

# RCAP/AWWA Workshop

Small System Operator Training: Achieve and Maintain Compliance with the SDWA (Systems <10,000)

## September 8 – Champlain Water District, 403 Queen City Park Rd, South Burlington, VT 8:00a.m. – 3:30p.m.

#### Workshop Description:

Your utility faces day-to-day challenges providing reliable, safe drinking water for your customers while avoiding costly violations. The American Water Works Association (AWWA), in conjunction with the Rural Community Assistance Partnership (RCAP), and the New England Water Works Association (NEWWA) is offering a FREE 1-day workshop to help your utility learn about compliance with drinking water regulations and steps to avoid costly violations. This workshop is made possible by funding through the U.S. EPA and AWWA's partner, RCAP.

**Continuing Education Credits** – Approved by the VT DEC for 7 TCHs. AWWA is the entity providing the TCHs for this event. Individual registration is required through NEWWA.

Audience: Operators, managers, or governing body of a small system serving <10,000.

#### What topics will be covered at the workshop?

8:00 AM	Workshop Introduction / Pre-test
8:15 AM	Disinfection Overview
9:15 AM	Source Water Assessment and Protection
10:15 AM	Break
10:30 AM	Regulatory Review
12:00 PM	Lunch
12:45 PM	Distribution System Infrastructure
1:15 PM	Distribution Water Quality
2:00 PM	Break
2:15 PM	Main Breaks and Cross-Connections
2:45 PM	Flushing
3:15 PM	Wrap-up / Post-Test
3:30 PM	Adjourn

#### See Other Side for Registration Instructions

#### NOTE: As this is a free, grant-funded workshop, food cannot be provided. Please come prepared.



#### **Course Presenters:**

**Arthur Astarita** is a water resource specialist and the Maine State Lead for RCAP Solutions. He is a professional geologist and joined RCAP in March 1998 after 22 years as an international petroleum explorationist. He has helped complete numerous water and wastewater infrastructure improvement projects throughout New England.

**Mark Johnson** is a technical assistance provider and state lead in Vermont with RCAP Solutions. He has more than 15 years' experience in water treatment and distribution. He has a bachelor's in civil and environmental engineering from Northeastern University in Boston, and has worked in the municipal and private sector as a certified water treatment and distribution operator. He has been certified in water treatment, distribution, backflow testing, and cross connection control program administration in several states.

A representative from the Department of Environmental Conservation will also be providing a regulatory update as part of the workshop.

### <u>REGISTRATION - Small System Operator Training: Achieve and Maintain Compliance with the SDWA –</u> <u>September 8, 2016 – Champlain Water District – South Burlington, VT:</u>

Name(s):				
Company/Organization/System name:				
Mailing address:				
Phone number:				
Population served by system	• 0-500	• 501-3,300	• 3,301-10,000	
Email				

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[ ] Check here if you have a disability and require accommodations to fully participate. You will be contacted by NEWWA 🖾

#### Please send completed form to New England Water Works Association: Attn: Jeanne Gilpin Fax 508-893-9898 or e-mail jgilpin@newwa.org, or mail to: 125 Hopping Brook Road, Holliston, MA, 01746

**NOTE:** No confirmation of registration will be sent.