

FALL 2018
REGIONAL MEETINGS

MI-AWWA 2018 Fall Regional Meetings

October 2 Livonia

Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center
39000 Schoolcraft Rd
Livonia, MI 48150
(734) 462-0770

Register On-line: <https://www.mi-water.org/event/FallRegLivonia1018>

October 3 Kalamazoo

Fetzer Center
Western Michigan University
2350 Business Ct
Kalamazoo, MI 49008-5239
(269) 387-3232

Register On-line: <https://www.mi-water.org/event/FallRegKalamazoo1018>

October 23 Mt. Pleasant

Comfort Inn & Suites Conference Center
2424 South Mission St
Mount Pleasant, MI 48858
(989) 772-4000

Register On-line: <https://www.mi-water.org/event/FallRegMtPleasant1018>

October 24 Gaylord

Otsego (Ski) Club and Resort
696 M-32 E Main St
Gaylord, MI 49734
(989) 732-5181

Register On-line: <https://www.mi-water.org/event/FallRegGaylord1018>

The registration deadline for each location is seven days prior to the meeting date. Late registration will be consider based on availability. Confirmations will be sent by email only. For more information contact Eric Johnson, MI-AWWA Meetings Manager at ejohnson@mi-water.org or call 517-292-2912 x 2.

II. LOCATION - LOCAL HOST/MODERATOR

Livonia	David McKee, Independence Township
Kalamazoo	Joe VanderStel, City of Grand Haven
Mt. Pleasant	Jamie Hockemeyer, City of Mt. Pleasant
Gaylord	Brian Thurston, MDEQ

III. PROGRAM AGENDA

8:30 a.m.	Registration & Networking	
9:00 a.m.	Welcome & Introduction	Moderator
9:05 a.m.	MDEQ Update	MDEQ, Drinking Water Staff

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9:35 a.m.	How to Deal with the Media and Social Media	MI-AWWA Communications Council
10:15 a.m.	Break & Networking	
10:30 a.m.	Preservation of Water Quality in the Distribution System	MI-AWWA RTP Committee Coordinated by Bruce Bartley
11:15 a.m.	Innovative Access Solutions	James Cassel, EJ
12:00 noon	AWWA Update	MI-AWWA Board Members
12:15 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 p.m.	A Practical Guide for Water System Lab Reports	Amy Vail, MDEQ
1:45 p.m.	Pipe Rehabilitation Using Spray-in-Place Epoxy	Dan Kitchen, SUEZ
2:30 p.m.	Topic of Local Interest	See below
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

Program subject to change and or modification

MDEQ Update:

Livonia – Kris Donaldson
Kalamazoo – Heather Bishop
Mt. Pleasant – To be announced
Gaylord – To be announced

MI-AWWA Update:

Livonia Bill Fritz, Great Lakes Water Authority
Kalamazoo Greg Alimenti, City of St. Joseph
Mt. Pleasant Ken McDonough, EJ USA
Gaylord Paul Reinsch, City of Saginaw

Topic of Local Interest:

Livonia - 14 Mile Water Main Break Recap – Todd King, Great Lakes Water Authority
Kalamazoo - Hot Topic to be Announced
Mt. Pleasant – Hot Topic to be Announced
Gaylord – Review of Distribution System Concerns, Jon Bloemker

Early Bird Registration: Member \$115 Non-Member \$165 / Don't delay - Registration rates go up seven days prior to the event and will be based on availability. Register early!

New this year – a limited number of display tables are available to vendors, engineers and consultants. Limit - one table per organization. The price is \$60 member / \$105 non-member. Regional meeting

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registration is required to add a display table.

Regional Meeting Program Planning Committee – Thank you to the group of volunteer members of the American Water Works Association – Michigan Section who donate their time and professional expertise to make this program possible.

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