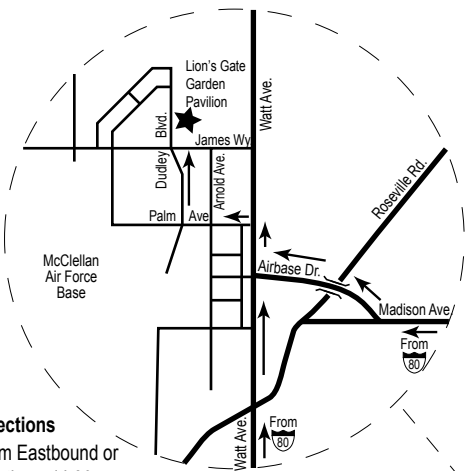


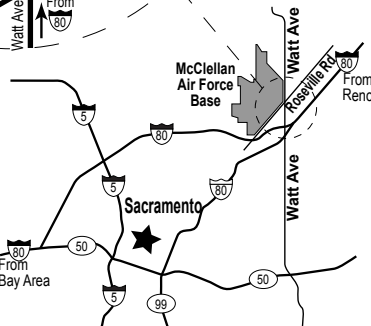
CVCWA 2009 Training Conference May 21, 2009

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Grand Ballroom A and B
Lions Gate - Garden Pavilion
5640 Dudley Boulevard
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- Pre-Registration (by May 15) \$95
- On-Site Registration \$120
- Regulators (State & Federal) No Charge

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Conference attendees are eligible to receive Continuing Education Units (CEUs), provided they attend the entire conference and obtain the appropriate verification stamp.

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Conference Program

8:30–Registration (30 min)

Morning Moderator:

Debbie Webster–CVCWA Executive Officer

9:00–Introductions (10 min)

9:10–Focus: Proposition 218

Prop. 218 Case Study–Persevering After an Initial “No” Vote, Joan Phillipe–City of Colfax (20 min)

Prop. 218 Legal Perspective, Tess Dunham–Somach, Simmons and Dunn (20 min)

Prop. 218 Case Study–Community Outreach for Regionalization or Expansion, Michelle White–Placer County (20 min)

Q&A Session (30 min)

10:40–Break (20 min)

11:00–Focus: Managing Tight Budgets

Addressing Funding Needs in Difficult Financial Times, Tom Gaffney–Bartle Wells (20 min)

Project Implementation in a Tough Economy, Ken Stram & Roger Kohne–Psomas (20 min)

Roseville’s New “Normal”, Art O’Brien–City of Roseville (20 min)

Q&A Session (30 min)

12:30–Lunch (45 min)

Afternoon Moderator:

Steve Hogg–CVCWA Board Chair, City of Fresno

1:15–Funding Opportunities Through the State Revolving Fund, Chris Stevens–SWRCB (40 min w/ Q&A)

1:55–Facing Regulatory Challenges in Today’s Economy, Pamela Creedon–CVRWQCB (40 min w/ Q&A)

2:35–Group Discussion (25 min)

3:00–Closing



CVCWA’s Annual Training Conference provides valuable wastewater industry insight and information for City Managers, Public Works Directors, City and District Chief Engineers, Regulators, Consultants, Council Board Members, and Wastewater Industry Professionals

Message from the Conference Chair

2009 has proven to be an extremely challenging year for all of us. We are all currently faced with the daunting task of slashing expenses, reducing resources and cutting positions while finding some way to continue to provide effective wastewater treatment and comply with regulations.

This year’s conference is tailored to providing a variety of tools and approaches for addressing this pressing challenge, and to generate productive and interactive discussion. The morning program focuses on two core topics relating to wastewater industry financial challenges. Each topic will be addressed by three speakers providing different perspectives on the issue, followed by a group Q&A discussion with the audience. The afternoon program consists of two speakers from the regulatory arena, providing valuable and timely perspectives on state funding and discharge regulations.

During conference planning, we surveyed our member agencies and found that most were implementing new restrictions on conference attendance due to budget cuts. While our conferences have always been a great value, the survey indicated that some reduction in the registration fee may help agencies to justify greater attendance during this particularly difficult year. In response to this feedback, several of our affiliate members provided conference sponsorship in order to help us reduce the registration fees. These contributors are listed on the outside back page of the flyer. Please join us in thanking them for their generous assistance!

I wish to thank everyone who is contributing to the success of this year’s conference, especially our great speakers, and I look forward to seeing everyone at the conference!

Bill Slenter

CVCWA Outreach Committee Chair