

# **EXHIBIT 1**

# **WATER COMMISSIONER TRAINING**

## **Hardin County Fairgrounds**

5617 South Dixie Hwy  
Glendale, Kentucky 42740

Presented by

## **Kentucky Rural Water Association**

June 23, 2021

- 7:30 – 8:00 Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 – 8:15 Welcome and Program Overview – Andy Lange and Damon Talley**
- 8:15 – 9:15 Utility Employment Outlook– Andy Lange**  
Finding good employees is a challenge for any company. For utilities, finding employees can be an even harder task due to the physical and sometimes unappealing nature of the job. This presentation will cover the employment outlook for water and wastewater utilities, the expected retirement burden, utility wage issues, and other related employment issues.
- 9:15 – 9:30 BREAK**
- 9:30 – 10:30 Recent Developments in Utility Regulation, Part I – Damon Talley**  
This presentation reviews recent developments in public utility law and regulation. Topics include unaccounted water loss, borrowing money, revisions to the Open Meetings Act, sovereign immunity, wholesale water purchase agreements, franchises, and laws enacted by the 2021 General Assembly. The presenter will also examine and discuss recent court and PSC decisions.
- 10:30 – 10:4 BREAK**
- 10:45 – 11:45 Recent Developments in Utility Regulation, Part II – Damon Talley**  
Continuation of earlier presentation.
- 11:45 - 1:00 LUNCH (Provided On-Site)**

**WATER COMMISSIONER TRAINING (Cont.)  
AFTERNOON AGENDA**

June 23, 2021

- 1:00 – 2:00**      **Hazard Mitigation Assistance Programs, Geni Jo Brawner**  
This presentation is a overview of the Kentucky Hazard Mitigation Assistance program. Topics will include HMA Programs, the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), Eligibility Requirements, and types of HMPG funding. Different mitigation programs will be discussed as well as the process for obtaining funding.
- 2:00 – 2:15**      **BREAK**
- 2:15 – 3:15**      **Ratemaking 101, Part I – Gerald Wuetcher**  
This presentation is an overview of the Public Service Commission’s ratemaking process for water districts. Topics include cost-based rates, revenue requirement calculation, cost-of-service study, Alternative Rate Filing procedures, and customer notice requirements. The presentation also discusses specific terms used in ratemaking such as known and measurable, pro forma, normalizing revenues and expenses, and test year. The speaker will also offer practical suggestions for streamlining the rate making process.
- 3:15 – 3:30**      **BREAK**
- 3:30 – 4:30**      **Ratemaking 101, Part II – Gerald Wuetcher**  
Continuation of Earlier Presentation
- 4:30 – 4:45**      **Q & A Session**
- 4:45 – 5:00**      **Closing Remarks - Andy Lange and Damon Talley**