



AGENDA
ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN STATE ENGINEERS
SPRING WORKSHOP
JUNE 25-27, 2018, HILTON GARDEN INN
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

MONDAY JUNE 25, 2018	
6:00 p.m.	Dinner on own (optional- walk with group or meet at Tapwerks Ale House- 121 E. Sheridan Ave.)
TUESDAY JUNE 26, 2018	
8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions- Julie Cunningham
9:00 a.m.-10:10 a.m.	<p>State, Regional, and Local Partnerships in Water Supply Sustainability and Economic Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oklahoma City MAPs Capital Improvements Program— Celebrating 25 Years, Roy Williams, President & CEO at Greater OKC Chamber• Water Planning History and Vision for OKC- Chris Browning, Utilities Director at City of Oklahoma City• Mountain Home Air Force Base Water Sustainability Project, Randy Broesch, Staff Engineer at Idaho Department of Water Resources
10:10 a.m.-10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	<p>State Approaches to Long-term Planning and Public Safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Public Safety and Water Supply Resilience Roles of the Oregon State Engineer for Water Resources, Keith Mills, P.E., Oregon State Dam Engineer at Oregon Water Resources Department• Long-term water planning and key elements to water security, Thomas Buschatzke, Director at Arizona Department of Water Resources• Realizing Kansas's 50-Year Water Vision, Lane Latourneau, Program Manager at Kansas Department of Agriculture• Novel Approaches to Protect Public and Dam Owner Interests— Oklahoma's Dam Safety Program, Yohanes Sugeng, P.E., Engineer Manager, Oklahoma Water Resources Board
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch on own
1:30 p.m. - 3:10 p.m.	<p>Water Allocation, Reporting, Modeling Programs, and Legal Considerations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Defending your Science and Data: Hydrologic Studies and Legal Considerations, Kathy Alexander, Ph.D., Water Availability Division at Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Streamlined Permitting Processes through Lean Six Sigma, Mike Thompson, Permits & Registrations Division Manager at Nebraska Department of Natural Resources • The Use of Groundwater Models for Water Administration in Colorado, Mary Roberts Halstead, Chief of Modeling & Decision Support Systems, at Colorado Division of Water Resources • Oklahoma Water Allocation Studies Program, Chris Neel, Assistant Chief, Planning & Management Division at Oklahoma Water Resources Board
3:10 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Break
3:30 p.m.-5:10 p.m.	State Report Roundtable (10 speakers at 10 min. ea.)
6:00 p.m.	Meet and greet at hotel bar and dinner on own in Bricktown (6:30 p.m. dinner reservation at Charleston's Restaurant – 224 Johnny Bench Dr.; walk with group or meet there)

WEDNESDAY JUNE 27, 2018

8:30 a.m.-8:40 a.m.	Welcome and Regroup— Julie Cunningham
8:40 a.m.-9:15 a.m.	State Report Roundtable (4 speakers at 10 min. ea)
9:15-10:20 a.m.	Maximizing Water Supply and Storage Capacity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recharging Aquifers through Excess Surface Water Diversions, Jessie Strom, Integrated Water Management Coordinator, Water Planning Division at Nebraska Department of Natural Resources • Aquifer Storage and Recovery—The Utah Experience, Boyd Clayton, Deputy Director at Utah Division of Water Rights • Managed aquifer recharge, cloud seeding and reservoir operations, Cynthia Bridge Clark, Water Projects Section Manager at Idaho Department of Water Resources
10:20 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	Break
10:50 a.m. – 11:50 p.m.	The Water Supply Equation—Increasing Water Availability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wastewater Reuse and Water Supply Rebalancing, Mike Drake, Regional State Engineer at Utah State Division of Water Rights • Oklahoma Produced Water Working Group, Owen Mills, Director of Planning at Oklahoma Water Resources Board • Promoting Development of Marginal Water Supplies and Flexibility in Groundwater Use—Kent Wilkins, Chief, Planning and Management Division at Oklahoma Water Resources Board
11:50 p.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Wrap up and Adjourn— Thanks to our Presenters and Safe Travels Everyone!!

