



February 9th thru 11th, 2026

Monday, February 9th, 2026

7:30 AM	Registration Opens/Breakfast Service Begins
8:30 – 9:30 AM	Opening Session AI: Separating Tomorrow's Reality from Today's Hype <i>Dr. Carl Lee Tolbert, Malloy Electric</i>
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Best Tasting Water Judging
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Rock Valley's Deep Well Ammonia Challenges <i>Julie Sievers, ISG</i> Lifecycle of Coatings for Towers <i>Dewey Prinzing, KLM Engineering</i> Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy <i>Matt Helmers, Iowa State University</i> Human Resources 101 <i>TBD</i> Motivation <i>TBD</i>
10:30 – 11:30 AM	Rock Valley's Deep Well Ammonia Challenges (Cont'd) <i>Julie Sievers, ISG</i> Metering <i>Dan Sinclair, Metering and Technology Solutions</i> Attracting The Next Generation of Water and Wastewater Operators <i>Adam Ardolino, LINOH2O</i> TBD <i>Denny Pucket, Sullivan and Ward</i> Finance Software <i>TBD</i>

11:30 – 12:15 PM Monday Lunch

12:15 – 1:15 PM SIRWA's Water Project
 Julie Sievers, ISG
Network Information Management with ARCGIS
 Jay Hoffman, ESRI Inc.
Collection System
 Loyd Rawlings, USA Bluebook
Cyber Security
 TBD
Company Policies and Procedures
 TBD

1:15 – 2:15 PM SIRWA's Water Project (Cont'd)
 Julie Sievers, ISG
Trenchless Technologies for Pipe Repair
 David Mosler, Core & Main
Emergency Preparedness
 Loyd Rawlings, USA Bluebook
Finance Session
 Julia McCusker, CoBank
 Kim Ledger, USDA Rural Development
 Theresa Enright, IDNR, SRF
Marketing
 TBD

2:15 – 3:00 PM Break in the Exhibit Hall

3:00 – 4:00 PM SIRWA's Water Project (Cont'd)
 Julie Sievers, ISG
Water Tower Rehabilitation
 Tim Wilson, Dixon Engineering
Cutting Biosolids Costs: Geotextile Tube Dewatering for Rural
Communities
 Matt Csillo, MSA Professional Services
Board/Management Roundtable Discussion
 TBD
Communications
 TBD

4:00 – 6:30 PM Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall

Tuesday, February 10th, 2026

- 7:00 – 8:30 AM Registration/Continental Breakfast and Exhibit Hall Open**
- 8:00 – 8:30 AM Daily Announcement Session**
- 8:30 – 9:30 AM Water Well Mainenance and Rehabilitation
Patrick Harrington, Peerless Well & Pump
Paint and Coating Selection for Water Storage Tanks
Rob Jongquist, Viking Industrial Solutions
Compliance Schedules: Purpose, Action, Results
Grant Hemphill, Strand Associates
Board/Management Roundtable Discussion
TBD
RSAS Round Table Discussion
Carma Craig, Poweshiek Water Association
- 9:30 – 10:00 AM Break/Exhibit Hall Open**
- 10:00 – 11:00 AM Partnerships for Source Water Protection
Mary Beth Stevenson, City of Cedar Rapids
Safer, Smarter, Faster: Confined Space Drone Technology for Water and Wastewater
Dasan Hood Beckman & Katie Kinsey, SEH
Maintaining Your Control & SCADA System
Anthony Bramante, InControl Inc.
RSAS Round Table Discussion
Carma Craig, Poweshiek Water Association
- 11:00 – 12:00 PM Applied Water Treatment Topics and Discussion
Eric Lawrence, Vessco
Ductile Iron Pipe: Basics, Installation and Corrosion
David Emmerich, US Pipe
Small Town, Big Demand – Now What
Katie Sterk, Bolton and Menk
RSAS Roundtable Discussion
Carma Craig, Poweshiek Water Association
- 12:00 – 1:30 PM Women in Water Luncheon (Sponsored by CoBank) –
Guest Speaker – Must be Pre-Registered
Located in Matrix Room at Hilton Des Moines**
- 12:00 - 1:00 PM Tuesday Lunch**

1:00 – 1:30 PM	Exhibit Hall Open/Dessert
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Applied Water Treatment Topics and Discussion (Cont'd) <i>Eric Lawrence, Vessco</i> TBD <i>Jake Dugger, Maguire Iron</i> Field Operator Math <i>Loyd Rawlings, USA Bluebook</i> Team Building <i>TBD</i>
2:30 – 3:30 PM	Applied Water Treatment Topics and Discussion (Cont'd) <i>Eric Lawrence, Vessco</i> Navigating CMAR for Iowa Water & Wastewater Projects <i>Gary Brons, McClure</i> TBD <i>Loyd Rawlings, USA Bluebook</i> Team Building (cont.) <i>TBD</i>
3:30 – 5:30 PM	Awards and Raffle Drawings Reception

Wednesday, February 11th, 2026

- 7:15 – 8:30 AM** **Registration/Full Hot Breakfast Served**
- 8:00 – 9:00 AM Pump Basics
 DJ Gonzalez, DGR Engineering
 Concrete Rehab for Water Assets
 Eric Zimmerman, Carboline Company
- 9:00 – 10:00 AM Aquifer Storage and Recovery
 Taylor Hopper, Strand Associates
 Iowa Utilities Transform Wastewater Operations with Real Time Data
 Tim Graeb, Smart Covers Systems
- 10:00 – 10:15 AM** **Break**
- 10:15 – 11:15 AM Social Media Strategies
 Mike McGill, WaterPIO
 Dewatering Technologies
 Daniel Willers, Strand Associates
 Vendor Meeting
 Cathy Law, Iowa Rural Water Association
- 11:15 – 12:00 PM** **Vendor Appreciation Luncheon**
- 12:00 – 1:00 PM Buck the Traditional and Jump into the Cloud
 Kevin Stock, Streametric
- 1:00 – 2:00 PM IDNR Water and Wastewater Updates
 Heidi Cline and Ben Hucka, IDNR
- 2:00 PM - CEUs/Adjourn

* Topics subject to change.

