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OHIO STORMWATER CONFERENCE 2020 CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstract Submission Deadline: November 1, 2019





Call for Speakers to the 2020 Ohio Stormwater Conference

Submissions are due November 1, 2019

Submit online at OHSTORMWATERCONFERENCE.COM

You are invited to participate in the 2020 Ohio Stormwater Conference, being held May 6-8, 2020 at the Kalahari Resort and Convention Center located in Sandusky, Ohio. This is the 13th annual conference and is hosted by Tinker's Creek Watershed Partners and Ohio Stormwater Association.

Our speakers and participants come from Ohio, the greater Midwest, and across the country. Together all help to create an event that informs, instructs, and motivates stormwater and watershed management practitioners, professionals, and government officials. The conference organizers encourage a multi-disciplinary atmosphere and anticipate a range of participating entities such as local and state government stormwater managers, environmental, engineering, and legal consulting firms, research organizations, and watershed groups. The conference boasts a strong history of encompassing a broad range of topics and geography that provides a stimulating environment and encourages participants to interact, collect, and share new information to further develop innovative and creative thinking.

Please consider applying to present and share your knowledge at the 2020 Ohio Stormwater Conference. This call invites experts from stormwater related organizations and disciplines to submit an abstract to present at the conference. Demonstration sessions of stormwater tools and applications are also encouraged.

2020 Ohio Stormwater Conference
May 6-8, 2020
Kalahari Resort and Convention Center
Sandusky, Ohio

Topics for the technical sessions at the conference include:

- Monitoring, Inspection, and Maintenance
- Modeling and Research
- Stormwater Practices and BMPs Planning and Design
- Stormwater Retrofits
- Green Infrastructure
- MS4 Program Management
- Watershed Planning and Restoration
- Legal Issues in Stormwater and Watershed Management
- Leadership and Ethics
- Transportation
- PIPE (Public Information and Public Education)

Abstract proposals should fall within the suggested topics. In reviewing abstracts and selecting speakers for the technical sessions, consideration will be given to topics that provide case studies, technical information, project implementation steps, and real-world use of tools. Comments and requests from past conference attendees include:

“Studies showing the longevity and/or condition ratings of both green and gray stormwater management systems and long-term costs associated with maintenance.”

“Implementation of municipal policy to improve stormwater in an urban environment.”

“Discuss types of grants that can be used for stormwater related projects.”

“Flood Routing and more practical land development case studies including discussions on impervious parking lots and reduced parking counts.”

“More on rain gardens, pollinators, trees, soils, and new program ideas.”

“Design of post-construction BMPs and specific selection of construction BMPs.”

“Long-term studies to indicate actual performance of BMPs.”

“Presentations with more data driven results.”

“Public outreach and education programs.”

“Urban stream restoration challenges.”

“Software Demos.”

To apply to present, please submit your proposal at OhStormwaterConference.com. All speakers will receive notification of acceptance or denial in January 2020. Presentations must be provided in an electronic format prior to the conference, no later than April 1, 2020. All presentations will be provided to conference attendees via the Ohio Stormwater Conference website.

If you have any questions, please contact Ana Burns at ana.burns@davey.com or 330-673-5685, ext. 8037.

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