

2025

Central States Water Environment Association - Illinois Section

ILLINOIS COLLECTION SYSTEMS CONFERENCE

In Association With:
Illinois Association of Wastewater Agencies
American Public Works Association – Chicago Metro Chapter

Northern Illinois University
Conference Center
1120 E. Diehl Rd. – Naperville, IL
MONDAY JULY 14TH, 2025

**EARN 4.5 PDHs
4.0 Continuing Education Units (CEUs)**

REGISTER TODAY!

[https://cswea.org/illinois/events/
upcoming-events/](https://cswea.org/illinois/events/upcoming-events/)

Conference Registration Cost:
\$75 in advance or \$85
(Check Only) at the door

Operator Training:
\$40 in advance or \$50
(Check Only) at the door



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| 7:30 - 8:20 | Registration, Breakfast, and Visit Exhibitors |
| 8:20 - 8:30 | Welcome and Introductions |
| 8:30 - 9:00 | Seeing the Benefits of Green Infrastructure at the Sewer Meter
Eric Carson, Mead & Hunt |
| 9:00 - 9:45 | Northwest Pump Station: 20" Ductile Iron Force Main Rehabilitation
Tony Conn, City of Naperville |
| 9:45 - 10:00 | Vendor Presentations |
| 10:00 - 10:30 | Networking Break and Visit Exhibitors |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | Advancing Wastewater Regionalization in Northern Illinois: A Roadmap Through Partnership, Lessons Learned, and Future Opportunity
Onassis Rivera, Kishwaukee Water Reclamation District |
| 11:00 - 11:45 | Examining Private Property Retrofit Program - Successes and Challenges
Jim Sparber, Greenprint Partners |
| 11:45 - 12:00 | Vendor Presentations |
| 12:00 - 12:45 | Lunch and Visit Exhibitors |
| 12:45 - 1:30 | Outside Presentations |
| 1:30 - 2:00 | Protective Lining Technologies for Rehabilitation of Sanitary Manhole Structures
Sean Meracle & Kevin Zei, The Sherwin-Williams Company |
| 2:00 - 2:30 | Modern Tools for Municipal Challenges: LiDAR, Hobbit Doors, and Pollution Tracing
David Partridge & Tom Romza, RJN Group |
| 2:30 - 3:00 | Line Strike Prevention, Past and Present Technologies
Andy LeJuene, Jim Jolly Sales, Inc |
| 3:30 - 5:30 | YP Happy Hour – (See CSWEA Upcoming Events Webpage for Registration/Details) |

CSWEA Certified Operator Training Course # To Be Provided Math II – 4.5 CEUs

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| 8:00 - 8:30 | Registration (Continental Breakfast) |
| 8:30 - 12:00 | Class |
| 11:45 - 1:15 | Lunch (Provided) |
| 1:15 - 3:00 | Exam and Review |

