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 <u>Baywork</u>, a network of water/wastewater utilities in California focused on workforce reliability.



BAYWORK is a consortium of BAY Area water and wastewater utilities

Working together to ensure that we will have a reliable workforce needed to serve our customers and protect the environment. BAYWORK activities, programs, and events are open to employees of all Bay Area water and wastewater utilities:

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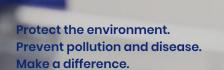
The SC Water Associations (WEASC & SCAWWA) is coordinating this effort, and we invite SC water/wastewater utilities to join as founding members.

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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