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HIGHLIGHTS:

St. Louis Branch APWA Luncheon - Joint Meeting with SITE

Thursday, October 26, 2023

“Economic Climate and Potential Impact to
our Industries in the Future ”

At Orlando’s in Maryland Heights.
Networking starting at 11:30 am.
Lunch at noon.

Register by Friday, October 20, 2023 at 4 pm!

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APWA Fall Conference
Columbia, MO
11/1—11/3/2023

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Fall DEI Happy Hour
10/19/2023

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APWA NEWS

LETTER TO MEMBERSHIP

Dear APWA Missouri Chapter Members,

We have had a busy, successful, and fun year thus far at the St. Louis Branch!

Below is a brief recap and what's still to come in 2023 for the St. Louis Branch.

Monthly Luncheons:

We've had 8 monthly luncheons and the May BBQ so far. There has been outstanding attendance at our events and interesting presentations at our luncheons, thank you! We've been able to host joint luncheons with SAME, IRWA, and APA.

A new idea that we tried this year was inviting our summer interns to the July luncheon. This was great to be able to show what APWA is all about and to network with some future engineers. We are planning to continue this next year and beyond.

What's still to come.....Our last monthly luncheon of the year will be on October 26th at Orlando's and will be a joint meeting with SITE. I'm happy to announce that we have secured a date and location for the Holiday luncheon. The date will be December 7th and we are back at Hollywood Casino. The Eat Up Buffet is permanently gone, but we are reserving the Nightclub private area for our event. It looks like an exciting location and should be a great time! More information to come on this.

Continuing Education and Training Committee:

It's been a busy year for continuing education and training. We've hosted superintendent roundtables, public works directors' roundtables, construction inspection class, and work zone safety and flagger training. Thanks to all who attended these!

Special Events and Activities Committee:

We've had a fun time so far with Laser Tag in April, July Happy Hour at Trainwreck Saloon, and Pickleball at the Missouri Pickle Club in August. Be on the lookout for another event this year.

Ken Yost Golf Tournament:

On September 18th, we had our 15th annual Ken Yost Golf Tournament. It was another successful golf tournament. Thanks to everyone who attended!

Advocacy and Outreach Committee:

We were able to volunteer our time at the St. Louis Area Foodbank in August where we packaged boxes of food for seniors. We held a prize drawing in May, and a 50/50 drawing at the Ken Yost golf tournament, with all proceeds to be donated to the St. Louis Crisis Nursery at the end of the year. Our last prize drawing will be at our Holiday Luncheon. Please be sure to bring cash.

Thanks to all our committee chairs and committee members for making this an exciting and successful year so far! Thanks to all our members and guests for attending our monthly luncheons and all of our various events throughout the year. I am looking forward to the Holiday luncheon and I hope everyone can join!

Thank you,

John Keeven
Chair of the St. Louis Branch

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SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES

St. Louis Branch Meeting Minutes September 27, 2023

Chair John Keeven called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Lunch

John announced that the head table will go first and asked that everyone please follow.

Business Meeting

Following lunch John welcomed those from the American Planning Association (APA), thanked everyone for coming, and then made the following announcements:

- Chapter Website (Steve Meyer)
 - Steve and Bruce are working to learn the new website functionality
 - The old [censored] website was better than the three new [censored] websites.
 - The frustration has been communicated to the executive leadership
 - If you were overcharged for an event, contact chapterservices@apwa.org for reimbursement.
 - Thanks for the patience during this transition.
- Continuing Education and Training (Matt Malick)
 - Today was a director roundtable that was well attended.
 - Still looking for a location and date for a superintendent roundtable. Please look for further details in chapter emails.
 - To suggest locations or agenda items for the superintendent roundtable, please contact Michael Leady.
 - Contact [Bruce McGregor](#) or [Matt Malick](#) for more information.
- Ken Yost Golf Tournament (Matt Malick)
 - Last week was the 15th Annual Tournament
 - Great weather, awesome turnout.
 - The tournament was able to raise over \$7,200 to support the chapter's scholarship program and Engineer's Without Borders.
 - Thank you to the attendees, sponsors, and volunteers for putting together another great event.
- Advocacy and Outreach
 - Our last prize drawing of the year to benefit the St. Louis Crisis Nursery, will be at the December Holiday Luncheon.
 - We are looking for donations for the drawing.
 - Please reach out to [Theresa](#) if you're able to donate.

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SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES (CONT.)

- Special Events and Activities
 - An event is being planned for October, be on the lookout for that.
 - Laser Tag is being looked into for the winter event, more details to follow.
- Awards and Historical Committee
 - The submittal deadline is being extended through Monday, October 2nd.
 - Steve's old email address is listed on the website, but the correct email address is sstumpf@f-w.com.
 - The award submittal deadline is being extended through Monday, October 2nd.
- Missouri Chapter Update
 - Conference Update (Jacque Knight)
 - Fall conference will be November 1-3 in Columbia, MO
 - Registration is open, and the link for the conference and room reservations are available on the website.
 - Exciting conference schedule
 - Bike tour planned; rentals available
 - If you want to volunteer, the link for that is on the website, too.
- Communications
 - Contact [Steve Meyer](#) for any email announcements or job postings.
 - Contact [Kelley Davis](#) for anything to be added to the newsletter.
- APA Announcements (Jacob Trimble)
 - Monthly educational opportunities are available online
 - APA Conference is in October
- Attendance Prizes
 - Erica Ridgway
 - Steve Merk

Speaker

Derek Koestel introduced this month's speakers, a panel of professionals discussing Community Oriented Transportation. The panel was moderated by Tom Blair with assistance from Jen Wade from MoDOT. The panelists were Eddie Watkins and Shaun Tooley from MoDOT, Julie Nolfo from Lochmueller Group, and Jacque Knight from CMT.

The panelists discussed how better collaboration between planners and engineers from the start can help foster community betterment through transportation decision-making including social, economic, environmental matters.

This session explored how inter-professional collaboration, critical thinking, and receptivity can lead to safer transportation systems that provide enhanced accessibility and quality of life within our communities.

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SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES (CONT.)

Derek presented the panel and moderators with certificates of appreciation.

John made a few final announcements to close the meeting:

- Next business meeting of the APWA St. Louis Branch will be held on Thursday, October 26, 2023, at Orlando's.
- This meeting will be a joint meeting with SITE.
- The speaker will be Scott Colbert from Commerce Bank, discussing the state of the Missouri Economy.

John adjourned the meeting at 1:24 PM

Minutes respectfully submitted by Jon Loos, Secretary

APWA NEWS

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Due to the ongoing issues with the new website, we were not able to pull a list of new members again this month. However, we will be sure to recognize them in a future issue. At this rate it may be a 5 page list...

To all the new members: Welcome to APWA Missouri!!



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MO CHAPTER APWA SPONSORSHIP

Dear Potential Sponsor,

The American Public Works Association (APWA) exists to develop and support the people, agencies, and organizations that plan, build, maintain, and improve our communities. Just as communities count on their public works professionals, APWA strives to be the organization those professionals know they can count on.

We invite you to become a 2023 sponsor of the APWA Missouri Chapter and partner with our organization to further our mutual goals.

The APWA Missouri Chapter, established in 1958, engages in the same educational, networking and public service activities as our national parent organization, but we do so close to home where members can easily take advantage of our programs. The Missouri Chapter offers members various opportunities to attend educational programs, biannual conferences, and equipment shows as well as chances to network with their colleagues and peers in a professional setting. Missouri Chapter members represent every discipline in the public works field including public works directors and engineers, contractors, engineering consultants, material and equipment suppliers, public works street superintendents, project managers, stormwater professionals, and many others.

Missouri Chapter APWA is offering your organization an opportunity to share in our mission and success through sponsorship. Annual sponsorships for 2023 offer a wide range of opportunities to fit every company's marketing budget. Your sponsorship promotes and enables the educational mission and goals of the Missouri Chapter, and can also enable enhanced relationships with existing clients, facilitate new relationships with potential clients and strengthen your visibility in the state-wide public works industry.

Please take a moment to review the following sponsorship information, including the benefits of sponsorship, and consider choosing a level that best fits your abilities and company's budget. The benefits will be applied for the entire calendar year of 2023.

Silver Level: \$150 - \$499

Special recognition at Chapter conferences in the spring and fall
Sponsor's name printed on Chapter conference agendas in the spring and fall
Special recognition on APWA Missouri Chapter website and monthly newsletters

Gold Level: \$500 - \$999

All benefits of Silver Level Sponsor, plus:
Opportunity to write an article for the Chapter newsletter once per year

Platinum Level: \$1,000+

All benefits of Gold Level Sponsor, plus:
One conference registration and vendor booth for the 2022 spring or fall Chapter conference

To sponsor Missouri Chapter APWA for 2023, use the following link where payment method can be selected which includes check or credit card: <http://missouri.apwa.org/EventDetails/27716>

APWA Missouri Chapter is a division of the APWA national organization, which is a not-for-profit, 510 (c) (3) organization. APWA's Federal Tax Identification Number 36-2202880

If you have any questions, please contact me at (314) 822-5820 or via e-mail at kruegeca@kirkwoodmo.org.

Thank you for considering a 2023 sponsorship of the APWA Missouri Chapter!

Kindest Regards,



Chris Krueger, P.E.
Vice-President

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MO CHAPTER APWA SPONSORS - 2023

The **Missouri Chapter APWA** appreciates the generosity of our sponsors in helping support the educational opportunities made possible to our members!

PLATINUM LEVEL



Gold Level \$500+



Silver Level \$150+



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APWA MO CHAPTER OUTREACH

Holiday Raffle Time!!! Donations needed!

Since 2012, the St. Louis branch of the Missouri APWA has helped families from the St. Louis Crisis Family Nursery during the holiday season to provide a brighter Christmas morning to those in need. Last year, we were able to raise \$3,390 for Crisis Nursery. The first raffle was held in May, and we raised \$1,100. Our last raffle will be at the APWA Holiday Party in December, and we need your help!



We need items that people would want to buy raffle tickets for. Some of our wish list items would include tablets, golf foursomes, sports memorabilia, sports tickets (Cardinals, Blues), restaurant or store gift cards, or other items that somebody like you would enjoy winning if you bought a raffle ticket. Nothing is too small, nor too large. If your company would like to support our efforts by either providing one of the items, or just making a monetary donation, please contact [Theresa Goetz](mailto:Theresa.Goetz@horner-shifrin.com).

If you are interested in donating for our Holiday Raffle, please contact:

Theresa M. Goetz (314) 249-3723 or tmgoetz@horner-shifrin.com

Raffle Tickets
1 for \$5, 3 for \$10, 8 for \$20 and 20 for \$40

Thank you for your generosity in advance!!!

Thanks to all the companies that donated to the raffle in May! We raised \$1,100!



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APWA MO CHAPTER OUTREACH

Volunteers Needed for 8th Grade Mentoring Program!!!

Goal - To introduce the engineering field to under-resourced communities.

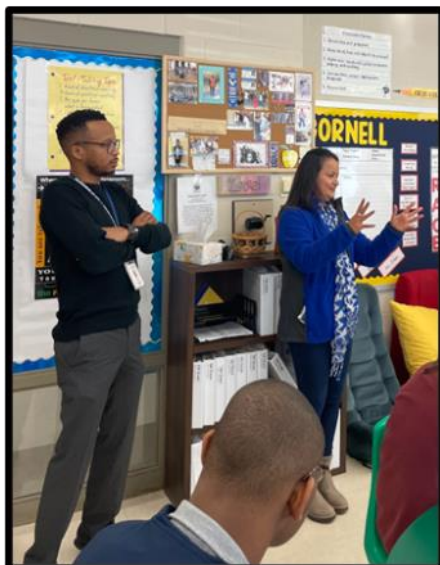
You can't be what you can't see. - Marian Wright Edelman

Last school year, a group of APWA members started a program to visit 8th graders in under-resourced communities to explain what infrastructure engineering is and work through an example of a problem that normally occurs in our field. This was a success!!! We were asked to come back this year. Below are the dates that we will be visiting the schools. We have a couple of presentations that are already made, or you can revise it to your experiences.

Please contact Amy Touchette Brown @ atouchettebrown@cdgengineers.com if you are interested.

APWA PRESENTATIONS:

- Oct. 26th 10am - Central Middle School
- Nov. 8th 10am - Long International Middle School
- Nov. 30th 10am - Yeatman-Liddel Preparatory Middle School
- Dec. 5th - Westview Middle School
- Feb. 8th - KIPP: Inspire Middle School
- Feb. 22nd - Confluence Old North Middle School



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APWA MO CHAPTER ADVOCACY UPDATE

For questions, comments or additional information contact Chris Linneman at cdlinneman@efkmoen.com

ENGINEERING DAY AT THE STATE CAPITOL JANUARY 31, 2024

ACEC, ASCE, MSPE and APWA are planning the 2nd annual Engineering Day Event in Jefferson City at the Capitol Building. This will be similar to what other occupational organizations do (doctors, law enforcement, teachers) to build relationships with lawmakers, providing them resources for policy decisions that affect us. More details to come soon.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

The Missouri Broadband Office's recently released [Five Year Plan](#) document outlines how Missouri will use \$1.7 billion in [BEAD](#) program funds to expand internet access. The broadband office is requesting that municipalities report the address and internet speeds of their community anchor institutions using the University of Missouri's [collection survey](#).

Missouri 911 dispatchers now qualify as first responders. A bill Missouri Gov. Mike Parson signed into law in July gives dispatchers access to expanded benefits, including mental health care services and earlier retirement, by defining them as first responders and allowing jurisdictions to do the same. Qualifying Public Works employees as first responders is on our radar for future possible Missouri legislation.

Office of Management and Budget's final [Build America, Buy America guidance](#) is helpful for infrastructure projects receiving federal financial assistance.

The Department of Labor has published the final rule updating the [Davis-Bacon labor standard regulations](#), which set forth the rules for the administration and enforcement of the Davis-Bacon labor standards for federal and federally assisted construction projects.

The House and Senate convened to consider the 201 line-items eligible for consideration for Veto override. Members did make motions to override certain line-items; the Section 19.303 for the planning, design, land acquisition, utility relocation and construction of capacity improvements on I-44, Section 19.504 for the planning, design and construction of a police center in St. Louis City. The overrides were sent to the Senate for their consideration. The Senate did not take action on any overrides, leaving Governor Mike Parson's budget cuts in place.

AWARDS

2023 PACE AWARDS FOLLOW-UP

“The President’s Award for Chapter Excellence (PACE) recognizes local chapters for contributions made to positively impact their membership, profession and community, celebrating their accomplishments in a given year. Thanks to all of our volunteers and members for planning and attending these wonderful events. I would like to thank April Giesmann for her leadership in 2022 and recognize her significant effort in preparing the successful PACE award application.”

Lee Cannon

Lee Cannon, Missouri Chapter President

Here’s a photo of our Chapter accepting the award at PWX in San Diego:



AWARDS

2023 Ken Stumpf Golf Tournament Results



***Ken Stumpf Memorial APWA
 Mid-MO Golf Classic***

The 2023 Ken Stumpf Memorial APWA Mid-MO Golf Classic was another huge success with 18 teams participating from around the state. Ken’s sons Steve, Mark and Chris and grandson Calvin where there to play in the tournament and gave some opening remarks. The event turned out great and the camaraderie of our members and friends was evident. Ken’s favorite charity was the Salvation Army and his family asked that the tournament proceeds to be donated to them again this year. Through the efforts of the tournament committee and generosity of the members in attendance, we were able to raise **\$4,200** for the Salvation Army. This surpassed last year’s total donation by \$900. Below is a list of the winners:

Flight A

- 1st – Western Materials - 58
- 2nd – The Miller Companies - 61

Flight B

- 1st – MO/KS Chapter ACPA - 63
- 2nd – Great River Engineering - 64

Flight C

- 1st – CMT - 68
- 2nd – Team Verheyen - 69



Ken Stumpf
 1950-2015

A special thank you goes out to all of the sponsors who contributed a combined \$1,850 to offset tournament costs adding to our contribution amount to the Salvation Army. Another thank you goes out to Jamey Martin and Maylie Holt from Tanglewood Golf Course. They have been great to work with over the years and the course was in great shape as usual. We also want to thank our tournament committee members who made this possible: Todd Kempker, Britt Smith, Eric Landwehr, Kyle Landwehr, Steve Schultz, Kyle Bruemmer and Mike Teel.

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DEI

DEI UPDATE

What is a gender pronoun?

In the English language, gender pronouns are gender identifiers when referring to a specific individual in the third person. In the past, gender pronouns were separated into masculine (he/him/his) and feminine (she/her/hers) categories. Using only masculine and feminine pronouns is called gender binary and only recognizes men and women. However, many people identify outside of this gender binary. Gender-neutral or nonbinary pronouns such as they/ them/theirs or xe/xer/xers (ze/zir/zirs) allow people to use pronouns they feel are more suited to their identity. The terms “it” or “he-she” are slurs used against transgender and gender nonconforming individuals, and should never be used.

PRONOUNS BEYOND GENDER



ENGLISH: singular they/them/their
“My friend is nonbinary. For them it is important to embrace their full human diversity beyond arbitrary gender roles.”

Why do pronouns matter?

A person’s outward appearance or name will not always indicate their gender. Therefore, it is important not to make assumptions based on them. Just like a person’s name, a pronoun is connected to identity. If an incorrect pronoun is used it can make someone uncomfortable and possibly even marginalized or isolated. Using the correct pronouns fosters respect and inclusivity.

What can I do to be more inclusive?

- ◆ Use someone’s personal pronouns if they have shared them.
- ◆ If someone has not shared their personal pronouns you can ask them.
 - *“What pronouns do you use?”*
 - *“What are your personal pronouns?”*
- ◆ If unsure, use a person’s name instead of a pronoun.
 - For example if someone asks if you know Chris from the KC Metro Chapter you could respond *“No, I do not know Chris.”*
- ◆ If you do not know a person’s gender, pronouns, or name then use descriptive gender neutral language to refer to them.
 - *“Please give that flyer to the person in the red shirt standing by the door.”*
- ◆ Add your own pronouns to your email signature and LinkedIn page.
- ◆ Gently correct someone if you know they have used an incorrect pronoun.
 - *“Actually, Steph uses they/them pronouns.”*
- ◆ Use nametags with a space for pronouns or provide optional pronoun stickers at events.



International Pronouns Day is the third Wednesday in October. This year it will fall on October 18, 2023. Learn more here: <https://pronouns.org/day>

CALENDAR

AT A GLANCE

UPCOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| Date | Event | Location |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| 10/26/2023 | Luncheon with SITE / Super Roundtable | Orlando's |
| 11/1/2023 | Brining Training | Webster Groves Public Works |
| 11/1-11/3/2023 | APWA MO Fall Conference | Holiday Inn Executive Center, Columbia, MO |
| 12/7/2023 | Holiday Luncheon | Hollywood Casino, Maryland Heights |

CALENDAR

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

SAVE THE DATE!

BRINING TRAINING

Our urban waters are being polluted by chloride. The best way to reduce chloride in our environment is to reduce the amount of road salt used. Applying brine to roads as an anti-icing pretreatment can drastically decrease the amount of salt used, decreasing the amount of chloride that ends up in rivers and streams **without compromising on safety**. Join us to learn about the environmental and financial benefits of brining from local professionals who have already made the transition.

Featuring presentations by Dr. Danelle Haake of the National Great Rivers Research and Education Center, Roland Biehl of the Metropolitan Saint Louis Sewer District, Todd Rehg of the City of Webster Groves, and Stacy Arnold of the Deer Creek Watershed Alliance. Topics covered include:

- Chloride Reduction Planning and Implementation Efforts to Improve Water Quality in the Deer Creek Watershed
- Reducing Chloride in Urban Stormwater
- Municipal Winter Deicing Best Management Practices in the Saint Louis Area
- Financial Benefits of Brining in Webster Groves
- Tour and Demonstration of Webster Groves' Brining Equipment

November 1, 2023

1–4 p.m.

Webster Groves Public Works

145 E. Waymire Avenue
Webster Groves, MO 63119

Free of charge. Seats are limited.

Register by October 18.

Learn more and register at www.deercreekalliance.org/brining_workshop_2023



Deer Creek Watershed Alliance, a project of Missouri Botanical Garden, is funded by Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District, Mabel Dorn Reeder Foundation, the Holton family, Great Rivers Greenway, Open Space STL, Missouri Department of Conservation, and US EPA Region 7 through the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (G22-NPS-09), under Section 319 of the Clean Water Act.

RSVP to www.deercreekalliance.org/brining_workshop_2023 by October 18.

CALENDAR

ST. LOUIS BRANCH APWA LUNCHEON

St. Louis Branch APWA Luncheon

Joint Meeting with SITE

Thursday, October 26, 2023

Networking starting at 11:30 a.m.
Lunch at Noon
Cost is \$25

Location: Orlando's

2050 Dorsett Village Drive

Maryland Heights, MO 63043

***"Economic Climate and Potential Impact
to our Industries in the Future "***

Scott Colbert, CFA - Executive Vice President, Commerce Trust Company



Recession looming? Commercial market slow down? Soft landing?...or busy times ahead for the construction market! Be sure to join SITE Improvement Association and the American Public Works Association at their Joint Membership meeting to learn about the Economic Forecast impacting the construction industry.

Scott Colbert, Executive Vice President at Commerce Bank, will give an in-depth view of economic indicators and projections for the region, construction industry, and national economy. Scott does a wonderful job connecting the audience to the topic and his passion and energy are sure to keep you on the edge of your seat. Every business owner and leadership team should be attending this one!

Credit Card Payment in Advance is highly encouraged, and will result in express check-in. Payment at the door will be accepted by cash or check. Credit Cards **cannot** be accepted at the door.

Register here: <https://missouri.apwa.org/event/st-louis-branch-luncheon-joint-meeting-with-site/>

In order to register for an event, sign in to your APWA National account. The Sign In tab is located in the upper right corner of the page. Click *Sign In* and enter your username and password. Once you enter your username and password, click Register Now and you will be directed to the registration page for that event. There is NO COST to create an account and you are NOT required to be a member of APWA.

CALENDAR

DIVERSITY HAPPY HOUR



**SCHLAFLY BOTTLE WORKS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19 | 5-7 PM**



**JOIN US FOR DRINKS AND DISCUSSION WITH A HAPPY
HOUR HOSTED BY MO-APWA, MO-AWWA, AND MWEA
DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & INCLUSION COMMITTEES.
ALL ARE WELCOME!**



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CALENDAR

APWA MO FALL CONFERENCE

SAVE THE DATE!

MISSOURI APWA

FALL CONFERENCE 2023

Wed 11/1 – Fri 11/3

Holiday Inn Executive Center
Columbia, Missouri

Join the Missouri Chapter of the American Public Works Association for our fall 2023 conference! Educational sessions, networking & more! Mobile tours are back for 2023!

MORE INFORMATION TO COME

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AMY TOUCHETTE-BROWN
ATOUCHEBROWN@CDGENEERS.COM

Room Block: Holiday Inn- Executive Center-Columbia Mall

CALENDAR

APWA MO FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

**SCHEDULE AT
 A GLANCE**



**Get Acquainted Party - Sponsored by CAM
 Wednesday 11/1 • 5 - 7pm (SportsZone)**

11/2 MISSOURI APWA FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

| TIME | GENERAL SESSION | TRACK 1 | TRACK 2 | BIKE TOUR |
|------------------|---|---|--|---|
| 8:00 - 9:15AM | Breakfast, Local Welcome & Keynote | | | |
| 9:45 - 10:35AM | | Asset Management & GIS | Maximizing your APWA membership - getting involved young! | |
| 10:45 - 11:35AM | | Project Management 101: How not to manage a project to the ground | Downtown West Revitalization: Building Streets for Vibrant Neighborhoods | |
| 11:35AM - 1:05PM | Lunch, APWA update & swearing in, Awards | | | |
| 1:30 - 2:20PM | | Advancing Missouri Rail Crossing Safety: SW Chief Passenger Rail | Maximizing Project Flexibility with Design Build | 14 mile tour through Columbia - no drop ride! |
| 2:30 - 3:20PM | | AI Impacts on Public Works Professionals | Building Resiliency through FEMA Grant Opportunities | |
| 4 - 6PM | Exhibitor Happy Hour | | | |
| 6 - 10PM | Dinner Social Sponsored by Missouri Petroleum | | | |

CALENDAR

APWA MO FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

**SCHEDULE AT
 A GLANCE**



11/3 MISSOURI APWA FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

| TIME | GENERAL SESSION | TRACK 1 | TRACK 2 |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| 8:30 - 10:00AM | Breakfast & Keynote | | |
| 10:00 - 10:30AM | BREAK & Exhibitor teardown | | |
| 10:30 - 11:20AM | | PFAS 101: A Utility Perspective | Missouri S&T's Enhancement of Workforce Development Training and Resources for Public Works Departments |

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REGISTER TODAY: <https://missouri.apwa.org/event/missouri-apwa-chapter-fall-conference-2023/>

CALENDAR

APWA MO FALL CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIPS

Missouri APWA – Fall Conference 2023
Wednesday, 11/1 – Friday, 11/3
 Holiday Inn Executive Center
 Columbia, Missouri



Already signed up
 to sponsor!



APWA Missouri Fall Conference Sponsorship Levels

| Sponsor Level | Cost | Includes |
|---------------|--------|--|
| Silver | \$3000 | Logo on conference gift, exhibit booth, 1 registration, logo on all conference materials (1 total available) - <i>Thank you Pacific Geosource!</i> |
| Bronze | \$1500 | Exhibit booth, 1 registration, logo on all conference materials |
| Meal | \$500 | Logo signage at meal lines, logo on all conference materials |
| Supporting | \$350 | Logo on all conference materials |
| Exhibit | \$575 | Exhibit booth (includes electric), 1 registration, logo on exhibit hall poster at Exhibitor Happy Hour (Exhibit booths are limited in number. Booth location availability & location on first come first serve basis. Reserve ASAP!) |

Fall Conference Sponsorships are now available!
 Contact Tricia Bohler – tbohler@civildesigninc.com



You can expect great programs, signature events and networking opportunities!

CALENDAR

FALL CONFERENCE CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

MISSOURI APWA

FALL CONFERENCE 2023

Wed 11/1 – Fri 11/3

Holiday Inn Executive Center
Columbia, Missouri

We are currently seeking volunteers to assist with putting on the fall conference. Positions include in-room moderators, name tag & registration prep, general day of help, and more. This is a great way to get involved in APWA !

Are you interested?

CONTACT:
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CALENDAR

APWA MO FALL CONFERENCE BIKE TOUR



ANNOUNCING:

MISSOURI APWA

FALL CONFERENCE BIKE TOUR

WHEN:

- Thursday, November 2, 1–4pm

RSVP & QUESTIONS:

- Jacque Knight
- Jknight@cmtengr.com

DETAILS:

- 14 miles
- Varying Columbia streets & facility types
- Bring your own bike or borrow from Local Motion

**No drop ride – ALL are welcome!
RSVP today by e-mailing Jacque. Space is limited!**



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City of St. Peters

Project Engineer
\$39.50/hr. (\$82,160.00)

Under general direction, performs responsible office and field engineering work in the planning, development, design and inspection of budgeted capital improvement projects.

Minimum Requirements:

- Must be a U.S. citizen or lawfully authorized alien worker.
- Undergraduate degree in Civil Engineering or related field, from an accredited college or university, with Engineer in Training (EIT) or Engineering Intern (EI) Certification.
- Motor Vehicle Operator's license valid in the state of Missouri.
- Ability to lift and handle a minimum of 75 lbs

This position is responsible for the oversight and management of City projects and reviewing development plans to ensure they comply with City standards.

Seeking a candidate with excellent verbal and written communication skills. Must be able to read blueprints and have computer experience with Microsoft products. Experience with mapping systems (ArcGIS) and databases is a plus but not required. Work will include project management of City infrastructure projects, the review of plans for utility installations within the right-of-way and for new development and redevelopment of sites. Project management will include the review of plans, negotiating easement and right-of-way acquisitions, creating bid documents, project construction oversight, and the review and payment of invoices. Please see attached job description for a more detailed list of the job duties.

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City of Sedalia
Director of Public Works
\$83,395 - \$124,790

The City of Sedalia, Missouri is looking for an experienced professional with project management skills and broad technical expertise to lead its Public Works Department! Founded in 1860 as a railroad town, Sedalia is a community rich in history. But just as the rail system has evolved, so has this west-central Missouri city of approximately 22,000. Where the railroad once provided easy access to larger cities, now highways 50 and 65 serve as the crossroads to compass points beyond and have made Sedalia the retail and manufacturing hub for five counties.

The community's next Public Works Director will have broad technical expertise, excellent project management skills, and experience with streets and traffic, solid waste and recycling, water and wastewater treatment operations, storm and sewer maintenance, and infrastructure financing. They will understand the relevant federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and policies regulating their industry and the customer service and community relations expectations of City leaders.

The right person for this position has experience developing and implementing short- and long-range goals and objectives, an annual departmental budget, and a Capital Improvements Program. They work well under pressure, have the organizational skills needed to oversee multiple high-profile capital construction projects and initiatives, and have the communication and people skills to work in a typical municipal environment focused on collaboration and cooperation.

This position requires a bachelor's degree in public administration, business management, engineering or a related field from an accredited college or university and five years of progressively responsible managerial experience in public works, utilities, engineering, or any combination thereof.

Candidates must also have knowledge of municipal government accounting practices and planning and a valid driver's license. Certification as a Project Manager is preferred, as is possession of a Professional Engineer license.

[Please apply online](#)

OTHER

ADDITIONAL NEWS & FACTS

APWA Website Update:



APWA is still working on the new website. Many services such as member login, invoice payment, certification, purchases, etc., are still not available. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact National at memberservices@apwa.org.

To learn more about the transition visit: https://www.apwa.org/MyApwa/Apwa_Public/New_Platform_Announcements.aspx

Breast Cancer Awareness Month:

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. According to the National Breast Cancer Foundation, 1 in 8 women in the United States will be

diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime. In 2023, an estimated 297,790 women and 2,800 men will be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer. Chances are, you know at least one person who has been personally affected by breast cancer. Find out more information and how you can help advocate for awareness here:

<https://www.nationalbreastcancer.org/>



A few other October observances with links to more information:

- ⇒ [ADHD Awareness Month](#)
- ⇒ [Down Syndrome Awareness Month](#)
- ⇒ [Filipino American History Month](#)
- ⇒ [Italian-American Heritage and Culture Month](#)
- ⇒ [LGBT History Month](#)
- ⇒ [National Domestic Violence Awareness Month](#)
- ⇒ [Polish American Heritage Month](#)