

2009 Operator Training Calendar

Water and Wastewater Assistance



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Mid-year Update



GOVERNMENT AND NON-PROFIT TRAINING AGENCIES

AWWA	American Water Works Association	Rick Harmon	6666 W. Quincy Ave. Denver, CO 80235	(303) 794-7711 (303) 347-0804 fax	www.awwa.org
BPECC	Backflow Prevention Education Council of Colorado	Sandy Lawson	P O. Box 1934 Arvada, CO 80001-1934	(719) 593-7315 (719) 535-8227 fax	www.bpecc.org
CBPA	Colorado Backflow Prevention Association	Fred Spengler	P.O. Box 2121 Wheat Ridge, CO 80034-2121	(303) 537-0126 (303) 537-0129 fax	www.backflow.org
CDPHE	Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment	Margo Griffin	4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, CO 80246-1530	(303) 692-3607	www.cdphe.state.co.us
CECTI	Colorado Environmental Certification Testing Inc.	Tom Settle	2170 S. Parker Road, #290 Denver, CO 80231	(303) 394-8994 (303) 394-3450 fax	www.geteams.com/CECTI.htm
CETC	Colorado Environmental Training Center, Water Quality Management Program	Mike Smith Linda Himmelbauer	Red Rocks Community College Water Quality Management Program 13300 W. 6th Ave. Lakewood, CO 80228-1255	(303) 914-6325 (303) 312-7084 fax	www.rrcc.edu/wqm/index.html
CML	Colorado Municipal League	Kevin Bommer	1144 Sherman St. Denver, CO 80203-2207	(303) 831-6411 (303) 860-8175 fax	www.cml.org
CRWA	Colorado Rural Water Association	Rich Hayes	176 West Palmer Lake Drive Pueblo West, CO 81007	(719) 545-6748	www.crwa.net
CWCB	Colorado Water Conservation Board	Veva McCaig	1313 Sherman St., Rm. 721 Denver, CO 80203	(303) 866-3339 (303) 866-4474 fax	www.cwcb.state.co.us
CSU	Dept. of Civil Engineering	Tom Sanders	Colorado State University Ft. Collins, CO 80523	(970) 491-5448	www.engr.colostate.edu/ce
CWC	Colorado Water Congress	Doug Kemper	1580 Logan Street, Suite 400 Denver, CO 80203	(303) 837-0812	www.cowatercongress.org
CWDWCS	Colorado Water Distribution and Wastewater Collection Systems Certification Council	Ray Olsen	10858 Bobcat Terrace Littleton, CO 80124	(720) 733-6049	www.geteams.com/cd.htm
CWW	Colorado Water Workshop	Jerry Frank	Water Workshop-Kelly Hall Western State College Gunnison, CO 81231	(970) 943-3162	www.western.edu/water
DOLA	Department of Local Affairs	Barry Cress	1313 Sherman Street, Room #521 Denver, CO. 80203	(303) 866-2352 (303) 866-4819 fax	www.dola.colorado.gov

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OCPO	Operator Certification Program Office	Teresa Tezak	2170 S. Parker Road, Suite 290 Denver, CO 80231	(303) 394-8994 (303) 394-3450 fax	www.ocpoweb.com
RMSAWWA/ Action Now	Rocky Mtn. Section American Water Works Association – Action Now	Jan Cranor	Denver Water Department 1600 W. 12th Ave. Denver, CO 80254	(303) 628-6352	www.rmsawwa.net
RMWEA/PWO	Rocky Mountain Water Environment Association, Prof. Wastewater Operators	Julie Smith	Miller Coors Plant Engineer 531 Saulsbury Street Lakewood, CO 80226	(303) 277-5630	www.rmwea.org
RMWEA/LOTCC	Rocky Mountain Water Environment Association, Leadville Operators Training School	Jim Medlock	Littleton/Englewood WWTP 2900 So. Platte River Drive Englewood, CO 80110	(303) 783-6843	www.rmwea.org
RMWQAA	Rocky Mtn. Water Quality Analyst Association,	Stephen Ellis	SACWSD P.O. Box 597 Commerce City, CO 80037	(720) 206-0463 (303) 289-7976 fax	www.rmwwaa.org
RMW & WWPOS	Rocky Mtn. Water & Wastewater Plant Operator's School	Tricia Hamilton	CU Conference Services, University of Colorado at Boulder 454 UCB Boulder, CO 80309-0454	(303) 492-5151 (303) 492-5959 fax	www.waterwastewater.org
RRCC	Rocky Mountain Education Center	Jennifer Fox	Red Rocks Community College Water Quality Management Program 13300 W. 6th Ave. Lakewood, CO 80228-1255	(303) 914-6420 (303) 980-8339 fax	www.rrcc.edu/rmec
SDA	Special District Assoc. of Colorado	Donna Alengi	225 E. 16th Ave., #1000 Denver, CO 80203	(303) 863-1733	www.sdaco.org
WWFOCB	Colorado Water and Wastewater Facility Operators Certification Board	Heather Wilcox	4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, CO 80246-1530	(303) 692-3469 (303) 691-7702 fax	www.cdphs.state.co.us


To find additional information on Operator Certification and training units check the Colorado Water and Wastewater Facility Operator Certification Board website at www.cdphs.state.co.us/op/ocb/index.html and the Operator Certification Program Office website at <http://www.ocpoweb.com>. In addition to the classes listed in this calendar, Red Rocks Community College in Lakewood offers degree courses in water quality management. Also, through the RMWEA, online self-paced training courses are available - check it out at the www.rmwea.org website.

Front Cover: Plant operator Roy Sanchez stands before the coagulation tank at the City of Alamosa's new membrane filtration drinking water treatment plant. The City used funding through an \$11.8 million dollar loan approval from the Colorado Drinking Water Revolving Fund to help finance the project.



January 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				Happy New Year 	2	3
4	5	6 CRWA - Compliance Calendaring/CCRs/ Basic Math 1.1 Fort Morgan	7	8 CRWA - Compliance Calendaring/CCRs/ Basic Math 1.1 Grand Junction	9	10
11	12	13	14 CRWA - Compliance Calendaring/CCRs/ Basic Math 1.1 Durango	15 CRWA - Compliance Calendaring/CCRs/ Basic Math 1.1 Pueblo West	16	17
18	19 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	20 RRCC - Spring Semester Begins	21	22 CRWA-Comp. Cal/ CCR's/Basic Math - Rifle Action Now—Canon City	23 OCPO - Certification Exams Boulder, C, D, TNC, S Small Systems	24 OCPO— Certification Exams – Denver All Treatment Levels
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin: 5px auto; width: 80%;"> CRWA - A&B Advanced Operator Training & Certification Workshop — Pueblo West - January 19-23 </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin: 5px auto; width: 60%;"> RMW & WWPOS Fundamentals School - Boulder - January 19-23 </div>						
25	26	27	28	29 CRWA - Pumps, PRV's- Salida	30	31
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin: 5px auto; width: 80%;"> CWC Annual Conference - Denver January 28-30 </div>						


February 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 CRWA — Certification Workshop — All Levels - Math, Regs.— Pueblo West	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 Lincoln's Birthday	13	14 Valentine's Day 
15 OCPO - Application deadline for Collection & Distribution Spring Exams	16 Presidents' Day	17	18	19 RMWEA/PWO - Wastewater Treatment Seminar - Denver	20 OCPO - Certification Exams - Dist & Collection, All Treatment Levels - Colo. Springs	21
CRWA Annual Training Conference & Exhibition - Crowne Plaza Hotel, Colorado Springs February 15-20						
22 Washington's Birthday	23	24	25 Ash Wednesday	26 Action Now - Fort Collins CRWA - Motors, Drivers, VFD's & Electronic Controls, SCADA - Alamosa	27	28

March 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 CRWA - Capacity Development Workshop – Lamar	6	7
8 Daylight Saving Time Begins	9	10	11	12	13 CRWA-Certification Review & Exam - Ft. Morgan	14 OCPO - Cert. Exams - All Treatment Levels — Ft. Morgan
15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day 	18	19 CRWA - Motors, Drives, VFD's, SCDA - Pueblo West RMWEA/PWO—Ind. Wastewater Treatment Seminar—Golden	20 Spring Begins 	21
22	23	24	25	26 Action Now - Montrose	27 OCPO Certification Exams - C, D, TNC, Small Sys. Boulder	28
RMW & WWPOS - Intermediate & Advanced School Broomfield March 23-27						
29	30	31				

April 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 April Fool's Day	2 CRWA - Certification Workshop - All Levels - Math, Regs, - Delta	3	4
5	6 RRCC– Summer Semester Enrollment Begins	7	8	9	10 OCPO Certification Exams - All Treatment Levels - Denver	11 OCPO Certification Exams - All Treatment Levels - Rifle
					CRWA – Certification Review & Exam - Rifle	
12 Easter 	13 RRCC– Fall Semester Enrollment Begins	14	15	16	17 RMWQAA - 2009 Symposium - Estes Park	18
		CRWA - Wastewater Certification Review - Pueblo West - April 14 - 17				
19	20	21	22 Earth Day	23 Action Now - Sterling	24	25 OCPO - Certification Exams - All Treatment Levels Pueblo West
		CRWA - Water Certification Review - Pueblo West - April 21 - 24				
26	27	28	29	30 CRWA - Filter Performance Enhancement Techniques - Pueblo West		


May 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7 CRWA - Operator Math & Op- erator Chemistry - Glenwood Springs	8 CWDWCS - Distribution & Col- lection - Pueblo	9 CWDWCS - Certification Exams - Distribution & Collec- tion - Montrose
10 Mother's Day 	11	12 RRCC - Spring Semester Ends	13	14	15 CWDWCS - Certifi- cation Exams Distri- bution & Collection - Longmont	16
17	18	19	20	21 CRWA — Water Well Operation & Mainte- nance - Lamar	22 RMWEA/PWO - Wastewater Treat- ment Seminar - Cas- tle Rock	23
24	25 Memorial Day 	26	27	28 Action Now - Durango CRWA -Filter Perform- ance Enhancement Tech- niques - Pagosa Springs	29	30
31						

June 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 OCPO – Application Deadline for Water/WW Treatment Fall Exams RRCC -Summer Semester Begins	2	3	4 CRWA - Laboratory Procedures for Compliance Testing Pueblo West	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 CRWA- Pumps, PRVs - Sterling	12	13
14 Flag Day	15	16	17	18 CRWA– Motors Drives, VFDs & Elec- tronic Controls, SCADA - Craig	19	20
CML Annual Conference - Vail - June 16-19						
21 Father's Day Summer Begins 	22	23	24	25 Action Now – Steamboat Springs	26	27
28	29	30				

July 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 <i>Independence Day</i> 
5	6	7 CRWA— Applied basic treatment math - Ft. Morgan	8 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">CRWA – CCC & Backflow Prevention Fundamentals - Pueblo West — July 8 - 9</div>	9 CRWA - Energy audits, cert. update, Springfield	10	11
12	13	14 CRWA— Applied basic treatment math - Grand Jct.	15	16 CRWA— Pumps, PRVs— Durango	17	18
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">CRWA – CCC & Backflow Tester Certification & Exam - Pueblo West - July 13 - 18</div>						
19	20	21 CRWA— Chlorination - Rifle Math - Montrose	22 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">CWW - Gunnison - July 22 - 24</div>	23 Action Now - Glenwood Springs	24 RMWEA/PWO - Water, WW training - Durango OCPO - Certification Exams - C, D, TNC, Small Systems — Leadville	25 OCPO - Certification Exams - Treatment - All Levels - Leadville
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">RMWEA/LOTTC (Leadville Operators Training Conference) CMC - Leadville - July 20-24</div>						
26	27	28 CRWA— Applied basic treatment math - Trinidad	29	30 CRWA— Membrane and RO Filtration & Tour - Alamosa	31	


August 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 RRCC - Summer Semester Ends	3	4 CRWA - Lab Procedures - Denver	5	6 CRWA - Planning and Mapping - Craig CRWA - Energy audits - Sterling	7	8
CRWA – CCC & Backflow Tester Certification & Test - Pueblo West - August 3 - 8						
9	10	11	12	13 CRWA - Full Cost Pricing - Pueblo West RMSAWWA - Reuse workshop - Golden	14	15 OCPO - Application Deadline for Collec- tion & Distribution Fall Exams
16	17	18 CRWA - Multiple Barrier Protection - Ft. Morgan	19	20	21	22 OCPO - Cert. Exams - All Treatment Levels — Durango
			CRWA CCC & Backflow Program Develop- ment - Pueblo West - August 19 - 20			
			CWC Summer Convention - Steamboat Springs - August 19 - 21			
23/30	24/31	25	26	27 Action Now - Ala- mosa; CRWA - Pumps, PRVs - La Junta; RMSAWWA - Distribu- tion System Workshop - Steamboat Springs	28	29


September 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 CRWA - Water Basic Math - Delta	2	3 CRWA - Energy Audits & Cost Control - Rifle	4	5
		CRWA - CCC & Backflow Prev. Hazard Evaluation Pueblo West - September 1-2				
6	7 Labor Day	8	9 CRWA - Backflow Device Winteriza- tion - Pueblo West	10	11	12
		CRWA - Operator Training & Certification. Review - Water - Pueblo West - Sept. 8-11				
13	14 CRWA - Water Basic Math - Walsenburg	15	16	17	18	19 OCPO - Certification Exams - Treatment - All Levels - Pueblo West
RMSAWWA-RMWEA - Annual Conference - Albuquerque - September 13 -16			CRWA - CCC & Backflow Prevention Fundamentals Pueblo West Sept. 16th - 18th			
20	21	22 CRWA - Water Basic Math - Brush	23	24 CRWA - Capac- ity Dev.- Springfield	25	26
		SDA - Annual Conference - Keystone - Sept. 23 - 25				
	CRWA - CCC & Backflow Tester Certification Class/Exam - Pueblo West - September 21st - 26th					
27	28	29 CRWA - Water Basic Math - Meeker CRWA - Planning & Mapping - Pueblo West	30			

October 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 CRWA - Planning & Mapping - Pueblo West CRWA - Energy Audits & Cost Control - Durango	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		CRWA - Back Flow Program Development - Pueblo West - October 6th - 8th				
11	12 Columbus Day	13	14 CRWA - Ammonia Removal - Pueblo West	15 CRWA - Planning a System Mapping Project - Pagosa Springs	16 OCPO - Certification Exams - Treatment - All Levels - Longmont	17
18	19	20	21	22 Action Now - Lamar CRWA - Hydrants & Valves - Durango	23 RMWEA - PWO wkshp - Estes Park CRWA - MultiBarrier Protection - Alamosa	24
		CRWA - CCC & Backflow Tester Certification Class/Exam - Pueblo West - October 19th - 24th				
25	26	27	28	29	30 OCPO - Certification Exams - Treatment, Dist., Coll. - All Levels - Grand Junction	31 Halloween 
	CRWA - Fall Conference - Grand Junction - October 26 - 30					

November 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Daylight Savings Time Ends	2	3 CRWA - Applied Water Treatment Math - Pueblo West	4	5 CRWA - Cap Dev. & Security - Longmont	6	7
8	9	10 CRWA - Applied Water Treatment Math - Rifle	11 Veterans Day	12 CRWA - Large Valve Repair - Pueblo West	13	14
15	16	17 CRWA - Applied Water Treatment Math - Sterling	18 CRWA - Hydrants & Brass - Glenwood Spgs	19 Action Now - Grand Junction CRWA - Cap Dev. & Security - Loveland	20	21
CRWA - CCC Backflow Tester Certification Class/Exam - Pueblo West - November 16th - 20th						
22	23	24 CRWA - Applied Water Treatment Math - Alamosa	25	26 Thanksgiving 	27	28
29	30					

December 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 OCPO - Application Dead- line for W & WW Treat- ment Spring Exams CRWA - Data Logging — Ft. Morgan	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 CRWA - Hydrants & Brass - Durango	9	10 CRWA - Cap Dev. & Reg. Update - Pagosa Springs	11	12
CRWA - CCC & Backflow Tester Certification Class/Exam - Greeley - December 7 - 12th						
13	14	15 CRWA - Data Log- ging - Pueblo West	16	17 CRWA - Cap Dev. & Security - La Junta	18	19
20	21 Winter Begins 	22	23	24	25 Christmas 	26
27	28	29	30	31		