

Achieve & Maintain Compliance with the SDWA

Complimentary Training Workshop for Small Systems

RCAP/AWWA is offering a **FREE** one-day workshop on compliance with the **Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** and steps to avoid costly violations. This workshop is made possible by funding through the USEPA and AWWA's partner, the Rural Community Assistance Partnership. Priority seating will be given to Small System Representative (<10,000 persons served).

December 18th 2018

7:30am sign-in

**Howard County
Bureau of Utilities**

8270 Old Montgomery Rd,
Columbia, MD 21045

Workshop from 8am – 5pm

Lunch will be provided

The Workshop will cover the following topics:

- Distribution System and Water Quality
- Flushing and Main Breaks
- Water Quality Monitoring: Hands-On Learning Lab

Who Should Attend?

Operators, Superintendents, and Managers of Small Drinking Water Systems

Continuing Education Units

The workshop is being submitted to MDE for 7.5 hours of continuing education. A test will be administered for additional credit.

Register On-Line!

You can register for this event online, through our website www.csawwa.org or by [clicking here](#).

For more information, contact Rachel Ellis: info@csawwa.org, 443.924.1032

Attend this workshop, and you will be able to:

- Describe components of the distribution system, and how they can impact water quality
- Describe areas of water quality concern in your system, and ways to improve them.
- Describe what different water quality parameters tell us about distribution system health
- Describe and apply key practices for managing water age and quality during storage
- Describe the importance of flushing
- Identify the components in developing a flushing program
- Preserve water quality when responding to a water main break
- Describe what a cross connection is and recognize a cross connection
- Describe the seriousness of cross-connections, and importance of controlling them
- Outline the emergency response in the event of a backflow
- Use proper protocols and techniques to collect water quality samples
- Interpret water quality sample results
- Determine appropriate follow-up, based on water quality challenges



This program is being offered as a collaboration between RCAP and AWWA. The local section representatives from these organizations are responsible to promote and deliver this training, and look forward to seeing you there!

