

# Rebuilding and Revitalizing America's Water Infrastructure – Starting With Your Utility...

**March 9, 2016:** Salem Convention Center, 200 Commercial Street SE, Salem, Oregon

## Keynote address: Congressman Earl Blumenauer

Targeted to Oregon drinking water, stormwater, and wastewater utility managers and staff, this workshop will identify the practices and trends of high-performing water utilities in Oregon and regionally.



Time	Agenda Topics
8:30 am	Registration and Coffee
9:00 am	<b>WELCOME</b>
9:05 am	Rebuilding and Revitalizing America's Water Infrastructure – Congressman Earl Blumenauer
9:45 am	Effective and Efficient Utility Management – the Foundation of the Utility of the Future – Commissioner Roy Rogers, Washington County
10:15 am	<b>BREAK</b>
10:30 am	Anticipating Earthquake Impacts on Oregon Water Utilities – Dr. Scott Ashford, Oregon State University
11:00 am	Setting Sustainable Rates that Plan for Infrastructure Replacement – Doug Gabbard, FCS Group – Scott Bash, FCS Group
11:30 am	Innovation and Excellence in Utility Leadership – J. Michael Read, Oak Lodge Sanitary District
12:00 pm	<b>LUNCH (provided)</b>
1:00 pm	Ten Things Utilities Should Do Now... – Bill Gaffi, Clean Water Services – Mark Knudson, Tualatin Valley Water District
1:45 pm	<b>Transition to Concurrent Sessions</b>
2:00 pm	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Water Utility Impacts from Oregon's Marijuana Industry – Racquel Rancier, Water Resources Department – Tom Roick, DEQ – Dave Leland, Oregon Health Authority</li> <li>2. Best Practices for Communicating with Community and Ratepayers – Justin Finestone, City of Bend – Anne Aurand, City of Bend – Libby Barg, Barney &amp; Worth</li> <li>3. Improving the Resiliency of your Water Utility – Speaker to be added, Eugene Water and Electronic Board (EWEB) – Greg Eyerly, Clackamas County Water Environment Services</li> </ol>
2:45 pm	<b>BREAK</b>
3:00 pm	<b>Repeat Concurrent Sessions</b>
4:00 pm	<b>ADJOURN</b>



## Registration

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**Registration deadline is March 2, 2016**

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