

DuPage Water Commission 2013 Water Management Workshop Series

Workshop 2: Changing Regulations and Ordinances

June 26, 2013, 8:30am-Noon

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Agenda

Introductions

Overview of today's workshop and key takeaways, *Terry McGhee, DuPage Water Commission*

Ordinances

Integrating and implementing water conservation ordinances

Existing model ordinances in NE Illinois, *Abby Crisostomo, Metropolitan Planning Council*

Aligning ordinances to work together, *Bill Balling, WRB, LLC*

Interactive discussion:

What water conservation ordinances do you use in your community?

What barriers have you faced with implementing and enforcing ordinances?

Bring your own questions about using water conservation ordinances

Break

Regulations

Role of water reuse in water conservation and changes to the state plumbing code

Water reuse in Illinois communities, *John Bauer, Wahaso*

What an updated plumbing code means for water reuse, *Josh Ellis, Metropolitan Planning Council*

Adapting to Lake Michigan water loss permit condition changes:

Changes to the Lake Michigan permit conditions, *Josh Ellis, Metropolitan Planning Council*

Comparison of IDNR LMO-2 and AWWA M-36, *John VanArsdel, AWWA*

Discussion: Internal and external communications and outreach strategies, *Abby Crisostomo, Metropolitan Planning Council*

Wrap-up, questions, announcements

Key Takeaways

1. Understand the role of regulations and ordinances on effective water supply management.
2. Recognize the barriers to successful implementation of water conservation ordinances and identify strategies to reduce them.
3. Become familiar with upcoming regulatory changes and how they will affect local water supply operations, including encouraging water conservation.