

2024 Annual Conference - Mississippi Rural Water Association, Inc

Tuesday, May 28, 2024

11:00AM – 4:00PM	REGISTRATION
DUAL HOURS TODAY	
1:00-2:00 PM	Cybersecurity - Greg Mallette, US Department of Homeland Security 1 Reg Water & 1 DEQ Sponsored
2:00-3:00 PM	MS811: Call Before You Dig - Bill Rutledge, MS811 1 Non-Reg Water & 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored
3:00-3:15 PM	BREAK
3:15-4:00 PM	EPA Emergency Preparedness – Karen Edwards-Lindsey, EPA 1 Reg Water & 1 DEQ Sponsored
4:00-5:00 PM	Work Site Safety – Jimmy Dale Thomas 1 Non-Reg Water & 1 DEQ Sponsored

Wednesday, May 29, 2024

9:00 AM	Golf Tournament - The Oaks Golf Club
DUAL HOURS FROM 8:00 – 9:45 AM	
8:00-9:45 AM	Electrical Control Panel Safety & Troubleshooting - Billy LeBlanc, Hancock County W & S 2 Non-Reg Water & 2 DEQ Non-Sponsored
9:45-10:00 AM	BREAK

WATER ROOM		WASTEWATER ROOM	
10:00AM-Noon	Lead & Copper Lead Services Line Inventory Thomas Long, MSDH 2 Reg Water	10:00-11:00 AM	Tracking COVID-19 through Wastewater Surveillance Mike Garcia, National Wastewater Surveillance System 1 DEQ Sponsored
		11:00AM-Noon	Poly Form Concrete Repair Brian Chisholm - Helms Polyfoam 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored

12:00-1:00 PM	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN		
1:00-2:00 PM	PFAs/UCMR Thomas Long, MSDH 1 Reg Water	1:00-2:45 PM	Active Sludge/Reducing Ammonia Pat Beamon, Arch Solutions 2 DEQ Non-Sponsored
2:00-2:45 PM	THM Removal Tracy Fearnley – USG Water 1 Non-Reg Water		

2:45-3:00 PM	BREAK		
3:00-4:00 PM	Water Quality Issues Tracy Fearnley – USG Water 1 Reg Water	3:00-5:00 PM	Diffused Aeration/Lagoon Profiling Jerry Bidleman, Reliant Technology 2 DEQ Sponsored
4:00 – 5:00 PM	Water Analytics for Operators Carolyne Robichaux – ABB 1 Non-Reg Water		

5:00 PM	MsRWA Cornhole Tournament proceeds to benefit MsRWA Scholarship @ Point Cadet Pavilion		
6:00 PM	SHRIMP BOIL & FISH FRY @ POINT CADET PAVILION		

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Thursday, May 30, 2024			
7:30 AM	EXHIBIT HALL OPEN – CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST		
DUAL HOURS-ALL DAY			
8:00-11:00 AM	Opening Session Welcome - MsRWA President, Everette Hill Recognition of Associate VIP Members - Kirby Mayfield & MsRWA Scholarship Recipients- Shelley Ellard Rural Water Future & Focus -Paul Fulgham – National Rural Water Director, Utah Are you ON FIRE or Just Plain BURNED OUT?- Dr Chuck Jackson Legislative Updates for Systems – Kirby Mayfield, CEO Meet your Public Service Commissioners PFAs Update 3 Non-Reg Water & 2 DEQ Sponsored and 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored		
10:45 – 11:00 AM	BREAK		
11:15AM -Noon	Family Feud Game in Exhibit Hall-Water/Wastewater Style – Prizes Awarded You <u>MUST</u> Scan In and Out for Hours 1 Reg Water & 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored		
12:00-1:00 PM	LUNCH IN EXHIBIT HALL		
1:00-2:00 PM	Emergency Tool Box for Operators Using SCADA Steve Luckett, Luckett Pump & Well Service 1 Reg Water & 1 DEQ Sponsored		
2:00-3:00 PM	Family Feud Game in Exhibit Hall-Water/Wastewater Style – Prizes Awarded You <u>MUST</u> Scan In and Out for Hours 1 Non-Reg Water & 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored		
3:00-3:45 PM	State Revolving Loan Fund & USDA Rural Development Loan & Grant Program Harry Gong, MSDH & Edgar Grayer, Jr., USDA 1 Reg Water & 1 DEQ Sponsored		
3:45 – 4:00 PM	BREAK		
4:00 – 5:00 PM	Asset Management Jim Higgins – Southern Corrosion 1 Reg Water	4:00 – 5:00 PM	Collections Systems Andy Graham-MsRWA 1 DEQ Non-Sponsored
5:00 PM	ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING – DRAWING FOR \$500.00 GIFT CARD		
Friday, May 31, 2024			
7:30 AM	EXHIBIT HALL OPEN – CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST		
DUAL HOURS TODAY			
8:00-9:45 AM	EXHIBIT HALL - BOOTH TRAINING Sign-in at Booths to receive hours. 2 Non-Reg Water & 2 DEQ Non-Sponsored		
9:45-10:00 AM	BREAK		
10:00 AM-Noon	ARPA Updates & Round Table Discussion w/MDEQ & MsRWA Ashley Fontaine-Fontaine Engineering, Matthew Carr/Payden Donahoe-MDEQ & Kirby Mayfield-MsRWA 2 Reg Water & 2 DEQ Sponsored		
12:00 PM	LUNCH & DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS		
TOTAL WATER HOURS 12 Regulatory & 12 Non-Regulatory = 24 Total		TOTAL WASTEWATER HOURS 12 Sponsored & 12 Non-Sponsored DEQ = 24 Total	