



NATIVE AMERICAN WATER ASSOCIATION

Annual National Conference of Tribal Water and Wastewater Professionals and Tradeshow
July 18-21, 2017 – Nugget Casino, Sparks, Nevada

****DRAFT Program Agenda****

JULY 18, 2017

7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. NAWA Golf Outing, Red Hawk Golf Course, Sparks, NV

All golfers shall register. Tee Times starting at 8:30 a.m.
At the Red Hawk golf resort for shotgun start.

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Welcome meet and greet- Pavilion E - Nugget Casino Resort – 2nd Floor

Hors d'oeuvres and beverages. Meet and greet

JULY 19, 2017

**8:30 a.m. Opening Prayer and Welcoming remarks
Native American Water Association – Pavilion E**

Prayer – Pavilion E

**8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Meet your Vendors/Exhibitors
Introductions – Products and Services – Tradeshow –
Pavilion E**

Vaughan Industries, Inc.

Romac Industries

Backflow Management, Inc.

DFW Plastics, Inc.

Engineering America, Inc.

Ford Meter Box

JCM Industries, Inc.

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Break and Drawings

All refreshments will be located in Exhibitor area.

Clow Valve Company

EJ USA,, Inc.

HD Supply Waterworks

Parametrix, Inc.

Ferguson Meter & Automation Group

Armorock

JULY 19, 2017

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Luncheon Buffet – Pavilion A

Buffet luncheon will be provided in the Main Gathering Area for all attendees and exhibitors.

**1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Meet your Vendors/Exhibitors –
Products and Services – Tradeshow – Pavilion E**

Visit our Exhibitors/Vendor and find out what's new in the water and wastewater industries.

JULY 20, 2017

Morning Session – Pavilion E

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Morning Coffee and Tea

Will be provided in the main gathering area.

**8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Stacey Schreiber, Director of
Utilities, Stockbridge-Munsee Community, Bowler,
Wisconsin – Pavilion E**

Tribal Utility and Upcoming Projects of the Stockbridge-Munsee Community.

**9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. – Dan Wallis, District Engineer,
Indian Health Service, Phoenix Area Office, Reno District
– Pavilion E**

Update on issues concerning tribes and their drinking water and wastewater programs.

**9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. – Jim McCauley, Director Rural
Water and Steve Langdeau, Lead Operator Supervisor,
Lower Brule Sioux Tribe, South Dakota – Pavilion E**

Will be providing an overview of their Tribal Utility Structure and projects of the Lower Brule Sioux Nation'

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Morning Break

All coffees and Teas will be served in Pavilion E

**10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - Emran Rahaman, Assistant
Director and Juan Mata, Supervising Operator for the
Seminole Tribal Utility Department, Hollywood, Florida
– Pavilion E**

Will be providing an overview of their Tribal Utility Structure and projects of the Seminole Tribe of Florida.

Breakout Sessions – July 20, 2017

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Breakout Session – Mark Edwards, Viking Technologies. – Pavilion B

Will be presenting a program “Surface and Groundwater Treatment, Coagulants, Treatment Filtration.” Questions and Answer period to follow presentation as well as hands on participation by attendees.

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Breakout Session - Native American Water Association – Voluntary Certification Testing – Tom Crawford – Pre-registration required. – Pavilion E

Administering Certification Tests – Water Distribution or Treatment, Level 1-4 available. Wastewater Treatment or Collection, Level 1-4 available. (Must complete application and fax to the NAWA. Must pre-register three weeks in advance to sit for tests).

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Breakout Session – Seminole Tribe of Florida - Emran Rahaman and Juan Mata, Seminole Tribal of Florida Utility Department. – Pavilion C

Management and operations and maintenance guidelines and concerns. Streamlining departmental issues. Questions and Answers during this program.

JULY 20, 2017

6:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m. - Annual Conference - Dinner Buffet - Pavilion A

Dinner Buffet –Attendees and exhibitors welcome to meet and greet -Main Gathering Area

JULY 21, 2017

8:00 am - 8:30 a.m. Morning Coffee and Teas – Pavilion E

Will be provided in Main meeting room.

8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Tom Crawford, President, Native American Water Association Tribal Training Needs Assessments – Pavilion E

Tribal Utility Question and Answer period

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Closing comments –Annual National Conference of Tribal Water and Wastewater Professionals – Pavilion E

***** Door prize drawings will be held throughout the Annual National Conference of Tribal Water and Wastewater Professionals – Drawing tickets will be provided by the Native American Water Association**

Agenda subject to change.