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BOARD OF CERTIFICATION OF PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM OPERATORS
MEETING AGENDA

DATE: February 16, 2024

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: 2385 Waimano Home Road, Pearl City

VIRTUAL: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YzE1ZDMyZWEtMjU5Ni00NDgzLTg0NjltNWl3NGUyYjE2MwI4%40tHread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%223847dec6-63b2-43f9-a6d0-58a40aaa1a10%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%229a65aa2f-0e8b-4c95-b7ed-9d8fb85a9493%22%7d

AGENDA

A. Call to Order

B. Old Business

- Comment on minutes of the previous meeting held on November 29, 2023.

C. New Business

- Review applications for Distribution System Operator (DSO) certification.

1. Fukamizu, Alan, DSO 1
2. Kaiwi, Lester, DSO 1
3. McDonald, Darrell, DSO 1
4. Reynolds, Teva, DSO 1
5. Saiki, Ryan, DSO 1
6. Silva, Andrew, DSO 1
7. Stacy, Robert, DSO 1
8. Keanini, Noah, DSO 2
9. Bush, Cody, DSO 3
10. Carbonell, Elijah, DSO 4
11. Evans, Troy, DSO 4
12. Flory, Juleen, DSO 4

13. Gibson, Steven, DSO 4
 14. Warren, Joshua, DSO 4
 15. Wick, Eric, DSO 2 Reciprocity
- Review applications for Water Treatment Plant Operator (WTPO) certification.
 1. Gaspar, Matthew, OIT
 2. Ishii, Jarrick, OIT
 3. Lungay, Micah, OIT
 4. Ramos, Tenille, OIT
 5. Ihara-Takase, Colby, WTPO 1
 6. Kauhola, Matthew WTPO 1
 7. Viernes, Roque, WTPO 1
 8. Ynigues, Morgan, WTPO 2
 9. Wick, Eric, WTPO 2 Reciprocity
 10. Manna, Raymond, WTPO 4 Reciprocity
 - Review requests for Continuing Education Unit (CEU) approval.
 1. How Your Control Valve Can Really Help You to Manage Your System
 2. Energy Efficiency as It Applies to Water and Wastewater Systems
 3. Pacific Islands SDWA PWSS Inspector Training
 4. Unlocking Operational Excellence: Managing the Data Deluge for Water System Operators
 5. Preparing for the Lead and Copper Rule Improvements
 6. Tools, Training, & Technical Assistance to Increase Water System Resilience
 7. AI/ML Applications & Implementations in the Water Sector: Harnessing Technology
 8. Looking Ahead to Compliance with Round 2 of AWIA
 9. Achieving Net Zero 2050
 10. 2024 Pacific Water Pre-Conference (Water Operators)
 11. 2024 Pacific Water Conference
 12. Lead Service Line Inventory Guidance
 13. From the Trenches: System Experiences Developing Service Line Inventories
 14. Safeguarding Tomorrow: Unraveling the Risks of Artificial Intelligence
 15. Microplastics 2024: Practical State-of-the-Science in Drinking Water
 16. Optimizing Water Resources: Tools for Water Optimization and Energy Efficiency
 17. Part 1: Inorganics 101, Material Accumulation and Mitigation
 18. Part 2: Sensory Diagnostics, pH Impacts and Inorganic Chloramines
 19. Intelligent Water Systems: Navigating the Waters of Tomorrow
 20. Backflow Testing Education
 21. Introduction to Water Basics

22. Disinfection through Chlorination
 23. Coagulations, Flocculation, Sedimentation and Filtration
 24. Developing Operations Plans
 25. Hydrant Installation
 26. Chromium in Drinking Water: Return of the Chromium-6 MCL
 27. Water Supply & Sources
 28. Seasonal Star-up Operations
 29. California's New Cross-Connection Control Handbook
 30. Get the Lead Out: Lead & Copper Rule Revisions
 31. Groundwater Well Operation & Maintenance
 32. Revised Total Coliform Rule
 33. Distribution System Review
- Review results of the DSO certification exam.
 1. Augustiro, Franklin, DSO 1
 2. Blankenfeld-Kaheiki, George, DSO 1
 3. Echalas, Roland, DSO 1
 4. Florendo, Benjamin, DSO 1
 5. Flory, Juleen, DSO 1
 6. Gago, S'mon, DSO 1
 7. Greenleaf, Ricky, DSO 1
 8. Kaheiki, George, DSO 1
 9. Kealoha-Hall, Christopher, DSO 1
 10. Nishihira, Kasey, DSO 1
 11. Poepoe, Myron, DSO 1
 12. Tranilla, Riccardo, DSO 1
 13. Bitancor, Romel, DSO 2
 14. Kauhane, Dean, DSO 2
 15. Larson, Roland, DSO 2
 16. Oguma, Garrett, DSO 2
 17. Pa-Kala, Namakana, DSO 2
 18. Ramos, Briceson, DSO 2
 19. Ewen, Daniel, DSO 3
 20. Melchor, Florendo, DSO 3
 21. Hale, Devin, DSO 4
 22. Hooks, Ash, DSO 4
 23. Inouye, Alvin, DSO 4
 - Review results of the WTPO certification exam.
 1. Arengo, Jarreth, WTPO 1
 2. Hadama, Kelly, WTPO 1
 3. Kamai, Rosaleen, WTPO 1
 4. Matsu, Lindo, WTPO 1

5. Namakaeha, Brennan, WTPO 1
6. Victorino, Matthew, WTPO 1
7. Weber, Daniel, WTPO 1
8. Martin, Francis, WTPO 4

D. Announcements

- Next board meeting is scheduled for May 22, 2024.

E. Adjournment

If you need an auxiliary aid/service or other accommodation due to a disability, contact Jodi Yamami at 808-586-4263 or jodi.yamami@doh.hawaii.gov as soon as possible. Requests made as early as possible will allow adequate time to fulfill your request.

Oral testimony may be provided for all to hear during the meeting via the virtual interactive conference technology link at the beginning of the agenda. Written testimony may be submitted to Jodi Yamami at jodi.yamami@doh.hawaii.gov or 2385 Waimano Home Road, Suite 110, Pearl City, HI 96782 by February 13, 2024, and it will be presented at the meeting.