

Small Community Wastewater Options Workshop: Introductory Session

Providing communities with the tools to research and adopt a viable solution for their wastewater treatment.

Community leaders, township officials, and county staff, as well as tribal, lake association, and small community members should plan to attend. This valuable workshop provides the opportunity to learn what steps need to be taken to address the wastewater issues that many communities face.

Staff from the University of Minnesota Extension, TetraTech Environmental, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, and funding agencies will teach at the workshop. Additionally, members of communities that have successfully addressed their wastewater needs will share their experiences and insight with attendees.

INTRODUCTORY SESSION DATES & LOCATIONS:

October 15, 2009

Chase on the Lake
502 Cleveland Blvd
Walker, MN

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Questions? Contact:
Laurie Brown

U of M Extension Educator
(218) 726-6475

October 22, 2009

Classroom E119 (E Building)
South Central College
1920 Lee Blvd
Mankato, MN

Ph: (800) 722-9359 or (507) 389-7200

Questions? Contact:
Doug Malchow
U of MN Extension Educator

Agenda

8:30 am	Registration
9:00 am	Introductions
9:15 am	Proper Wastewater Treatment Requirements
9:30 am	Wastewater 101: Introduction to Treatment Options
10:00 am	How to Get Started: Developing A Successful Community Process
10:30 am	Break
10:45 am	Site Evaluations and the Community Assessment Report Process
11:30 am	Lunch
12:15 pm	Funding for the Planning Stages
12:45 pm	Funding System Design and Construction
1:15 pm	Case Studies from Successful Communities
2:45 pm	Discuss upcoming Workshop Series
3:30 pm	Adjourn

Mileage will be paid to workshop attendees that do not represent a for-profit entity.

Scholarships

Additional funds are available to reimburse lodging and per diem costs, if needed. Contact Angie Williams of CTIC at (765) 494-9555 to apply.

Small Community Wastewater Options Workshop Series SESSIONS 2-6

Following the introductory session, you will have the option of continuing with five additional 3-hour sessions over a five month period. **There are no fees associated with the Small Community Wastewater Options Workshop Series.**

This series will provide an opportunity for communities to explore topics in more depth as well as:

- Develop and implement a communication plan
- Complete and submit the Project Priority List Application
- Complete and submit applications to appropriate agencies for planning funds.

Topics to be covered:

Session 2: Review of wastewater treatment options, responsible management entities, and the community decision-making process.

Session 3: Using the site evaluation/CAR process to understand your situation, funding the planning stages, and the MPCA Project Priority List.

Session 4: Data interpretation, wastewater treatment system operation and management

Session 5: Working with professionals and funding a wastewater treatment project

Session 6: Bus tour of a variety of community systems, including "standard" and "advanced" ISTS, cluster soil-based, and municipal style.

INTRODUCTORY SESSION **REGISTRATION**

The \$15 **per person** course fee covers the cost of workshop materials, refreshment breaks and lunch.

Circle your date and location choice:

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**More locations details will be provided
when you register.**

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Questions?:

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