

2026

Individual & Young Professional Membership



Build Your Career

Connect with the Water Community.

From student to senior professional, AWWA helps you grow every step of the way.



About

The American Water Works Association (AWWA) is an international, nonprofit, scientific, and educational association dedicated to a better world through better water.

Mission

Our mission at AWWA is to advance the science and education of water management solutions globally, offering resources, standards, and professional development to water professionals worldwide. Our goal is to improve water services and ensure access to safe, clean water for future generations.

AWWA by the Numbers:

Join thousands of professionals advancing the water community.

- 50,000+ Water Professionals Globally
- 200+ Technical Standards and Manuals
- 4,000+ Utility Members
- 250+ Committees
- 6,274+ Volunteers
- 15+ Global Partnerships
- 160+ Training Sessions
- 400+ Publications Each Year
- 43 North America Sections



Your Membership Benefits at a Glance

Join a global community of professionals dedicated to advancing safe, clean water. Whether you are just beginning your career or shaping its next chapter, AWWA gives you the knowledge, connections, and confidence to thrive in the water sector.

AWWA membership connects you with essential resources, professional development opportunities, and a supportive network that helps you grow your career.

Annual dues:

Individual Membership: \$248 (+ Section dues, if applicable)

Young Professionals (35 and under): \$99 for the first year only (+ Section dues, if applicable)

Big value. Small cost. Immediate impact.

INDIVIDUAL & YOUNG PROFESSIONAL MEMBER BENEFITS

Benefit Category	Individual & Young Professional Benefit
Section Membership	Automatic membership in your local AWWA Section for regional networking and leadership opportunities.
Latest News & Information	Access updates on industry events, policy changes, and emerging technologies in the water sector.
Connections Newsletter	Bi-weekly digital newsletter with current news, career tips, and community stories.
Mentorship & Career Growth	Connect with experienced professionals through Section mentoring programs.
Publications & Event Savings	Save up to 33% on publications, technical resources, webinars, and event registrations.
Certificates of Completion / PDHs	Earn continuing education credits from AWWA training programs and courses.
Journals & Magazines	Receive Journal AWWA, Opflow (Print & Digital Option) and AWWA Water Science (digital only).
AWWA/ANSI Standards	Access discounted AWWA Standards covering all aspects of water treatment and distribution.
Career Center	Discounts on job postings and access to AWWA's industry-specific career board.
Young Professional (YP) Resources	Access to Section-level YP resources, mentorship programs, Student/YP Newsletter (bimonthly), Student & YP Activities Calendar, and leadership opportunities.
Community Engagement	Opportunities to volunteer, serve on committees, or participate in our mentorship program.
Advocacy & Representation	AWWA advocates for the water sector, representing members on key policy and regulatory issues.
Networking & Events	Attend conferences, webinars, and networking events across North America.

Why Join AWWA

Building Water Expertise, Community, and Impact

AWWA members are shaping the future of water every day — and they're sharing how being part of this community has helped them grow, connect, and make an impact.

From students just beginning their careers to utility leaders and service providers driving innovation, our members remind us that we're stronger together.



What You Gain

- Trusted training, publications, and standards
- Career development and certificates of completion
- Local Section connections and leadership opportunities
- Advocacy that supports the future of water

Join AWWA and be part of a community working to protect safe, clean water for all.





2026 Membership Application

Individual Member

Contact Member Services at
1.800.926.7337 or 303.794.7711
or email service@awwa.org

Contact Information

Name ☐ Mr. ☐ Ms. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Dr.

Title

Company

Address

City

State/Province ZIP/Postal Code Country

Phone

Email

Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female (Optional) Birth Year _____ (Optional)

Is your company a member of AWWA? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Company Member Number (if known)

Were you referred by an AWWA Member ☐ Yes ☐ No

Referring Member Name Email

By joining AWWA, an account is created using the personal information submitted on this application and you agree to our Privacy Policy (awwa.org/Privacy-Policy). By providing this information, you grant AWWA authorization to keep and use that information to provide services relevant to water industry professionals, including member benefits. Your communication preferences can be updated at any time at www.awwa.org under "My Account."

Signature Date

3 Ways To Join

1) Apply online at awwa.org/join

2) Email your application to service@awwa.org (do not include credit card or payment in your email). We will email you a click-to-pay invoice once your application is processed.

3) Mail completed application to
AWWA Member Services
6666 West Quincy Avenue
Denver, CO 80235-3098

Annual Dues (A1)

- ☐ Individual **\$248**
An individual, such as a water utility employee, municipal official, public health professional, engineer, scientist, educator, consultant, or other person interested in or serving in the field of water supply. (02)
- ☐ Young Professional **\$99**
An individual age 35 or younger who is interested in or serving in the field of water supply. **This rate applies to the first year of membership only.** (YP2026)

Section Dues (A2)

AWWA has 43 local Sections in North America. You are automatically enrolled in a Section based on your address.* Some Sections require additional fees to better serve you.

Your State/Province	Section Dues
British Columbia, Delaware, Hawaii, Kansas, Maryland, Mexico, Montana, Nebraska, New Brunswick, Newfoundland, North Dakota, Nova Scotia, Puerto Rico, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Washington, D.C., West Virginia, Yukon Territory	\$0
Alaska, Alberta, Manitoba, Minnesota, Missouri, Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Ontario, Saskatchewan, South Dakota	\$12
Illinois, Kentucky, Ohio, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia	\$25
Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, Rhode Island, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wyoming	\$37
Florida, Indiana, Iowa, New Jersey, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Wisconsin	\$50
Georgia, New York	\$62
California, Nevada	\$99

Payment

Annual Dues (A1) \$ _____

Section Dues (A2) \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Payment Method

- ☐ Email me a click-to-pay invoice

(Once we receive your membership application, we will process it and email you an invoice you can click-to-pay online)

Email: _____

- ☐ Check enclosed (make payable to AWWA, US currency only, US bank only)

Your membership will be activated when payment is received.

* AWWA has 43 Sections in North America. You are automatically enrolled in a Section based on your address. In addition to your primary Section, you may join other AWWA Sections at an additional cost. Please call 1.800.926.7337 or email service@awwa.org for more information.

Please Tell Us About Yourself

What one business activity best describes your company?
(Please check only one)

- ☐ Consulting Firm
- ☐ Contractor
- ☐ Distributor of Equipment & Supplies
- ☐ Educational Institutions
- ☐ Finance
- ☐ Fully Retired
- ☐ Government
- ☐ Legal
- ☐ Manufacturer of Equipment & Supplies
- ☐ Private Industrial System
- ☐ Public Official
- ☐ Public Water Supply Utility—Investor
- ☐ Public Water Supply Utility—Municipal
- ☐ Operations- Operator
- ☐ Operations-Other
- ☐ Research Lab
- ☐ Water Wholesaler
- ☐ Other allied to the field (please specify) _____

What one category best describes your company's field served/principal activity? (Please check only one)

- ☐ Both Water Supply & Wastewater
- ☐ Reuse
- ☐ Storm Water
- ☐ Water Supply Only
- ☐ Wastewater Only
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

What one category best describes your job title?
(Please check only one)

- ☐ Administrative
- ☐ Comm/Public/Community Outreach
- ☐ Customer Service Education
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Engineering
- ☐ Executive
- ☐ Finance
- ☐ Human Resources
- ☐ Information Technology
- ☐ Legal
- ☐ Legislative/Regulatory
- ☐ Management
- ☐ Operations- Operator
- ☐ Operations-Other
- ☐ Public/Elected/Appointed Official
- ☐ Purchasing
- ☐ Quality Assurance/Inspections
- ☐ Retired
- ☐ Safety
- ☐ Sales & Marketing
- ☐ Scientific/Research
- ☐ Security/Emergency Prepared
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

What areas of the water and wastewater industry are of current interest to you? (Please check all that apply)

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| ☐ Advanced Water Treatment Reuse | ☐ Design/Construction/Project | ☐ Membrane Treatment | ☐ Training/Professional Development |
| ☐ Asset Management | ☐ Distribution/Plant Ops | ☐ Policy/Legislative/Regulatory Matters | ☐ Utility Management |
| ☐ Backflow/Cross Connection | ☐ Diversity Equity Inclusion. | ☐ Potable Reuse | ☐ Wastewater Collection/Treatment |
| ☐ Climate Change | ☐ Emergency Preparedness/Risk and Resilience | ☐ Public Health | ☐ Water Loss |
| ☐ Corporate Water | ☐ Financial | ☐ Regulatory Issues | ☐ Water Quality/Treatment |
| ☐ Conservation/Efficiency Water Use | ☐ Groundwater | ☐ Small Systems | ☐ Water Research |
| ☐ Customer Service | ☐ Legal | ☐ Source Water/Watershed Mgmt. | ☐ Water Resources/Integrated Planning |
| ☐ Cybersecurity | ☐ Instrumentation/Automation/ Control | ☐ Stakeholder Engagement/ Outreach | ☐ Workforce Strategies |
| ☐ Desalination | ☐ Laboratory/Standard Methods | ☐ Stormwater | ☐ Young Professionals |

Dues rates valid through December 31, 2026. Dues are not deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. Dues may be considered ordinary and necessary business deductions. The following is for USPS periodical mailing requirements only. In some AWWA Sections, a portion of the Section allotment equal to 50% or more of the domestic subscription rate charged for the Section periodical will be allocated toward a subscription to that periodical. Allocation for each publication recipient authorized—Journal AWWA—\$50; Opflow—\$16. Members with APO/FPO addresses will receive e-periodicals only. NOTE: Members' personal information is protected under AWWA's Privacy Policy.

Engagement & Member Story

Advance Your Expertise. Share Your Voice.

AWWA offers year-round ways to engage, learn, and grow. Present your research, connect with peers, and showcase your expertise through AWWA's premier events.

Conferences

Attend AWWA conferences — like the AWWA Annual Conference & Expo (ACE), Young Professionals Summit/Utility Management Conference, Water Quality Technology Conference and more — to connect with leaders and learn from the best in the field.

Call for Abstracts

Share your work, research, or innovations with a global audience. AWWA's Call for Abstracts invites professionals at all levels to present at conferences and webinars.

Webinars & Learning

Access 100+ online learning opportunities from technical training to leadership development. Earn certificates of completion while strengthening your skills.

Your Journey. Our Community.

Every member has a story that shapes the water community. From operators and engineers to educators and scientists, AWWA members are united by a shared mission: delivering safe, clean water for all.

Hear how members are using AWWA's resources to advance their careers, mentor the next generation, and lead innovative projects in their communities.



Joining AWWA as a young professional

has immensely benefited my career through the many networking, professional development, technical learning, and leadership opportunities offered by the membership at both the national and state levels. Being able to connect both locally and globally with the water industry and the amazing professionals that keep our tap running has not only advanced my career, but also provided me with friendship and community.

— **Nicole Proto**

ELT, Young Professional Member,
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