

NEWSLETTER

Fall 2022

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Septic Smart Week 2022



[Click to visit the SepticSmart Info web site.](#)

NAWT signed another SepticSmart week proclamation for 2022. We also assisted with the proclamation from the State of New Mexico. Special thanks to Gene Bassett for all his support in this effort with the New Mexico proclamation.

This year SepticSmart Week celebrates 10 years outreach and activities that encourage homeowners and communities to care for and maintain their septic systems.

About Septic Systems



- [Overview of septic systems](#)
- [Septic Finance Learning Module](#)
- [Case studies and demonstration projects](#)
- [Guidance, policy, and regulations](#)
- [Frequent questions](#)

Did you know...?

Being a NAWT member gives you access to discounts to nationwide retailers such as:

- BestBuy
- Sherwin-Williams
- ADP
- AirGas
- American Express
- TRUECar
- PODS – Moving & Storage
- LegalZoom
- Windstream – Internet and Phone

And more...!

Contact our executive office at info@nawt.org for more information.

2022 Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference



LIMITED Virtual Mega-Conference Registration Ongoing!

Registration is ongoing for a LIMITED Virtual Agenda of the **2022 Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference** which will be held October 31 & November 1, 2022. The in-person Mega-Conference is occurring in Springfield, Missouri and turnout has been great.

October 30th - November. 2nd, 2022

University Plaza Hotel, Springfield, Missouri in cooperation with [Missouri Smallflows Organization \(MSO\)](#)

The Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference is a national, collaborative effort between the [National Onsite Wastewater Recycling Association \(NOWRA\)](#), the [National Association of Wastewater Technicians \(NAWT\)](#), the [State Onsite Regulators Association \(SORA\)](#), and the [Missouri Smallflows Organization \(MSO\)](#).

To learn more about the **VIRTUAL** Option for the 2022 Mega-Conference and to register, [click here](#).

Weather in-person or virtually, we look forward to seeing you at the **2022 Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference!**

Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship



Are you interested in applying for the 2023 Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship?

Please contact our Executive Office with any questions via email: info@nawt.org or call 800.236.6298. Download the [scholarship application here](#). Deadline: January 15th, 2023

Please submit your completed application to info@nawt.org or mail to:
NAWT
Attn: Hapchuk Scholarship
2800 W. Higgins Rd. Suite 440
Hoffman Estates IL 60169

Want to make a donation?

Please [click here](#) to make a donation to help support the Hapchuk Scholarship Fund. Your donation will give the NAWT Board the ability to offer more scholarships to upcoming high school seniors and current college students interested in the wastewater treatment industry.

Or, Mail in your donation to the Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship Fund:

National Association of Wastewater Technicians
Attn: Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship Fund
2800 W. Higgins Rd. Suite 440
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169



Upcoming Training Courses

INSPECTOR TRAININGS

- NAWT Inspector by CPOW – November 17-18, 2022 Virtual Online Course, CO
- NAWT Inspector by RETS – December 9-10, 2022 – Location: San Marcos, TX

SOILS WORKSHOP TRAININGS

- NAWT Soils by U of A – September 7-9, 2022 – Location: Sierra Vista, AZ
- NAWT Soils by CPOW - September 20-21, 2022 - Location: Alamosa, CO
- NAWT Soils by U of A – October 7-8, 2022 – Location: Sierra Vista, AZ

INSTALLER TRAININGS

- NAWT Installer by CPOW - October 14, 2022 - Location: Virtual Online Course

OPERATION & MAINTENANCE TRAININGS

- NAWT O&MI by CPOW - November 8-9, 2022- Location: Virtual Online Course, CO
- NAWT O&MII by CPOW - December 5-6, 2022 – Location: Virtual Online Course, CO

You may now request to bring NAWT training to your state or host a NAWT Training.

Below are some requirements for hosting a NAWT Training:

- Must be in a classroom setting or Zoom virtual format
- Participation should be between 10-15 attendees
- Provide NAWT Executive Office with 8 weeks minimum notice
- Schedule and provide NAWT with roster of attendees 10 days prior to course.

Please contact our Executive Office with any questions via email: info@nawt.org or [click here](#) to request a class online.

Classes can be scheduled for US or Canada.

2023 Membership Dues Renewal

It's that time of the year again! Your NAWT membership expires on December 31st, 2022. In order to keep your membership active in 2023 with all its benefits, please act now to renew no later than December 31, 2022.

We need your continued support and commitment so that we can keep working to offer you the access to information, opportunities, endorsed programs, and training events that you have come to expect from our organization.

Every member strengthens NAWT's political clout. Even when you don't have the time to be personally involved, your membership dues support the actions of other NAWT members along with NAWT's representation on the [NOWRA Federal Lobbying Board of Governors](#) who strive to move our industry legislative initiatives forward. As a member, you make everything we do possible!

Please take the time to renew your 2023 NAWT membership today!

[Click here to renew online now!](#)

Independent Membership \$175
Company Membership \$350
State Association Membership \$100

[Click here to download the mail-in form to pay by check](#)

[Or contact us at 800-236-6298 to renew by phone](#)

Our Mission

"The mission of the National Association of Wastewater Technicians is to unify the voice of the wastewater management industry, while increasing its professionalism and public image through education of industry members and the public, and the development and national representation of individuals and state associations, allowing our industry to exchange ideas and concerns for the betterment of our members, the environment, and the general public.

To accomplish this mission, we have the following goals & purposes:

- Be the effective voice of the industry, an industry that provides essential services to maintaining a healthful environment.
- Overcome the problem that our industry has not been recognized and addressed by elected and appointed officials on all levels of government.
- Give national support for positions taken by state and local groups on legislative and regulatory issues consistent with federal standards.
- Be the information center for the industry and serve as a communication and education conduit for the gamut of people from public officials to the homeowner.
- Assist in developing, organizing, and building membership in state associations. Identify, organize, and utilize the purchasing power of the Association to the advantage of its members in the area of products and service we use.

If you would like to volunteer or be a part of a NAWT committee, please contact our Executive Office at info@nawt.org.