

Florida Rural Water Association – Call for Abstracts

The Florida Rural Water Association (FRWA) is pleased to announce the **Call for Abstracts** for presentations at our upcoming **2026 Annual Conference**. We invite water and wastewater professionals, utility leaders, engineers, regulators, researchers, technology providers, and industry experts to submit session proposals that support the advancement, training, and development of Florida's rural and small utilities.

About the Event

The 2026 FRWA Annual Conference will be held on July 27-29, 2026, at the Daytona Beach Hilton, 100 N Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach FL 32118.

FRWA is committed to providing high-quality training and educational opportunities that strengthen the technical, managerial, and financial capacity of Florida's water and wastewater systems. Presentations should offer practical, relevant, and solution-focused content that benefits operators, managers, and decision-makers.

Topics of Interest

We welcome presentations on a wide range of subjects, including but not limited to:

- Biosolids management
 - Asset Management & Infrastructure
 - Funding and grant opportunities
 - Utility Operations
 - Workforce development
 - PFAs and emerging contaminants
 - Cybersecurity
 - Utility Case studies and pilot studies
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Submission Guidelines

Please include the following in your abstract submission:

1. **Presentation Title**
2. **Presenter Name(s), Title(s), and Organization**
3. **Contact Information**
4. **Abstract (150–300 words)**
 - Describe key concepts, learning objectives, and practical value.
5. **Session Format**
 - Lectures, demonstration, case study, panel, or workshop
6. **Intended Audience**
 - Operators, managers, engineers, administrative staff, etc.
7. **Bio(s) of Presenter(s)** (100–150 words each)

Important Dates

- **Abstract Deadline:** May 15, 2026
 - **Notification of Acceptance:** May 22, 2026
 - **Final Presentation Slides Due:** July 1, 2026
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How to Submit

Please email your completed abstract and presenter information to:

 **Abstracts@frwa.net**

For questions, contact us at **Abstracts@frwa.net**.

Additional Notes

- Sales pitches or vendor-only promotions will *not* be accepted.
- Presentations should be educational and meet CEU/CEC training requirements when applicable.
- Accepted presenters will receive event registration details and further instructions.