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NAWT UPDATES

NAWT Strategic Planning

NAWT is currently working on the development of a Strategic Planning Session. These sessions will take NAWT through where we are, what is working, what is not working and what our membership would like to see.

The goal is to work on providing NAWT a new direction and guidance as we move forward as a nationwide association. It is imperative that we receive our membership input on the perception of NAWT as well as where they would like to see the organization head. Any ideas and feedback are welcome and can be emailed to info@nawt.org.

Our current time line is to begin these sessions in the Fall and build them up to the annual in person meeting at the WWETT Show on February 21-23, 2018.

If you are interested in participating, please contact your State Association affiliated with NAWT or the NAWT National office at 800-236-6298.

[Request NAWT Training to come to your State!](#)

State groups and associations desiring to host an education course should contact the NAWT office at 800-236-6298.

Criteria for hosting an education course includes:

- Ability to obtain a minimum size group of 20-40 participants
- Locating a meeting room at reasonable cost, where persons can sit, school room style.
- Lodging for participants under \$100 per/night with restaurants nearby
- Providing additional mailing lists for use in marketing

Please call our national office with any questions at 800-236-6298 or [click here](#) to request a course online.

SAVE THE DATE!

2018 WWETT Show - The world's largest annual trade show for wastewater and environmental service professionals will be held on February 21-24, 2018 at the Indiana Convention Center.

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NAWT was present at the 2017 Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference


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EDUCATION: FEBRUARY 21-23, 2018
EXHIBITS: FEBRUARY 22-24, 2018
INDIANA CONVENTION CENTER

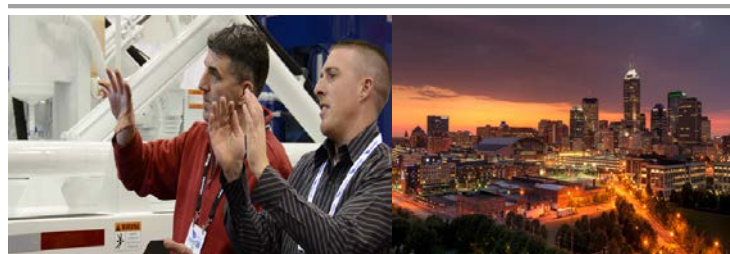


8th Waste Treatment Symposium



OUR 8TH TREATMENT SYMPOSIUM WAS A GREAT SUCCESS!

- **Audience** consisted of individuals considering treating the wastes they put in their trucks and those who are already treating septage and grease trap waste.
- **Our national audience** had historical individuals attend from all four corners of the United States, Canada, Mexico, Guam, and the Caribbean.
- **Live demonstrations** of equipment using real septage and grease trap waste.
- **Tour** of The McCutcheon Enterprises treatment facility.
- **9th Waste Treatment Symposium** – stay tuned, more information to come!



The **2018 WWETT Show** has the largest display filled with the latest in products and technologies in the environmental service industry. Spanning more than 540,000 square feet at the Indiana Convention Center, you'll find everything from septic system components and trailers to portable sanitation units and industrial sewer equipment.

Products and service categories you will see at the show include:

Septic Pumping	Onsite Installation
Portable Sanitation	Dewatering
Grease Handling	Sewer Cleaning
Laterals & Mainlines	TV Inspection
Pipeline Rehab/CIPP	Water blasting
High-Pressure Cleaning	Safety Equipment
Confined Space	Lift Station Maintenance
Computer Software	Industrial Vacuuming
Hydro excavation	Utility Location

Special Thanks to our Speakers and Sponsors!

Jack Doheny Companies; McCutcheon Enterprises, Inc.; PENNVEST; Tim Frank Septic Tank Co.; Lakeside Equipment Corp.; UGSI Solutions, Inc.; Boerger Pumps, LLC; Ferrero & Associates, LLC; Garvey Resources, Inc.; Septic Services; FKC Co, Ltd.; continued on page 3



Special Thanks to our Speakers and Sponsors at our 8th NAWT Waste Treatment Symposium!

Fournier Industries, Inc.; MSD Environmental Services; Flo Trend Systems, Inc.; PW Tech, LLC; NewTech, Inc.; Altoona Water Authority; Hermitage Municipal Authority; Pace Analytical; KVVPCA; CEM Corporation; Pik Rite, Inc.; ITI Trailers and Truck Bodies



NAWT was present at the 2017 Onsite Wastewater Mega-Conference!

Thank you to our hosting organizations: NOWRA, DOWRA, MOWPA, SORA AND POWRA for making the 2017 Mega-Conference a success.

Save the Date!

**2018 Onsite Mega-Conference
October 21-24, 2018 | Minneapolis, MN**



Scholarship and Award

It is that time of the year again!

NAWT is accepting application for the Annual Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship and nominations for the 2018 NAWT Excellence in Service Award.

2018 Hapchuk Memorial Scholarship Fund

Nomination Criteria

The 2018 Hapchuk Scholarship Eligibility Requirements are:

- Must be enrolled in an accredited university offering a bachelor degree in the following fields related to wastewater transport and treatment:
 - A. Natural & Environmental Sciences
 - B. Biological Sciences
 - C. Agricultural and Civil Engineering
 - D. Management/Business
- Must have completed at least one year of study and have attained a cumulative grade point average above the average for the university in which you are enrolled.
- Have an interest in a career related to the management of wastewater.



[Click here](#) to access the application form.

2018 NAWT Excellence in Service Award

The NAWT Excellence in Service Award is your opportunity to recognize someone that you have noticed goes beyond the ordinary and into extraordinary!

It is something that this industry does not have enough of and that is recognizing our peers for all their hard work and service.

The award is presented annually at the state association breakfast during the WWETT Show just before the presentation of the Ralph Macchio Lifetime Achievement Award. This award was established as an update to the former Man of the Year award.

Basis for Award

To recognize a NAWT member or NAWT-sponsored individual or company that has shown exceptional accomplishments in their service to the community and to the wastewater profession.

[Click here](#) to download the Nomination Form.



2018 WWETT SHOW

Educational Day

NAWT will again be presenting CEU earning sessions during the Educational Day at the WWETT Show on February 21-24, 2018 at the Indiana Convention Center.

This year our topics will be:

- Understanding EPA 503 Requirements for Land Application.
- Land Application Loading Rates
- Case Study: Successful Repairs of Concrete Corrosion from MIC In A Septic Tank.
- ATU: Care and Performance
- Dealing with Tough Sites: Designs That Solve Problems.

Courses will be presented by:

- Dave Gustafson, UMN
- Jeff Rachlin, Onsite Management



All our courses can be used for CEU's for any NAWT Training Certificates. We will also have a booth on the exhibit floor.

Don't forget to stop by and talk to us about the new and exciting things NAWT is working on for our membership!

Visit www.NAWT.org for more information!



Upcoming Trainings & Events



NAWT 2018 Training Courses

Inspector

- NAWT/UA Inspector Training
January 29-30, 2018 | Laughlin, NV | Contact: 520-621-3691 or email atevik@cals.arizona.edu
- NAWT/RETS Inspector Training
March 16-17, 2018 | San Marcos, TX | Contact: 817-678-6603 or email rets@rets-llc.com
- NAWT/UA Inspector Training
August 27-28, 2018 | Casa Grande, AZ | Contact 520-621-3691 or email atevik@cals.arizona.edu
- NAWT/RETS Inspector Training
September 7-8, 2018 | Arlington, TX | Contact: 817-678-6603 or email rets@rets-llc.com
- NAWT/CPOW Inspector Training
November 15-16, 2018 | Colorado Springs, CO | Contact: 720-626-8989 or email cpow@cpow.net

Operation & Maintenance

- NAWT/CPOW O&M 1
January 4-5, 2018 | Lakewood, CO | Contact: 720-626-8989 or email cpow@cpow.net
- NAWT/CPOW O&M2
February 1-2, 2018 | Lakewood, CO | Contact: 720-626-8989 or email cpow@cpow.net

Installer

- NAWT/UA Installer Course
April 25, 2018 | Location: TBD | Contact 520-621-3691 or email atevik@cals.arizona.edu

NAWT 2018 Renewal Training Courses

- University of Arizona - Intro to Design of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems
April 26-27, 2018 |
- University of Arizona – Soil & Site Evaluation for Onsite Wastewater Systems
October 22-23, 2018 | Contact 520-621-3691 or email atevik@cals.arizona.edu

More courses coming soon.
Visit www.nawt.org to host a class!

