

Division of Water



Continuing Education for Water Well Drillers & Water Well Pump Installers

Current Approved Continuing Education Opportunities for the Fourth Cycle: Jan 1, 2017—Dec 31, 2018

March 17 — March 20, 2017

**IUOE Local 150 Operating Engineers hosts a
Drilling Mud & Solids Control Systems Use and Application Course**

Takes place at The William Dugan Training Facility,
19800 W. South Arsenal Rd Wilmington, IL

Course is an extended four day syllabus. Class is Approved for six (6)
Indiana credit hours for Water Well Drillers.

To register contact David Bowers at 815-722-3201 Extension: 6033

March 2nd 2017

**Indiana Rural Water Association presents an
Excavation Safety & Competent Person Training Workshop**

Workshop takes place 8:30—3:00 Thursday, 3/2/17 at the
LaPorte Civic Auditorium, 1001 Ridge St, LaPorte, IN 46350

The workshop is approved for six (6) Indiana Credit Hours for Water Well
Drillers & six (6) hours for Pump Installers.

For more information or to register, please visit the IRWA website at:

<http://www.indianaruralwater.org>

March 28th 2017

**Indiana Rural Water Association presents a Workshop on
Nutrient Removal and Wastewater**

Workshop takes place on Tuesday, 3/28/17 in Columbia City, IN location
TBD—please contact the IRWA.

The workshop is approved for four (4) Indiana Credit Hours for Water Well
Drillers & four (4) hours for Pump Installers.

For more information or to register, please visit the IRWA website at:

<http://www.indianaruralwater.org>

May 16th 2017

The Indiana Groundwater Association (IGWA) presents their
Spring Field Day in partnership with GeoProbe Inc

Field Day takes place at the Hamilton County Fairgrounds
2003 Pleasant St Noblesville, IN 46060

The workshop is approved for two (2) Indiana credit hours for Water Well
Drillers & two (2) Indiana credit hours for Pump Installers.

For more information or to register, please contact the IGWA here:

<http://indianagroundwater.org/home.cfm>

Basic Continuing Ed Info

Beginning January 2011 **“a person who installs or repairs water well pumps”** must be licensed by the IDNR.

In addition, a **“licensed water well driller or pump installer must complete at least six (6) hours of approved continuing education before December 31 of each even-numbered year for license renewal”**.

This means that Dec. 31, 2016 is the next continuing education cycle deadline.

The minimum requirements must be met in order to be eligible to renew your license for 2017.

**You must complete each cycle of continuing education before accumulating points for the next one.
Don't wait until the last minute!**

A minimum of six (6) hours of continuing education is required for the renewal of each license; therefore, a combination water well driller and pump installer license will require a minimum of twelve (12) total hours of approved continuing education for license renewal.

Continuing education courses must be pre-approved at least thirty (30) days in advance by application to the DNR by the course provider.

Attendees are required to receive written verification of attendance and then keep the written verification on file for three (3) years.

If you need further clarification or additional information, please contact Mark Basch or Monique Riggs of the Division of Water at the following phone numbers or email addresses:

Mark Basch; (317) 232-0154 or
mbasch@dnr.in.gov

Monique Riggs; (317) 234-1085 or
mriggs@dnr.in.gov

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Illinois Association of Groundwater Professionals (IAGP)

Annual Meetings and Expo:

February 10, 2017 East Peoria—Approved for 11 hours for Both well drillers & pump installers

March 17, 2017 Mt Vernon—Approved for 4 hours for Both well drillers & pump installers

April 22, 2017 Malta—Approved for 5 hours for Both well drillers & pump installers

For more information or to register please contact the IAGP at www.iagp.org

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Thank you!!

Your feedback on any approved continuing education live or online, is welcomed.

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APPROVED ONLINE CONTINUING EDUCATION

Online Continuing Education is currently approved & available through the following independent providers.

The International School of Well Drilling:

WWW.WELLDRIILLINGSCHOOL.COM

Courses are approved for both well drillers and pump installers & available for 1 or 2 hours each depending on topic. A total of 11 hours of continuing education is available. See website above for topic availability and registration. Course fees vary.

National Drilling Association:

Drilling Safety Certification (3hrs), Monitoring Well Construction Certification (6hrs); & Groundwater Knowledge Certification (4hrs) Approved for water well drillers. Course fees vary. See website below for registration. Course fees vary. WWW.NDA4U.COM

Approved Environment:

Multiple topics covered and available in one hour increments. Course fees vary. See website below for registration and purchase. The following topics are approved for one hour each for both well drillers and pump installers and are clearly marked on the webpage: Groundwater & Wells; Ammonia, pH, and Chlorine; Disinfection using Chlorine; The Mircrolife; Water Chemistry; Safety; Pump Maintenance; and Parasites & Pathogens. **Please pay attention to which topics are approved for well drillers and which are for pump installers—they are marked on the Indiana page with a WD or PI in the ‘course type’ column**

<http://www.approvedce.com/>

Goulds Water Technology:

E-learning program ‘Basic Water Systems Training’ is approved for two (2.0) hours of continuing education for Indiana water well drillers and pump installers. The webinar contains 11 modules that focus on pump basics, discharge conditions, understanding pump curves, sizing and selecting pumps, pressure storage tanks and other similar topics. To register & begin the course, please visit www.goulds.com/e-learning

Goulds Water Technology:

Second edition of the e-learning program ‘Variable Frequency Drives’ is approved for two (2.0) hours of continuing education for Indiana water well drillers and pump installers. The webinar explores the typical VFD system and selection, sizing, start up, and troubleshooting. To register & begin the course, please visit

www.goulds.com/e-learning