

## Montana Fall Water School December 9 and 10, 2020

On-line Training and Continuing Education For Montana's Water and Wastewater Operators

## Register at

http://ato.montana.edu/waterschool/register

Department of Civil Engineering

Operators are critical to the success of Montana's water and wastewater systems and the communities they support. The Montana Water and Wastewater Operators Initiative (MW<sup>2</sup>OI) is a collaborative effort between the Montana Department of Environmental Quality, the Department of Civil Engineering at Montana State University and the Montana's water and wastewater professional organizations to provide the most comprehensive training possible for Montana's operators.

The Fall Water School offered this year by the MW<sup>2</sup>OI continues the long tradition of operator training at Montana State University. Due to the restrictions and uncertainties caused by COVID 19, this year's Water School will be offered virtual over two day allowing operators around the state to participate in training and meet their system obligations. The theme for this year's Fall Water School is "Optimization and Resiliency". Leading speakers from around the state and the nation will provide operators with important training to improve the operation of Montana's water and wastewater systems.

## Agenda

On Wednesday, December 9, virtual sessions focused on water systems will include:

- Kevin Morley (American Water Works Association) Water and wastewater system resiliency – key concepts for uncertain times
- Todd Brewer (American Water Works Association) Water Treatment Plant Optimization – Demonstrating performance
- Nick Pizzi (American Water Works Association Training) Chemical metering systems in water treatment and distribution
- John Alston (Bozeman Water). Lessons learned from Bozeman's water system expansion

On Thursday, December 10, virtual sessions focused on wastewater systems will include:

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- Steve Harris (H&S Environmental, LLC) Optimization of Wastewater Lagoon Systems
- Kevin Morley (American Water Works Association) Water and wastewater system resiliency key concepts for uncertain times
- Grant Weaver (Clean Water Ops) Montana's Experience with Wastewater Treatment Nutrient Removal

The Fall Water School web site (insert link here) lists the times, course descriptions and speaker biographies.

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## **Registration and Fees**

All sessions will be delivered by MSU's Academic Technology and Outreach Program (ATO). Fall Water School Participants can register on line at:

Insert live web-site link here

Operators registering for the Fall Water School will have access to all of the presentations real time, as well as access to recordings of each session through December.

Registration for the Fall Water School is \$100