## **ARWA TRAINING AGENDA**

Utility Board Member/Decisionmaker Training Rainbow City, AL - Nov 28, 2023

Time: 2:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Location: Rainbow City Library/Community Center

3700 Rainbow Drive

Rainbow City, AL 35906



## **Agenda Items**

From	Until	Description - Provider
02:30 PM	03:00 PM	Participant Registration and Networking - Kickstart the training session by registering and engaging in initial networking with fellow participants and experts in the field. ARWA Staff, ARWA
03:00 PM	03:15 PM	Welcome Address and Key Updates - A hearty welcome followed by crucial updates regarding the training session and the water and wastewater utility sector. Derek Pierce, ARWA
03:15 PM	04:15 PM	Legal Ethics and Political Advocacy in Utility Management - Delve into the intersection of legal ethics and political advocacy, exploring how these elements play a vital role in utility management. Mike Cole, Wilmer & Lee - Attorneys at Law
04:15 PM	05:00 PM	Navigating Funding Opportunities - Uncover various funding avenues and learn about financial management strategies crucial for the sustainable operation of utilities. Panel Discussion, USDA-RD - ADEM-SRF
05:00 PM	05:45 PM	Asset Management: Focusing on Tank Maintenance - Explore asset management principles with a spotlight on maintaining tanks efficiently to ensure longevity and service reliability. TBD, Southern Corrosion
05:45 PM	06:30 PM	Dinner and Continued Networking - Enjoy a sumptuous dinner while continuing to network and share insights with peers and industry professionals. Sponored in Part By, Southern Corrosion
06:30 PM	07:15 PM	<b>Optimizing Engagement with Laboratories for Accurate Results</b> - Learn strategies for engaging effectively with laboratories to achieve accurate testing and analysis, enhancing utility service quality. TBD, <i>Pace Analytical</i>
07:15 PM	08:00 PM	Regulatory Landscape Update - Stay updated with the latest regulatory changes and understand their implications on water and wastewater utility management. TBD, ADEM

This Training Session will provide 4.25 Water/Wastewater CEH's Subject to ADEM Approval.