



# Mid-Atlantic Public Works Institute

## What's in it for You!



# Mission Statement

“The Mission of the Mid-Atlantic Public Works Institute is to strengthen Public Works organizations by preparing leaders through professional development, education, networking, and certification.”



- By attending this session participants will;

## Learning Objectives

- Gain an understanding of what a Public Works institute is and how it functions.
- Discern the benefits of participation in the Public Works Institute.
- Gain an understanding of the benefits to their organization from having members attend the training offered by PWI.



# What is a Public Works Institute?

- An institute is an educational/training program offered by APWA through individual chapters concentrating on management and leadership professional development.
- A Public Works Institute is required to provide a minimum of 90 contact hours of training in 11 core areas.



# What will be covered?

- Supervisory Techniques and Skills
- Basic Management Skills
- Communication Skills
- Leadership Skills
- Community Service/Customer Orientation Skills
- Legal Understanding
- Fundamentals of Government
- Finance
- Resource Management Skills
- Public Works Operations
- Creating the Future



# Who will provide the training?

- Training will be provided by Public Works Practitioners.
- Instructor requirements – minimum of 12 years of public works experience, public works leadership experience, and have earned a college degree or combination of equivalent education and experience.
- The Steering Committee has an established review protocol to ensure quality instruction.



# Who should attend?

- The ideal audience is “current first-line supervisors and up” and “those aspiring to become leaders within the profession.”



# What will participants receive?

- Graduates of the program will be recognized at the Annual Conference with the awarding of an official Virginia Tech Certificate awarding the 9.0 CEU's.
- A Certificate from APWA National.
- The fellowship and network of Public Works professionals they have met along their journey.





# How will participation benefit your organization?

- Participants gain a broader understanding of Public Works.
- Gain an understanding and sharing of ideas how other Public Works Departments handle similar issues.
- The fellowship and network of Public Works professionals they have met along their journey.



# When and where will the sessions be offered?

- Session III – Oct. 9-11, 2018 – Richmond, Virginia
- Session IV – Apr. 2-4, 2019 - Richmond, Virginia



# Panel Discussion



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