroxholm@mi-wea.org**

*Join MWEA's Water for People Committee for  
A Topgolf Mixer and Fundraiser!*

*Join us for a fun and meaningful morning at Topgolf in support of Water For People, a global nonprofit working to bring lasting access to safe water and sanitation to communities around the world. This fundraiser and networking mixer is hosted by MWEA's Water for People Committee, bringing together members, friends, and supporters who want to make an impact while enjoying great company, food, and friendly competition. Every contribution helps move us closer to a world where everyone has access to safe water and sanitation.*

*When: Friday, February 27, 2026 from 10AM-1PM*

*What: 3 hours of Topgolf as a Fundraiser for MWEA's Water For People Committee, with breakfast buffet and Silent Auction throughout the event.*

*Limited Attendance: Topgolf fundraiser is limited to 40 attendees (Please contact MWEA if you decide to cancel, this will allow someone else to take your spot).*

*Registration closes Wednesday, February 25, 2026.*

*Cost: \$30 donation to Water for People.*

*Thanks to the generosity of our sponsors, all game fees, food, and venue costs for our Topgolf fundraiser are fully covered. Every \$30 ticket purchased is a direct donation supporting Water for People's mission to provide access to safe, sustainable water and sanitation services. Attendees can enjoy the event knowing their full ticket amount makes an impact.*

*A charitable donation receipt can be provided for each ticket purchased if requested.*

*Thank you to our Fundraiser Sponsors:*

*Learn more about Water For People and the impact of their work here:*

*? Water for People Youtube Channel*

*If you would like to donate but cannot attend in person, please visit:*

*? Water for People Donation Page*

*Interested in joining the MWEA Water for People Committee, please visit:*

*? Water for People Committee Registration*

**Training: Purpose and Fundamentals**

**City of Lansing WWTP**

**1625 Sunset Ave**

**Lansing, MI 48917**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

***Purpose and Fundamentals of Wastewater Treatment***

*This course appropriately begins with the water cycle. It is an overview of the wastewater treatment process, beginning to end. This gives the individual the concepts of the entirety and impact of the work done in treatment plants.*

*This class is excellent for those new to the profession and those who have had a limited scope of job duties. This will be a unique opportunity of great value to persons providing products and services in the wastewater industry.*

***Topics Covered:***

*Why We Treat Wastewater*

*Collections System*

*Basic Laboratory Analysis*

*Sources of Wastewater*

*Treatment Plant*

*Health and Safety*

*Mechanical Equipment*

*Effluent Disposal*

*Emerging Issues*

***CEC Information:***

**0.5 Tech WW CECs**

**EGLE Code: 2424**

*Registration Costs:*  
MWEA/WEF Member - \$95  
\*Non-member - \$215

*Instructor: Dave Connors*

March 11, 2026  
- March 12, 2026

**2026 Biosolids Conference**  
**DoubleTree by Hilton Battle Creek**  
**50 Capital Ave SW**  
**Battle Creek, MI 49017**  
Varies by day  
Sheryl Wicks, 5176417377  
swicks@mi-wea.org

*The 2026 Biosolids Conference will be held at the DoubleTree by Hilton Battle Creek on Wednesday, March 11th and Thursday, March 12th. The conference will begin with workshops on Wednesday afternoon. Following the workshop, attendees will return to the hotel for a reception and dinner. A full day of technical education presentations will take place on Thursday.*

*WHO should attend? Engineers, Superintendents, Operators, Project Managers, and Directors.*

*[Click Here for the Agenda](#)*

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Trace Analytical Laboratories Inc.*

March 18, 2026  
- March 19, 2026

**Exam Prep: Municipal A & B (2-Day)**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Drive**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*This advanced 2-day Wastewater A & B Exam Preparation class is designed for experienced operators preparing for EGLE's higher-level certification exams. Built around comprehensive A & B exam reference materials, the course delivers an in-depth review of complex treatment processes, including primary, secondary, and advanced biological treatment, nutrient removal, disinfection, solids handling, digestion, and dewatering. Emphasis is placed on understanding process control, operational decision-making, and the calculations operators are expected to master at the A & B level.*

*Over two focused days, participants will work through advanced calculations, troubleshooting scenarios, and "need-to-know" exam topics covering activated sludge, attached growth systems, pumps and hydraulics, laboratory analysis, and regulatory considerations. This class is ideal for operators seeking a deeper technical understanding, refined problem-solving skills, and the confidence needed to successfully pass the EGLE Wastewater Operator A & B Exams.*

*Instructor: Dave Connors*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 WW Technical*

*Code: 3167*

*Registration Costs:*

*MWEA/WEF Member - \$360*

*\*Non-member - \$480*

March 24, 2026  
- March 26, 2026

**Exam Prep: Municipal C & D (3-Day)**  
**Michigan Water Environment Association (Training Room)**  
**5815 Executive Drive**  
**Lansing, MI 48911**  
08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST  
MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377  
dwood@mi-wea.org

*This comprehensive 3-day Wastewater C & D Exam Preparation class provides an in-depth review of the core knowledge and skills needed to successfully pass the certification exam. Using structured workbook materials, the course walks participants through calculations, treatment processes, laboratory analysis, maintenance, safety, and regulatory concepts that are critical for day-to-day operations and frequently tested on the exam.*

*Over three days, attendees will have the time to slow down, ask questions, and work through detailed examples and practice problems that reinforce understanding and retention. Designed for both first-time test takers and experienced operators seeking a thorough refresher, this class delivers a well-rounded, confidence-building approach to exam preparation.*

*Includes: Detailed study guides, worksheets, and an EGLE approved scientific calculator.*

*Instructor:*  
*Bill Wyngaert*

*CEC Information:*  
0.6 WW Technical  
Code: 3168

*Registration Costs:*  
MWEA/WEF Member - \$460  
\*Non-member - \$580

March 31, 2026

**Training: Purpose and Fundamentals**

**City of Kalamazoo WRP**

**1415 Harrison St**

**Kalamazoo, MI 49007**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

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*Effluent Disposal*

*Emerging Issues*

***CEC Information:***

***0.5 Tech WW CECs***

***EGLE Code: 2424***

*Registration Costs:*  
**MWEA/WEF Member - \$95**  
**\*Non-member - \$215**

*Instructor: Jared Grabinski*

April 1, 2026

**Training: Collection Systems**  
**SCCMUA - Southern Clinton County Municipal Utility Authority**  
**3671 W Herbison Rd**  
**DeWitt, MI 48820**  
**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**  
**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**  
**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Instructor: Bill Wyngaert*

*CEC Information:*  
**0.5 WW Technical**  
**Code: 2427**

*Registration Costs:*  
**MWEA/WEF Member - \$180**  
**\*Non-member - \$300**

April 8, 2026

**Training: Activated Sludge 1**  
**Midland Water Reclamation Facility**  
**2305 Bay City Rd**  
**Midland, MI 48642**  
**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**  
**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**  
**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Instructor:*  
**Dave Connors**

*CEC Information:*  
**0.5 WW Technical**  
**Code: 1910**

*Registration Costs:*  
**MWEA/WEF Member - \$180**  
**\*Non-member - \$300**

April 9, 2026

**Training: Activated Sludge 2**  
**City of Saginaw WWTP**  
**2406 Veterans Memorial Pkwy**  
**Saginaw, MI 48601**  
**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**  
**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**  
**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Instructor: Dave Connors*

*CEC Information:*  
*0.5 WW Technical*  
*Code: 1910*

*Registration Costs:*  
*MWEA/WEF Member - \$180*  
*\*Non-member - \$300*

April 14, 2026

**Training: Anaerobic Digester**  
**City of Grand Rapids WRRF**  
**1300 Market Ave SW**  
**Grand Rapids, MI 49503**  
**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**  
**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**  
**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Course Title:*  
*Fundamentals of Anaerobic Digester Operation and Control*

*Description:*

*This course will give attendees an improved understanding of the system and strategies, and be better prepared for the day to day tasks of completing this portion of the treatment process.*

*Precourse Requirement:*  
*None*

*Instructor:*  
*Chad Antle*

April 15, 2026

**MWEA/MI-AWWA Asset Management Seminar**

**Eagle Eye Golf & Banquet Center**

**15500 Chandler Rd**

**Bath, MI 48808**

**08:00 AM - 03:30 PM EST**

**Caitlin Bowens, 517 641 7377**

**[cbowens@mi-wea.org](mailto:cbowens@mi-wea.org)**

*Effective asset management is essential for maintaining reliable, sustainable, and cost-efficient water and wastewater systems. This seminar brings together industry professionals to share practical tools, real-world strategies, and success stories that help utilities make smarter investment decisions and extend the life of critical infrastructure.*

*WHO should attend? Engineers, Project Managers, Superintendents, Operators, and Directors.*

*Agenda Topics include: Leveraging GIS and Field Technology, Planning and Delivering a \$2 Billion Dollar CIP, Update from EGLE, and Pressure Pipe Condition Assessment  
Full agenda coming soon....*

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**Exam Prep: Intro to WW Math**  
**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**  
**5815 Executive Drive**  
**Lansing, MI 48911**  
08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST  
MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377  
dwood@mi-wea.org  
*Introduction to Wastewater Math*

*This course begins by covering the basic algebra rules and processes needed to perform mathematical calculations used in wastewater. The course then introduces basic water math concepts of tank calculations. Finishing with calculating water volume measurements through the system over time.*

*This class will be excellent for those in need of a refresher of high school math or those who generally struggle with math.*

*Topics Covered:*

*Calculator Use  
Chemical Dosage  
Pumping and Flow Rates*

*Rounding  
Pounds Formula  
Detention Time*

*Conversion Factors and Formulas  
Circumference, Area, Volume  
Practice Problems*

*CEC Information:  
0.6 Tech WW CECs  
EGLE Code: 3163*

*Registration Costs:*  
**MWEA/WEF Member - \$180**  
**\*Non-member - \$300**

*Instructor: Jason Hall*

April 22, 2026

**Exam Prep: Wastewater Math CD: Part 1**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Drive**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Instructor:*

*Nathan Callison*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 Technical WW*

*Code: 1776*

*Registration Costs:*

**MWEA/WEF Member - \$180**

**\*Non-member - \$300**

April 23, 2026

**Exam Prep: Wastewater Math CD: Part 2**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Drive**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Instructor:*

*Nathan Callison*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 Technical WW*

*Code: 1787*

*Registration Costs:*

**MWEA/WEF Member - \$180**

**\*Non-member - \$300**

**Exam Prep: Municipal A & B (1-Day) REVIEW**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Drive**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*This intensive 1-day Wastewater A & B Exam Review class is designed for operators who want a focused, high-impact refresher before exam day. Using advanced exam prep materials, the course concentrates on key concepts, calculations, and treatment processes most commonly tested on the EGLE A & B Wastewater Operator Exams, including activated sludge, attached growth systems, nutrient removal, disinfection, solids handling, pumps, hydraulics, and laboratory fundamentals.*

*The class emphasizes practical understanding and exam readiness through targeted problem-solving, process troubleshooting, and test-taking strategies tailored to higher-level certification. Ideal for experienced operators who already have a strong foundation, this one-day session helps sharpen technical knowledge, reinforce critical topics, and build confidence going into the exam.*

*Instructor: Dave Connors*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 WW Technical*

*Code: 3167*

*Registration Costs:*

*MWEA/WEF Member - \$195*

*\*Non-member - \$315*

**Exam Prep: Municipal C & D (1-Day) REVIEW**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Drive**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*This intensive 1-day Wastewater D & C Exam Preparation class is designed to help operators strengthen their knowledge and boost confidence ahead of exam day. The course provides a focused review of essential topics, including calculations, treatment processes, operations, maintenance, laboratory procedures, and safety concepts commonly covered on the exam.*

*Participants will work through practice problems, review real-world scenarios, and gain helpful test-taking strategies to improve speed and accuracy. Whether you're taking the exam for the first time or refreshing your skills, this class offers a practical, comprehensive refresher in a single, efficient day.*

*Includes: Detailed study guides, worksheets, and an EGLE approved scientific calculator.*

*Instructor:*

*Jeff Heston*

*CEC Information:*

*0.6 WW Technical*

*Code: 3168*

*Registration Costs:*

*MWEA/WEF Member - \$195*

*\*Non-member - \$315*

April 30, 2026

**Process & Sustainable Energy Seminar**

**Hilton Garden Inn Lansing West**

**633 N Canal Road**

**Lansing, MI 48917**

**08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Abigail Broxholm, 517 641 7377**

**abroxholm@mi-wea.org**

*The Annual Process and Sustainable Energy Seminar provides a platform for professionals to explore innovative approaches to water treatment and energy management. Through a series of presentations, attendees gain insights into sustainable practices, technological advancements, and regulatory updates, fostering collaboration and knowledge-sharing within the water industry.*

*WHO Should Attend? Engineers, Sales Engineers, Project Managers, Superintendents, Operators, and Directors.*

**THANK YOU to our 2026 Process and Sustainable Energy Seminar SPONSORS**

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May 5, 2026

- May 6, 2026

**Borchardt Conference**

**Rackham Building - University of Michigan**

**915 E Washington St**

**Ann Arbor, MI 48109**

**See Conference Agenda**

*27th Triennial Symposium on Advancements in  
Water & Wastewater*

*May 5-6, 2026 | Rackham Building - University of Michigan*

*Ann Arbor, MI*

*More Information*

*Register Here*

May 12, 2026  
- May 13, 2026

**MWEA Section 21 Annual Wastewater Operators Conference**  
**Island Resort and Casino**  
**W 399 US-2**  
**Harris, MI 49845**  
Varies by day; Local time is EST  
MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377  
dwood@mi-wea.org

*MWEA Local Section 21 Presents*

*70th Annual U.P. Wastewater Operators Conference*

*The seminar provides opportunities for wastewater operators, techs, managers, and environmental professionals to learn about the latest technologies, regulations, best practices, what's happening around the area. Sessions are led by experienced professionals and experts who share valuable insights, case studies, and lessons learned. This provides attendees with practical knowledge that can be applied to their own facilities or operations. Vendors and suppliers often showcase the latest equipment, processes, and problem-solving solutions.*

*Attending the seminar helps build a sense of community among wastewater professionals in Michigan's Upper Peninsula. It fosters relationships that can lead to collaborative problem-solving and support in times of need. Engaging with peers and learning about new advancements and success stories can be motivating and energizing, helping attendees to return to their jobs with renewed enthusiasm and a fresh perspective.*

*AGENDA Coming Soon...*

*THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 Conference SPONSORS*

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May 20, 2026

**32nd Annual MWEA Scholarship Golf Outing**

**Timber Trace Golf Club**

**1 Champions Circle**

**Pinckney, MI 48169**

**07:45 AM - 05:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Sheryl Wicks, 517-641-7377**

**swicks@mi-wea.org**

***Enjoy a Day on the Links with Colleagues!***

*The 32nd Annual Scholarship Fund Golf Outing to benefit 4 MWEA Scholarships:*

- Jack H. Wagner Scholarship*
- John P. Hennessey Scholarship*
- Antenore C. "Butch" Davanzo Scholarship*
- WRRT Future Leader Scholarships*

*Thank You to our EVENT Sponsor(s):*

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*Coming soon*

*Thank you to our HOLE Sponsors:*

*Coming soon*

*Sponsor registration closes Wednesday, May 6th to guarantee printing for event signage!*

*Golfer spots usually sell-out so register soon to guarantee your spot!*

May 27, 2026

**Training: Maintenance Fundamentals 1**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Dr**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Course Title:*

*Fundamentals of Maintenance Practices 1*

*Description:*

*Persons completing this class wil have a better base of knowledge and/or skills towards contribution to the overall success of any maintenance program.*

*Precourse Requirement:*

*None*

*Instructor:*

*Jared Grabinski*

May 28, 2026

**Training: Maintenance Fundamentals 2**

**MWEA Lansing Office (OR via Zoom)**

**5815 Executive Dr**

**Lansing, MI 48911**

**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

*Course Title:*

*Fundamentals of Maintenance Practices 2*

*Description:*

*This course takes the concept of providing proper training for maintenance staff to the next level. After completing this class, attendees will have a better base knowledge of any maintenance program.*

*Precourse Requirement:*

*None ( Maintenance 1 recommended)*

*Instructor:*

*Jared Grabinski*

June 15, 2026  
- June 18, 2026

**? MWEA's 101st Annual Conference**  
**Boyne Mountain Resort**  
**1 Boyne Mountain Rd**  
**Boyne Falls, MI 49713**  
Varies by day  
MWEA, 517-641-7377  
mwea@mi-wea.org  
**\*SAVE-THE-DATE\* Registration opening early 2026!**  
**MWEA's 101st Annual Conference**  
**June 15-18, 2026 | Boyne Falls, MI**  
**Conference, Meals, Exhibits and Lodging: Boyne Mountain Resort**

*NEW for 2026: the conference is shifting to a MONDAY - THURSDAY format.*

**MONDAY, June 15**  
*Golf Scramble*  
*Canoe/Kayak Trip*  
*Welcome Reception*

**TUESDAY, June 16**  
*Opening Session*  
*Technical Sessions*  
*Exhibit Night*

**WEDNESDAY, June 17**  
*Award Ceremonies*  
*Technical Sessions*

**THURSDAY, June 18**  
*Technical Sessions*  
*Closing Session*

*For complete Annual Conference information, visit the main AC webpage.*

June 19, 2026

**Section 7 Annual Golf Outing**  
**Wheatfield Valley Golf Course**  
**1600 Linn Rd**  
**Williamston, MI 48895**  
8:30am Check-in  
Matt Griffith, 517-231-2324  
mgriffith@charlottemi.org  
*Check-in 8:30am | Shotgun at 9:30am*  
*Box lunch at the turn | Steak dinner*  
*and Door prizes!*

*Coming Soon - Pricing and Registration information*

**Training: Purpose and Fundamentals**  
**SHVUA - South Huron Valley Utility Authority**  
**34001 W Jefferson Ave**  
**Rockwood, MI 48173**  
**08:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST**  
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*Instructor: Mark Houle*

August 14, 2026

**? MWEA Member Appreciation Detroit Tigers Game**  
**Comerica Park**  
**2100 Woodward Ave**  
**Detroit, MI 48201**  
**02:30 PM - 11:30 PM EST**  
**Sheryl Wicks, 517-641-7377**  
**swicks@mi-wea.org**  
**MWEA Member Appreciation Event**

*Detroit Tigers vs Chicago White Sox*  
*Friday, August 14th, 2026*

*More details coming soon...*

August 21, 2026

**Section 7 Annual Chicken Barbeque**  
**Fitzgerald Park**  
**100 Fitzgerald Park Dr.**  
**Grand Ledge, MI 48837**  
**10:30 AM - 01:30 PM EST**  
**Matt Griffith, 517-231-2324**  
**mgriffith@charlottemi.org**  
**SAVE THE DATE!**

September 10, 2026

**IPP Seminar**

**Eagle Eye Banquet Center  
15500 Chandler Rd  
Bath, MI 48808**

**08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Caitlin Bowens, 517-641-7377**

**cbowens@mi-wea.org**

*Dive into the future of industrial pretreatment programs (IPP) with the Michigan Water Environment Association (MWEA) at our upcoming seminar. The topics covered range from basic regulatory concepts to interacting with significant industrial users and implementation of successful strategies. Join us for insightful discussions, networking opportunities, and actionable insights that will shape the landscape of industrial wastewater management in Michigan and beyond. Whether you're seeking regulatory guidance or innovative solutions, this seminar is your gateway to staying ahead in the evolving field of environmental stewardship.*

*Who should attend? Professionals involved in industrial pretreatment programs, including wastewater treatment operators, regulatory agency personnel, environmental managers, and engineers.*

*[Click here to view the agenda](#)*

**THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 IPP SEMINAR SPONSORS**

**Sponsor spots available until 9/03/26**

**THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 IPP SEMINAR EXHIBITORS**

October 8, 2026

**MWEA Northern MI WW Operations Seminar**

**Jay's Sporting Goods - Gaylord**

**1151 S. Otsego Ave.**

**Gaylord, MI 49735**

**08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

**SAVE THE DATE for the 2026 Northern MI WW Operations Seminar!**

*Expert-Led Sessions | Continuing Education | Networking | Employee Engagement*

*The seminar provides opportunities for wastewater operators, techs, managers, and environmental professionals to learn about the latest technologies, regulations, best practices, what's happening around Northern Michigan. Sessions are led by experienced professionals and experts who share valuable insights, case studies, and lessons learned. This provides attendees with practical knowledge that can be applied to their own facilities or operations. Vendors and suppliers often showcase the latest equipment, processes, and problem-solving solutions.*

*Attending the seminar helps build a sense of community among wastewater professionals in Northern Michigan. It fosters relationships that can lead to collaborative problem-solving and support in times of need. Engaging with peers and learning about new advancements and success stories can be motivating and energizing, helping attendees to return to their jobs with renewed enthusiasm and a fresh perspective.*

October 9, 2026

**Long John Classic MWEA Section 7 Eli Wygant Annual Golf Outing**

**Wheatfield Valley Golf Course**

**1600 Linn Rd**

**Williamston, MI 48895**

**TBD**

**Matt Griffith, 517-231-2324**

**mgriffith@charlottemi.org**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

October 15, 2026

**Collections Seminar**

**Hilton Garden Inn Lansing West**

**633 N Canal Road**

**Lansing, MI 48917**

**07:30 AM - 04:00 PM EST**

**MWEA Sheryl Wicks, 517 641 7377**

**swicks@mi-wea.org**

**SAVE THE DATE for MWEA Collections Seminar!**

*Attendees will gain valuable knowledge on the latest techniques, technologies, and best practices for efficient and effective wastewater collection system operations. The seminar also offers opportunities to network with peers and industry experts, enhancing professional development and operational skills.*

*WHO should attend? The MWEA Collections Seminar is designed for professionals involved in the maintenance and management of wastewater collection systems including: Operators, Maintenance Personnel, Engineers, and Supervisors/Managers*

*More Details to Come...*

October 28, 2026

**MWEA / MI-AWWA Maintenance Seminar**

**Eagle Eye Banquet Facility**

**15500 Chandler Rd**

**Bath, MI 48808**

**08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST**

**MWEA - Dan Wood, 517-641-7377**

**dwood@mi-wea.org**

**SAVE THE DATE for the 2026 Maintenance Seminar!**

*Expert-Led Sessions | Problem Solving | Networking | Employee Engagement*

*This seminar offers a chance to learn about the latest trends, technologies, and best practices in water and wastewater maintenance. The event features presentations and demos led by industry experienced professionals who provide valuable insights into practical challenges and solutions. Vendors and suppliers often showcase the latest equipment, tools, and software solutions.*

*The seminar provides a platform to connect with other professionals in the field, such as operators, maintenance personnel, engineers, and utility managers. Networking can lead to sharing experiences, forming partnerships, and staying updated on industry trends. Engaging with peers and learning about new advancements and success stories can be motivating and energizing, helping attendees to return to their jobs with renewed enthusiasm and a fresh perspective.*

December 11, 2026

**Local Section 7 - Christmas Celebration**

**World Buffet & Grill**

**5002 W. Saginaw Hwy**

**Lansing, MI 48917**

**TBD**

**Matt Griffith, 517-231-2324**

**mgriffith@charlottemi.org**

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February 9, 2027  
- February 10, 2027

**? 2027 Joint Expo & Operator Days**  
**Lansing Center**  
**333 E. Michigan Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48933**  
Various Start Times (select on registration)  
MWEA, 517-641-7377  
mwea@mi-wea.org  
*Save-the-Date for the 2027 Joint Expo & Operator Days - Feb 9 & 10 in Lansing!*

*All drinking water and wastewater employees, including operators, supervisors, lab techs, maintenance techs and superintendents should plan to attend this annual training event. Two days of quality content in both Technical AND Managerial, followed by access to the expo hall floor with over 150 vendors! Also use this link if you are only coming for the expo hall to walk the floor.*

*Continuing Education Credits (CECs) or Professional Development Hours (PDHs)*

*Information coming soon!*

**Attendee Cost**

*Information coming soon!*

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February 8, 2028  
- February 9, 2028

**? 2028 Joint Expo & Operator Days**  
**Lansing Center**  
**333 E. Michigan Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48933**  
Various Start Times (select on registration)  
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mwea@mi-wea.org  
*Save-the-Date for the 2028 Joint Expo & Operator Days - Feb 8 & 9 in Lansing!*

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February 13, 2029  
- February 14, 2029

**? 2029 Joint Expo & Operator Days**  
**Lansing Center**  
**333 E. Michigan Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48933**  
Various Start Times (select on registration)  
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mwea@mi-wea.org  
*Save-the-Date for the 2029 Joint Expo & Operator Days - Feb 13 & 14 in Lansing!*

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February 12, 2030  
- February 13, 2030

**? 2030 Joint Expo & Operator Days**  
**Lansing Center**  
**333 E. Michigan Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48933**  
Various Start Times (select on registration)  
MWEA, 517-641-7377  
mwea@mi-wea.org  
*Save-the-Date for the 2030 Joint Expo & Operator Days - Feb 12 & 13 in Lansing!*

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