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Event Details

- **Start:** 4 February 2016 8:00 am
- **Venue:** [Chateau Lacombe](#)
- **Categories:** [WCW](#)

Thursday February 4, 2016
Chateau Lacombe, Edmonton, Alberta

0.5 CEUs

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Join us with the provincial government for this new one day seminar that focuses on new and upcoming regulatory changes that impact municipal water, wastewater, and stormwater.

The session provides information on programs and initiative that are coming and how they'll impact your utility. The presentations are from provincial departments and provincial organizations on new initiatives and regulatory developments on a provincial level. This is your chance to hear what's coming down the pipe from our provincial government. The format also allows an opportunity for attendees to interact with the senior government officials developing policies, programs and regulations that will impact operations.

Who should attend: Operations staff, supervisors, consulting engineers, municipal water utility providers, and other water providers,

Speakers: Provincial regulatory and policy employees

A networking event is being held the night before the workshop for attendees and local water professionals at the Chateau Lacombe from 7:00 to 9:30PM. One drink and hot and cold appetizers are included in the \$25 registration fee.

Agenda

8:00 Registration

8:30 Welcome and Introductions

8:35 **Greeting from Minister Shannon Phillips**

Regulatory Implementation & Opportunities

9:00 **Aquatic Invasive Species- Introduction to Issues and Alberta's Approach**, *Kate Wilson, Provincial Aquatic Invasive Species Specialist, Fish and Wildlife Habitat Policy*

9:30 **Alberta Wetland Policy – Implementation**, *Matt Wilson, Wetlands Specialist*,

10:00 Break (30 min)

10:30 **Addressing Alberta's Water Challenges & Opportunities** *The Alberta Innovates –Energy and Environment Solutions – Water Innovation Program*, *Brett Purdy, Senior Director, Water Innovates Program*

11:00 AEMERA (Alberta Environmental Monitoring, Evaluation and Reporting Agency), TBD

11:30 Alberta's Water Shortage Response Plan, John Conrad, Executive Director, Alberta Environmental Support and Emergency Response Team (ASERT)

12:00 Lunch (provided, 45 min)

Beneficial Use/Reuse

12:45 Research Perspective Recycling of Wastewater, Nick Ashbolt, AIHS Alberta Innovates Translational Research Chair in Water School of Public Health

1:30 Regulatory Update for Reclaimed Water in Alberta, Sidney Manning, Chief Inspector, Plumbing and Gas, Municipal Affairs

2:00 Reuse and Stormwater Policy Update, Edith Vanderpuye, Section Head, Water Resources Coordination Section

2:30 Break

2:45 Panel discussion on water reuse/recycling, Moderator: Dan Rites, Executive Director, Alberta Water and Wastewater Operators Association (afternoon speakers)

3:15 Biosolids Update, Gordon Dinwoodie, Reclamation Policy Specialist, Land Conservation and Reclamation Policy Section

4:15-4:30 Closing

Co-Chairs

Jeff Charrois: Manager, Drinking Water and Wastewater Section,
Edith Phillips: Leader, Regulatory Affairs & Compliance, City of Calgary
Dave Curran: Senior Engineer, Drainage Services, City of Edmonton

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Book a hotel room at the Chateau Lacombe for \$129 (+fees \$ taxes, include complimentary parking for one vehicle)

To book, please call 1.800.661.8801 and reference "Western Canada Water." This hotel block is available for booking until January 5, 2016 – please book early to avoid disappointment.



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