

Join the SC Utility Workforce Collaborative

Building a strong water workforce together



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Background: SC utilities face a shortage of skilled workers (especially operators)

- Feedback shows strong interest among SC utilities in addressing workforce recruitment collectively as an industry.
- We have a model for how this can work in [Baywork](#), a network of water/wastewater utilities in California focused on workforce reliability.

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Next Steps: Establishing a SC Utility Workforce Collaborative

The SC Water Associations (WEASC & SCAWWA) is coordinating this effort, and we invite SC water/wastewater utilities to join as founding members.

What this means:

- Commit to supporting the creation of a SC Utility Workforce Collaborative.
- Provide a representative to help develop the organizational structure and objectives of the collaborative, including governance and dues.
- No up-front financial commitment.

To become a founding member, contact David Baize (david@scwaters.org)

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The South Carolina Water Workforce Collaborative is a network of water/wastewater utilities focused on building a strong workforce for the water industry.

We're just getting started! This new initiative is coordinated by the [South Carolina Water Associations](#). We invite utilities from across South Carolina to join us as founding members.

For questions or to join the collaborative:



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