

# MRWA U.P. CONFERENCE & EXPO

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## Conference Program



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October 17, 2023					
TIME	CLASS TITLE	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUCTOR	CEC	ROOM
1pm - 4.30pm	Water & Wastewater Bacteria Sampling Procedures	Bacterial sampling for water and wastewater professionals. Proper sample collection techniques, good and bad locations for sample collection, and when to collect samples.	John Holland, MRWA	0.3 W & WW T	Ancestors
October 18, 2023					
8am – 10:30am	Continental Coffee Break				Peninsula
8:45am	Welcome				Peninsula
9am - 10am	EGLE Wastewater & Water Updates	EGLE Wastewater & Water Updates	EGLE	0.1 W & WW T	Peninsula
10am -10.15am BREAK					
10.15am -11:15am	Trenchless technology	From pipes to structures you can self perform without digging	Larry Lamphere, Source1 Environmental	0.1 W & WW T	Ancestors
10.15am -11:15 am	Valve Maintenance	Valve Maintenance	Joe VanDommelen, MRWA	0.1 W & WW T	Marquette
11.15am -11.30am BREAK					
11.30am -12.30pm	Lead and Copper Guidance and Rule Update	EGLE will provide an update on recently released guidance for Michigan’s upcoming complete inventory requirement, federal LCRR and LCRI, and Michigan’s Senate Bills for monitoring drinking water in schools and daycares.	Jeni Bolt, EGLE	0.1 WT	Ancestors
11.30am -12.30pm	Water and Wastewater Record Keeping	Review reporting requirements for water and wastewater systems. How long do you keep water and wastewater reports that are sent to EGLE, from monthly, quarterly and situational reports.	John Holland, MRWA	0.1 WT & 0.1 WWM	Marquette
12.30pm -1.30pm LUNCH					
1.30pm - 2.30pm	Lead & copper monitoring, sampling site selection, and plans	How to maintain a Lead and Copper Sampling Plan with ongoing inventory and service line replacement. Provide any new information regarding the federal LCRR, LCRI, and MI senate bills for sampling in schools and daycares.	Jeni Bolt, EGLE	0.1 WT	Ancestors
1.30pm - 2.30pm	MiEnviro: Basic User Techniques and Tricks	A basic overview of MiEnviro navigation, usage and tricks to make it easier for the user. Topics will include ExCel to MiEnviro transfer, how to find documents, user roles, biosolids reports, and dashboard.	John Holland, MRWA	0.1 WWM	Marquette
2.30pm -2.45pm BREAK					
2.45pm - 3.45pm	Optimize Pump Station Management with Web-Based Remote Monitoring & Control"	Trouble free pumping: Including Flow calculations, Energy Optimization, Foam draining, Anti seizing - and how remote monitoring systems can help your pump stations run smoother and keep you better informed.	Jason Metz & Glen Panner, William/Reid	0.1 W & WW T	Ancestors
2.45pm - 3.45pm	Maintaining Blower Filtration for Reliability, Efficiency, and Value	The advantages and disadvantages of different filter types and filter capacities and their relation to blower protection and efficiency. How to effectively and efficiently maintain blower operation with filter maintenance.	Joe DiFederico, Endustrafilters	0.1 WWT	Marquette
3.45pm - 5.30pm	Social Hour and Vendor Area Open				Peninsula
October 19, 2023					
8am – 10am	Continental Coffee Break				Peninsula
9am - 9.55am	MISS DIG Updates	MISS DIG regulations and best practices for marking utilities	Pat Goddard, MISS DIG	0.1 WT & 0.1 WWO	Peninsula
10.00am - 10.55am	Fire Hydrant Maintenance	Operation and maintenance of fire hydrants	Joe VanDommelen, MRWA	0.1 WT	Peninsula
10.00am - 10.55am	The Torch Lake Sewer Authority Lagoon Expansion	A presentation on the Torch Lake Area Sewage Authority – Lagoon Expansion Project that is currently in construction. The presentation will include a recap of why the project was needed and how the project came together.	Emmett Bjorn & Kevin Nancarrow, U.P. Engineers	0.1 WWT	Marquette
11.00am - 11:55am	EGLE Operator Training and Certification Unit Updates	Overview of the EGLE Drinking Water Operator Training and Certification Unit. Topics will include updates on staffing, classification of water supplies, the certification process, renewing your certificate and an overview of the Advisory Board.	Koren Carpenter, EGLE	0.1 WT	Peninsula
11.00am - 11:55am	Lagoon Operations	Lagoon operations and control of duckweed and better operations of lagoons through microbiology.	Amanda White, MRWA	0.1 WWT	Marquette
Noon	Wrap-Up, Raffles, Adjourn				Peninsula

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