



**SASKATCHEWAN ASSOCIATION OF
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Dear SARWP Annual Seminar Attendees:

**Our Annual Seminar will be held on :
Tuesday, December 6th and Wednesday, December 7th, 2022**

***** PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL CEU TRAINING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY (ONLY). *****

Our seminar is again being held at the Park Town Hotel in downtown Saskatoon!
The Park Town Hotel is located at 924 Spadina Crescent East, Saskatoon, SK S7K 3H5.

This seminar has proven to be very valuable and informative to Utility Board attendees in the past and we are confident that this seminar will be just as great!!

A block of rooms have been set aside for those attending the seminar at a rate of:

Standard Queen Room \$129.00 plus taxes	Executive King Room \$139.00 plus taxes
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The current above ground parking rate is included in the cost of your guest room. Heated underground parking is available at \$10.00 + tax per day. Please call the front desk at the Park Town Hotel at 1-800-667-3999 (or local in Saskatoon at 306-244-5564) to reserve your rooms. You will have until **November 20, 2022** to book under our guest room block. There is no group number – just ask for the Sask. Rural Water Pipelines group block. **Please indicate that you are attending the SARWP seminar.**

Continuing Education Units (CEU)

SARWP will be offering **Continuing Education Units (CEU)** for your operators. The Drinking Water Regulations, Article 68 indicates that a certified operator must earn 0.5 CEU per year that the certificate is valid (two-year certificate) **1.0 CEU over a two-year period.** SARWP has arranged to offer 0.6 CEU this year. We will be holding the CEU training on Tuesday, December 6th, 2022.

This CEU workshop will be presented by the Advanced Municipal Solutions Inc. on **Tuesday, December 6th, 2022 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** The workshop is being held in the Oak Room (downstairs).

Understanding Regulations - 0.6 CEU

This workshop gives the attendee a better understanding of the regulatory requirements under federal and provincial legislation as it applies to the water and wastewater utility. The federal Drinking Water Quality Guidelines, The Wastewater System Effluent Regulations and the Provincial Waterworks, and Sewage Works Regulations will be discussed in detail during this 6-hour workshop. As part of the SARWP Seminar, there will be added focus on distribution and pipeline regulatory requirements. There will be time for a Q&A period at the end of the workshop.

Application to Operator Certification Board has been submitted for 0.6 CEU accreditation for this workshop

Lunch will be provided.

The cost to take this course is: **\$150.00 for SARWP members** and **\$200.00 for non-members**, which includes lunch on Tuesday and two coffee breaks. If you would like your operator to attend, please fill in the **separate** Registration form for CEU Training. If your operator is planning on attending the Seminar **and** the CEU training, there will be a discount. (please see the Seminar Registration form). Space is limited for this training, so please send your registration in as soon as possible in order to be included.

The Wine and Cheese and Registration for the seminar will be held on Tuesday, December 6th and will start at 7:00 p.m. The silent and live auction will be part of the evening. The Silent Auction will continue until Wednesday after lunch.

GOOD NEWS !! This year, ClearTech Industries will once again be available to test your water testing equipment while you attend the seminar. This includes: checking, cleaning, calibrating and verification. Your equipment will be available to pick up at the end of the day. Attached is the price list for testing the equipment. ClearTech was able to maintain their pricing from previous years. **Please call ClearTech prior to the seminar to book your calibration and to pre-pay** (please see attached information sheet).

The seminar agenda is attached; however, it could be subject to small changes. Our **Key-Note Speaker** for this year's seminar will be Dennis Althouse, VP & Director of Sales, Marketing & Operations will provide a presentation on providing water to Canada's Arctic. Lee Reinhart of the Water Security Agency will be speaking to the Annual Report Card from WSA. We will also have Vice-Chief Heather Bear to present on water delivery on reserve, and SaskEnergy will present on utility crossings, line hits and safe work plan strategies. Please see the agenda for all the day's presentations!

Please complete the attached registration form and forward to SARWP as soon as possible. Please forward form to the **Martensville address at the top of page 1**.

Note: If your organization is not a member and would like to be, please contact Colette Duffee at info@sarwp.ca.

Sincerely,

SASKATCHEWAN ASSOCIATION OF RURAL WATER PIPELINES, INC.

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