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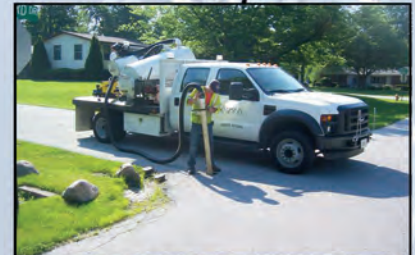
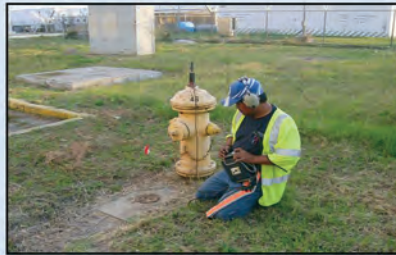
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Chair's Message

Jeff Peters



So far 2011 has been a busy and fruitful year for the Indiana Section and it looks to remain that way well into 2012. The planning for our Section's 2012 Annual Meeting started immediately following the closing session of the 2011 Annual Meeting. I know our Chair Elect, Duane Gilles, has been working diligently to put together a quality program that is educational, interesting and fun. If you haven't circled the Annual Meeting date on your calendar yet, take a minute now and circle February 21st, 22nd and 23rd of 2012 on your calendar. It will be here sooner that we realize.

This summer the Water For People Committee planned and organized some outstanding events, most of which I had the opportunity to attend. And I'd like to tip my hat to Duane Gilles (again) for the work he and his committee did on the outstanding concert in Evansville on September 29th. This was my third year attending the Evansville concert and each year it seems to grow in number of attendees, sponsorships and just pure fun.

I'd like to recognize Sarah Hudson for the outstanding job she did this year (with a lot of support from her committee) on the 5K Run/Walk for World Water. Here again, Sarah and her committee set a new attendance record for this event this year. This was also my third year as a participant and in the Run/Walk and, although I'm not a very athletic person, it's becoming one of my favorite events on the annual calendar. And I'd like to give a "shout out" to my buddy Marty Wessler for taking home the Corporate Challenge Trophy for the second year in a row. The question is: Can he do it three years in a row? I guess we'll find out next August.

The WFP Committee also sponsored several other fundraising events this year (the Valparaiso concert with the Crawpuppies, the Wine into Water event in South Bend, and of course, our annual golf outing at Eagle Creek Golf Course. All were huge successes. The next time you see Jim Williams and any of his committee members, please give them a pat on the back for the outstanding work that they do for Water For People.

I also had the privilege of attending all 5 Fall District meetings this past September. Jeff Morris and his committee did an outstanding job of organizing and conducting the Meter Madness competition at each meeting and I have to say I was amazed at some of the times that the competitors turned in. I think the best time I saw was in the range of 22 seconds. Heads up to all of our district winners that will be competing at the annual conference in February; practice, practice, practice. I have a feeling 20 seconds or less is going to take home the trophy this year.

Thanks to all of the District officers for the outstanding programs they assembled this year. I thought the content of the programs was top notch and most meetings were very well attended. I think the Northwest District is in for a run for their money from a couple of Districts that were able to show strong attendance this spring and fall.

Yes, it has been a busy year on all fronts for the Indiana Section, but hopefully most of you were able to join us at one of the WFP events or a District meeting. And I hope to see each and every one of you in February for what looks to be shaping up as one of our best programs ever.

Special points of interest:

- Congratulations to Dan McVay, page 15
- Besozzi Student Grant Application, pages 20-21

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Direct from the Director

Dan Hood



At the Board of Directors meeting in June the board voted to make changes to the membership fees and one of the membership categories. Dues will increase for most members by \$5.00. The dues will also increase for Utilities and Service Providers, with the exception of Small Systems and Small Service Providers. There will not be an increase to the Student Membership Fee.

AWWA had not raised membership fees for the previous two years due to the tough economy. Over the past several years staff has taken steps to reduce the operating budget by over 4 million dollars. Cuts were made in many areas, wages were frozen and vacant positions were not filled.

For the last two years we've watched a slow decline in total members due to attrition, early retirements and budget tightening. More worrisome was the decline in paying members. The largest growing membership type has been Life Members which currently is 11% of total members. Current projects reflect that within 10 years over 25% of our members will fall into the Life Member category. We all know that no organization or business is sustainable with 25% of their members receiving free service.

At a special board meeting in September the AWWA Board of Directors voted to change the bylaws in regard to the Life Membership Category. In the past a person qualified for life membership after 30 years of membership. The new qualification for life membership will be 30 years of membership and obtaining the age of 65. All current life members will retain the title of life member. Now Life members will be required to pay membership dues at half the active member rate. Currently it will be Eighty-Five dollars. Once a person reaches the age of 65 and retires they may switch to the retired member category for \$35 dollars, or \$45 with Journal.

Life Member was the only membership category that was also an award. From now on Life membership will be a membership category and will no longer be an award. The 30 years of membership award be called by a new name, possibly the Water Steward Award. The new name is to be finalized at the November AWWA Executive Committee meeting.

Committee Reports

Nominating Committee

Dan Hood, Chair

The nominating committee of the Indiana Section AWWA has duly selected and is pleased to present the following proposed Slate of Officers for the 2012-2013 term:

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Membership

Philip Smith, Chair

New Members

During July, August and September of 2011, 23 water professionals joined the Indiana Section AWWA. Please welcome the following people:

Thomas Allbaugh - Bringhurst	Bradley Barnes - Kirklin	Lonni Boyd - Dugger
William Carroll - Evansville	Barbara Dillard - Greenfield	Ken Durham - Newburgh
David Goldwater - Noblesville	Mark Guthrie - Terre Haute	Scott Haggard - Morgantown
Deborah Harris - Merrillville	Scott Herald - Indianapolis	Michael Irving - Indianapolis
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Brian Pleuss - Newburgh	Brian Pullia - Dyer	Brent Robertson - Newburgh
Bob Shaffer - LaGrange	Travis Speece - Milltown	

Making Use of the World Wide Web

These new members now may join other members of AWWA in being able to participate in the several discussion forums of AWWA.org. Discussions cover such subjects as:

- Finance, Accounting and Management Control
- Utility Safety
- Any and All Drinking Water Issues (for the general public)
- Technical Issues

Anyone may view the hundreds of posts, but you must be a registered AWWA member to actually contribute to the discussion threads.

The Indiana Section also has a home on the Internet, INAWWA.org. On it you will find two links (as well as others) that can be very useful. Click on [Change Membership Information](#) and you will be transported to AWWA.org where you can login to change your address, mail preferences and other member information. Back to the Indiana Section Website, if you click on the [Member Login](#) tab and successfully enter your user name and password or register as a new user, you will be provided with an opportunity to download our Section's Membership Directory - free to all members. This is really handy.

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Safety Alert Proper Use of Heavy Equipment



Man in front end loader bounces out and is run over

A Tampa, Florida man was critically injured after a piece of heavy construction equipment ran him over. The injured was riding in the bucket of a front end loader when he was thrown to the ground following a series of bumps in the road. The equipment operator subsequently ran over the injured as he lay helplessly on the terrain.

Heavy equipment such as backhoes, excavators, front-end loaders and similar equipment are used for many jobs in utility work, and are essential for lifting and moving objects and materials. This equipment makes our jobs easier and safer if used properly.

Of the many heavy equipment injury-incidents that happen, few are caused by machinery or equipment failure. Most are caused, directly or indirectly, by carelessness and unnecessary hurry. Use safe procedures, pay attention to what is being done and how it is being done, and THINK about what you are doing – then heavy equipment safety isn't too difficult or time-consuming.

In particular, heavy equipment is not intended or designed for lifting people for any type of work. There are no safety features to provide support for people while in the bucket. System controls are not designed for safe movement of a loader bucket with a person in it.

Heavy equipment is also not intended, other than for the operator, to transport workers. Riding on the equipment in any manner is improper and dangerous. Serious injury or death can result from riding on heavy equipment.

Remember:

- Do not allow anyone to ride or work in the bucket of a front-end loader.
- Do not use the bucket as a work platform.
- Do not ride on heavy equipment unless it is designed for passenger transport.

InWARN

John Wiltrout, Chair

As InWARN celebrates five year of existence, we plan to increase our objective of encouraging Utilities to help other Utilities. Through the planning and coordination of the steering committee, we continue to make InWARN appealing by reinforcing the need to be emergency ready. We now have 71 utilities with signed agreements but we will not be happy until all utilities share InWARN's contingency against any disaster.

We continue promoting emergency preparedness through training. The Generator 101 class held this summer was well received. Many thanks to the personnel at MacAllister for organizing and delivering an informative presentation, there will be additional generator classes in the future.

As of October 13, 2011 our Central REOC for IEMA Districts 4, 5, 6 and 7, Jaimie Foreman from the City of Carmel Water Utilities through hard work and diligence, has stepped up to the role of Vice Chairman of the Steering committee. Duane Gilles from Evansville Water and Sewer Utility will remain the Southern REOC for IEMA Districts 8, 9, 10 and will soon jump into his new role as Indiana AWWA State Chair. Congratulations to you both.

An informative Emergency Response Plan was put on by IDEM's Sherri Winters and Mitt Denney. They provided the Who, What, When, Where and How of a thorough ERP. Due to the success of the class, we will continue making it available through 2012.

Finally, we would like to thank Sherri Winters for her efforts as IDEM's Security & Counter –Terrorism representative. Her commitment to InWARN was much needed and appreciated.

Young Professionals

Emily Nelson, Chair

The Young Professionals held a Happy Hour at the Upland Brewing Company in Bloomington on July 28. Eight YPs spent the evening networking and enjoying appetizers, beer, and each other's company.

Do you know any students interested in the water industry? Let's show them how rewarding this industry can be and get them involved in AWWA! The Indiana Section is participating in the AWWA Student Recruitment Challenge. Our goal is to recruit 5 new student members by December 31, 2011. Please contact Emily Nelson for the student membership application, and let's get recruiting!

The YP Committee is requesting applications for poster presentations during the Indiana Section AWWA Annual Conference. Application and rules can be found on the Indiana Section AWWA YP webpage. Applications are due by Tuesday, December 13, 2011.

Please join us for the following upcoming events:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>RSVP Deadline</u>
February 20	YP Meet & Greet Pre-Conference Event (<i>Indianapolis</i>)	January 30
February 21	Fresh Ideas Poster Competition (<i>Indianapolis</i>)	

Stay up to date on YP events and happenings by checking the website (http://www.inawwa.org/pages/young_pros_page.php) or by joining the "Young Professionals – Indiana Section AWWA" group now on Facebook and LinkedIn. If you would like more information about the YP Committee or are interested in signing up for the YP mailing list, contact Emily Nelson (EmilyN@wesslerengineering.com).

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Water For People






Jim Williams, Chair

5th Annual Running for World Water 5K Fun Run and Walk presented by Franklin Electric and Preferred Pump

On August 27th, the IWEA and Indiana AWWA Water For People committees hosted the 5th Annual Running for World Water 5K Fun Run and Walk along the Indianapolis Canal. Over 570 runners, walkers, kids and dogs participated in this 3.1 mile run/walk which raises money for Water For People. Jim Williams, IN-AWWA WFP Committee Chair, welcomed race participants and recognized the many event sponsors. He also announced the 2011 Corporate Challenge winner, which was Wessler Engineering with 125 participants! American Structurepoint came in second with 68 participants, followed by Veolia Water and HNTB Corporation with 36 and 31 participants respectively. The race began at 9:00 a.m. with the last participants crossing the finish line just after 10:15. Race participants enjoyed a post-race party hosted by the Left Bank Café located on the canal with beverages provided by Sun King Brewery.

Over \$17,000 was raised for Water for People. Water for People is an international nonprofit organization committed to the long term impact of increased access to safe drinking water and improved sanitation and health. Water for People helps people in developing countries improve their quality of life by supporting the development of locally sustainable drinking water resources, sanitation facilities and health and hygiene education programs.

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5K Planning Committee



Dan Haddock shows how water is carried in some parts of the world



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Team American Structurepoint

Evansville Water for People Concert

Gary Lewis and the Playboys played to a crowd of approximately 1400 people at the Victory Theater in downtown Evansville, Indiana on September 29, 2011 to benefit Water For People.

Led by committee chair Duane Gilles, a small army of Water For People volunteers provided a dynamic effort at the concert to raise money for this important cause. A myriad of methods were used including a raffle, a silent auction, massages, t-shirts sales, donations, half pot drawing and a diamond ring donated by Brinkers Jewelers that was live auctioned and brought a \$3400 donation. The final accounting is still underway, but the total contribution to Water For People will set a new record.

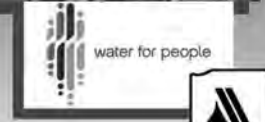
Congratulations to Duane and the entire concert committee for a hugely successful event!



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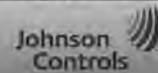
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Water For People Silent Auction

Cathy Fejer, Chair

We are just about a couple months away from the conference and please do not forget to stop by the **Water For People Silent Auction on Tuesday, February 21, 2012**. I am pleased to announce that last year's efforts raised over \$5,000 for this great charitable organization and we are looking forward to beat that this year with your generosity and support.

We hope that your company will participate in the Silent Auction this year. Each year since the Silent Auction's inception, we have increased support and participation. The Silent Auction builds interest throughout the conference and is a good way to showcase your business.

The items are up for bid all day Tuesday and then placed at the "Meet and Greet" where the final bids take place. Your company's name will be published at the conference and in the Spring issue of News Leaks as well. It is never too early or late to donate an item or two. We are also happy to accept donations from individuals. If it slipped your mind you may always bring it to the conference and I will get the item displayed or you may e-mail me at cfejer@valpo.us so I can get the appropriate forms ready before hand.

The Silent Auction is a good way to get more of our Section members connected with Water for People. Your support will help us not only advertise your business, but get the word out about this great AWWA supported charity.

Water Utility Council

John Hardwick, Chair

Environmental Quality Service Council is assigned the Great Lakes

The Indiana General Assembly passed legislation during the 2011 legislative session to assign the Environmental Quality Service Council the responsibility to review and discuss various topics regarding the Great Lakes and its Indiana watersheds. These issues include funding available for water quality, supply and protection; water consumption; levels of pollution and sources; impacts on recreation and natural habitats; impact of invasive species (Asian Carp); current laws, regulations, and infrastructure affecting the GLs including the "Compact"; current laws, regulations, and infrastructure affecting shipping on the GLs and other matters relevant to the conditions of the GLs and its watershed.

On September 30th, the EQSC met in Portage to have a discussion on these matters. Representatives from the Council on Environmental Quality, IDNR, Lake Michigan Costal Program, IDEM and the Council of State Governments gave presentations on the various subjects required by the IGA.

Indiana has three watersheds that drain to the Great Lakes. Northwest Indiana and the St. Joseph River flow into Lake Michigan. The Maumee River flows into Lake Erie.

IDEM Commissioner Tom Easterly spoke on IDEM's responsibilities to the Great Lakes, funding available, and water quality. IDEM GLs major efforts for Lake Michigan involve the dredging of the Little Calumet River to remove polluted sediments; water sampling for beach use, and to monitor and reduce pollution entering the lake. Commissioner Easterly listed among the IDEM's top concerns of the Great Lakes as Invasive species, untreated sewage discharge and contaminated river/lake sediment.

The EQSC will issue a report at the end of October to the Indiana General Assembly on its findings and recommendations.

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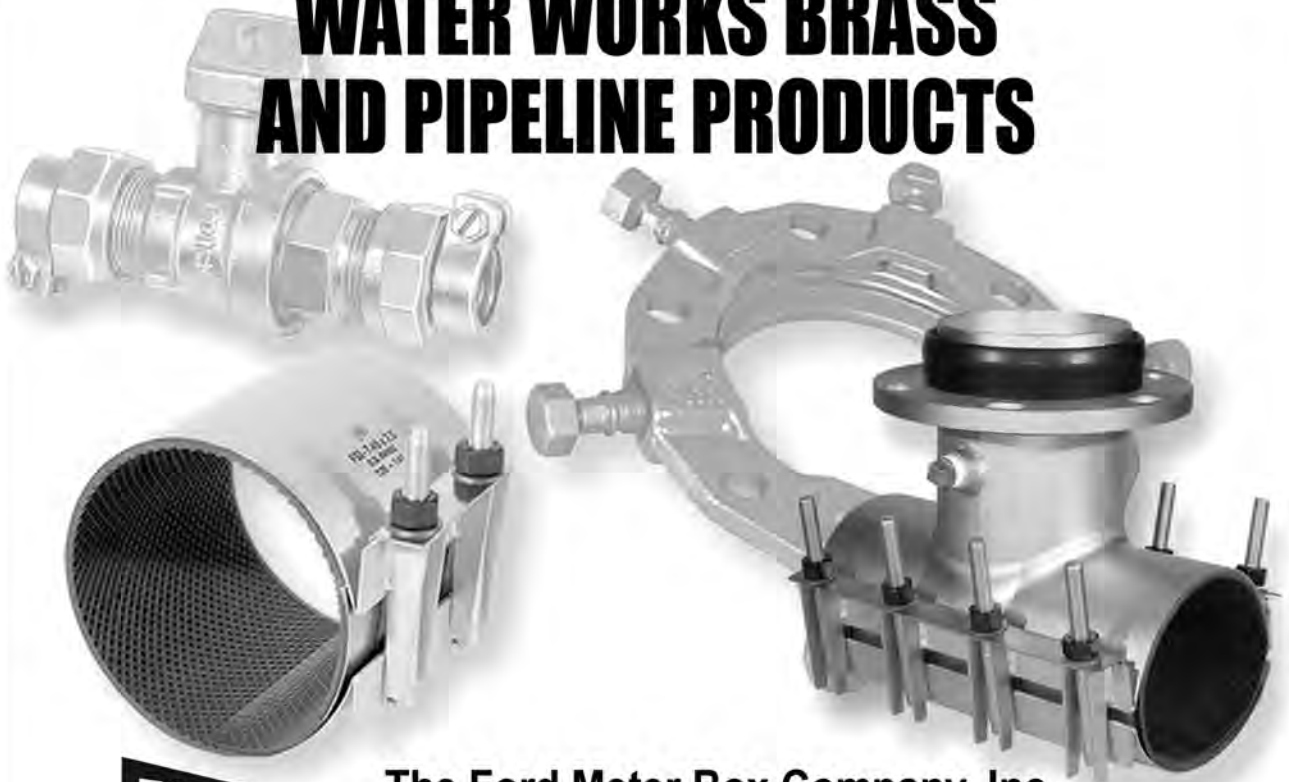
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The Indiana Section of AWWA would like to take this opportunity to recognize Dan McVay, Mid-central Region Manager for Natgun, for receiving the Ohio AWWA **John Lechner Award of Excellence** and the Ohio AWWA **Fuller Award** during the 2011 State Conference. Pictured with Dan is his wife, Sharon.

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District Updates

Central District

Tom Speer, Trustee

Our Fall Meeting was a great success. We had several great presenters and a fabulous lunch provided by Dave Harvey and Gary Reynolds of Water Solutions Unlimited. Thank you Dave and Gary for your time and preparation of the hog. IT WAS GREAT!

During our meeting, the election of officers was completed. Your new 2012 officers are:

President	Steve Clossin – Colfax
V. President	Jeff Morris – M.E. Simpson, Co.
Sec / Treas.	Jeff Heard – Tipton Utilities
Programs	Ryan Griffin – Sherry Laboratories
Trustee	Tim Hill – Peerless Mid-West

Meter Madness winner: Shawn Cooksey from Carmel Utilities. Congratulations!

I want to take a moment to thank all the past and present officers for allowing me the opportunity to be a part of the Central District. It has truly been a pleasure serving with you.

We hope to see everyone in May 2012 at the Spring Meeting in Speedway.

Northeast District

Jim Clevenger, Trustee

We had a great turnout at our fall meeting, thanks to everyone that attended and a big thank you to the officers for doing a great job of putting the meeting together. The meeting was held at the new water treatment plant in Warsaw and tours of the plant were given after the meeting so Chris could show off his new plant.

Election of officers was held during the meeting, congratulations to Tim Brown from EJP, as Vice President, will be joining President Marvin Shepherd from Goshen Water and our Secretary/ Treasurer Chris Harrison from In American Water as the officers for next year. We would like to congratulate Rick Seals from the City of Fort Wayne for winning the Meter Madness Competition. As fall and I'm sure winter approaches be safe out there and we will see you next spring.

Southeast District

Kurt Riedman, Trustee

The Southeast District Fall Meeting was held at Clifty Falls State Park in Madison on September 8th. After coffee and doughnuts the attendees were greeted by Linda Lytle, Director of the Visitors and Convention Bureau, City of Madison. President Scott Stirn then opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mike Ricks of Water Solutions Unlimited, Inc. then gave a presentation on "When Is It Time to Change out Your Filter Media?" This was followed by Rob Hench of GRW Engineers, Inc. speaking on "Implementing GIS at a Rural Water Utility" which was based on a study done for Hoosier Hills Water Association. Thanks to our speakers for two informative presentations.

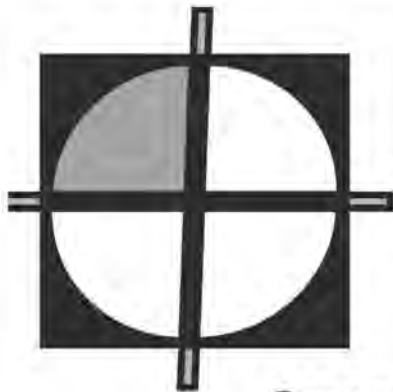
Updates were then given by AWWA Chair Jeff Peters, Stacey Jones of IDEM, and Jeff Morris on IRWA (filling in for Odetta Caldwell). This was followed by the presentation of 18 Hurty Awards and Meter Madness. Bill Jones from Edinburg is the SE District repeat champion. Grats Bill!

The Spring district meeting is going to be held in Edinburg at the Timbergate Golf Club and the Fall meeting at the Lawrenceburg firehouse. Details will be forthcoming.

2012 officers:

Scott Stirn	President	Phil Bonneau	Vice President
Lindsay Wheatley	Secretary/Treasurer	Roger Riddle	Program Director
Kurt Riedman	Trustee		

I know I speak for all the SE District members in giving our condolences to Odetta and family on the untimely death of her mother. God bless.



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Southwest District

Tim Nelson, Trustee

The SW INAWWA held its fall meeting at the Patio Steakhouse in Cannelton, Indiana on Wednesday, September 7th, 2011. 63 people attended with 3 CEU's available.

Before a packed house, Steve Pappas of Pappas Associates, LLC prompted us to vigilance in securing our infrastructure, as he introduced us to INFRAGARD. EJP's Ben Knoth educated us about "smart" meters and other advances in revenue-generating equipment. Steve Beale, C&S Solutions, rounded out the training portion with some new advances in utility locating equipment and even showed us how it works.

IDEM's Karla Goodman and Section Chair, Jeff Peters provided status updates, while Jeff Morris presented Small Systems updates in the very rare absence of Odetta Cadwell (Note: Odetta's dear mother passed away shortly afterwards). In another rarity, the absence of Phil Smith allowed for Ed Hollinden to give an update on Membership, just before he accepted the prestigious Water Wheel Award (since he was unable to attend the annual conference).

Finally, Morris' Meter Madness provided the employees of Dubois Water another opportunity to impress the masses before a fabulous buffet was enjoyed at the Patio Steakhouse.

After lunch, members had the opportunity to enjoy the area with tours of the Cannelton Locks and Dam and Tell City Pretzel, or golf at the T.C. Country Club.



Thanks for your attendance! Don't miss SW Spring 2012!



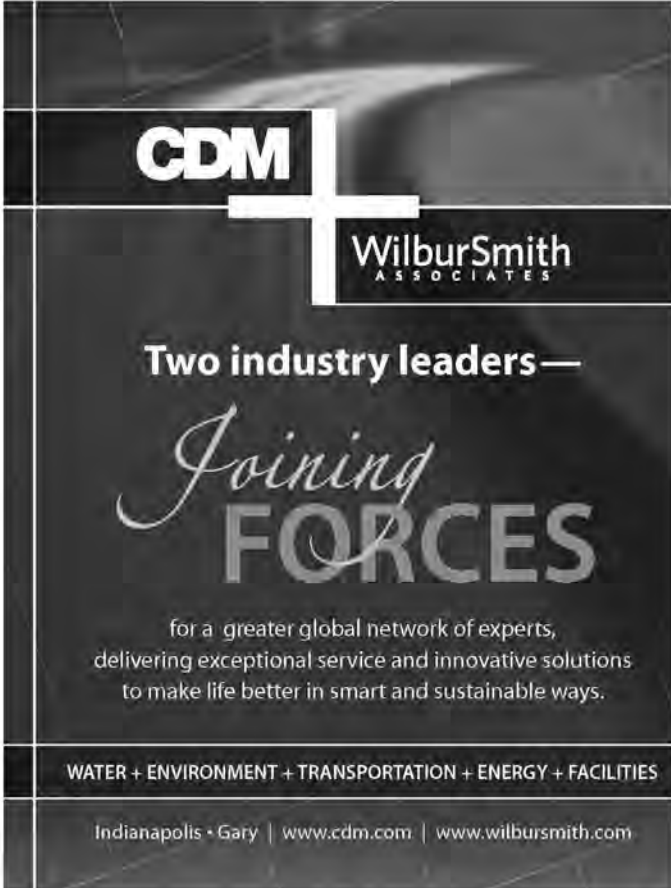
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Northwest District

Randy Wynn, Trustee

Hope everyone is enjoying this great Fall weather we are having. The Northwest district held its Fall meeting on September 16th in Valparaiso. It was a well attended and well informed meeting, thank you to all the great speakers we had. Topics varied from Safety to water accountability to backflow prevention. We would like to congratulate Jason Kessler of Logansport Water for winning meter madness he will represent the Northwest District well at the annual meeting in February. This being my last article for the Northwest as Trustee I would like to say Thank You to everyone for their support during the last three years.

Your new officers for 2012 are:

Pete Bastasich	President
Dave Tungate	Vice President
Derek Snyder	Sec/Tres,
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Thank you all again and hope to see everyone in February at the Annual Conference.



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- Who May Apply:** Individual in or interested in a career in the water industry who has never attended the Annual Conference and is no older than 30 years of age.
- Amount of Grant:** For conference registration, conference meals, hotel, travel and miscellaneous expenses.
- How to Apply:** Submit application to Alan Wiseman at Veolia Water Indianapolis, 950 W. 16th St., Indianapolis, Indiana 46202; phone (317) 919-6521.
- When to Apply:** The Awards Committee will review all applications. Applications will be accepted until January 14, 2011. Applicants will be notified of the Committee's decision by January 28, 2011.

District Contacts: (Trustee or President):

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BESOZZI YOUTH DELEGATE GRANT HISTORY

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Mr. Besozzi passed away, at 95, in December 1997. In his will he instructed that \$10,000 of his estate be given to the Indiana Section AWWA to invest. The interest from this investment is to be used to "pay the expenses of a young delegate or delegates to the annual meeting of the American Water Works Association. The executive committee of the Indiana branch of the American Water Works Association is to select a young delegate or delegates who have never been to an annual meeting of this Association. They are to gather water supply and water treatment information..." This \$10,000 has been invested in a mutual fund, and the earnings are anticipated to be \$500-600 per year to be given as grants.

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Applicant's Signature: _____

Indiana Section AWWA District Officer Recommendation (Required):

Calendar of Upcoming Events



Note: If you have any water industry related events you would like to add to the calendar, please contact Phil Bonneau at pbonneau@ortmandrilling.com.

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2012 Annual Golf Outing – Otter Creek Golf
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Spring Conference – Holiday Inn Conference Center;
Columbus, Indiana, April 16 – 18, 2012

IRWA/AWWA Operator Boot Camp – Miami County
Fairgrounds; Peru, Indiana, August, 2012

2012 Water Institute, Holiday Inn Conference Center;
Columbus, Indiana, December 3 – 5, 2012

Please see our website, Indianaruralwater.org
for additional opportunities.

Alliance of Indiana Rural Water

Spring Conference - March 14-15, 2012
Bloomington Convention Center

Northern Operator Expo - May 10, 2012
Akron City Park (tentative)

Southern Operator Expo - May 17, 2012
Huntingburg City Park

Management Conference - July 27-28, 2012
The Seasons Lodge - Nashville, IN

Scholarship Golf Outing, TBD

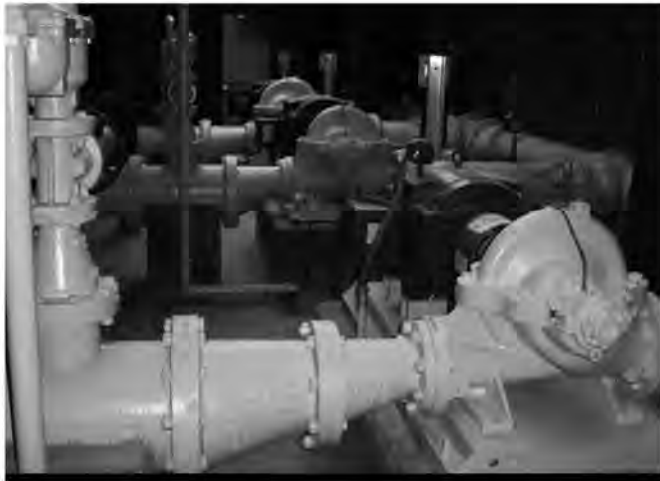
Fall Conference - October 17-18, 2012
Grand Wayne Convention Center - Ft. Wayne, IN

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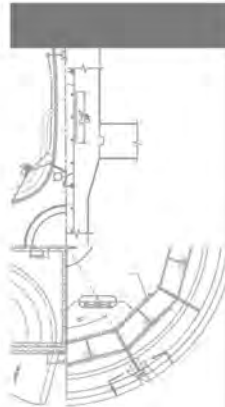
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