General Meeting: Thursday, March 31st, 2016 at 6pm in Newmark Room 1311

Get Involved!

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More Information on Page 2

IWEA FRWRD Tour: On April 1st, the IWEA Students & YPs and others are invited to visit the West WRF of the Fox River Water Reclamation District. If you choose to attend, please fill out your name on this Google Form by Friday, March 25:
http://goo.gl/forms/zzU9mVuW95 More Information on Page 3

Scholarship Opportunities

American Public Works Association (APWA): Candidates must reside or be employed within the geographic boundaries of the Fox Valley Branch of the APWA Chicago Metro Chapter. This area includes the entire counties of McHenry, DeKalb, Kane, and Kendall, plus the Cities of West Chicago, Warrenville, Aurora, and Naperville - all in Illinois.
Due March 25, 2016. Information found at http://chicago.apwa.net/MenuHomepage/470/Scholarships

MSA Professional Services offers a scholarship to Civil/Environmental Engineers. MSA is offering seven scholarships for 2016 fall semester. Due March 31, 2016. See Page 4 for Flyer https://msa-ps-careers.silkroad.com/msaext/Home/Student-Center.html

Job Opportunities

The Village of Plainfield is seeking (4) four candidates for a temporary engineering internship position in the Public Works Department/Engineering Division. See Page 5 for Flyer

Summer Engineering Internships through the American Public Works Association (APWA):
City of St. Charles – Civil Engineering Intern

Village of South Elgin – Engineering Summer Intern

City of Des Plaines – Civil Engineering Intern
Hi YPs,

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If you are interested and available to sign up for a time slot, please respond and let me know by Tuesday, March 16th. This would be a unique opportunity to get an inside look on the goals and direction of WEF.

Open time slots for Computer/A/V/Tech are below:

Wednesday, May 4th:
- 2:30-4:00pm MA Leaders Summit
- 4:00-6:15pm HOD Meeting

Thursday, May 5th:
- 8:00-10:00am Welcome / WEF Business Update / HOD Update
- 10:15-12:00pm WEF / MA Dialogue Session I
- 1:00-2:45pm WEF / MA Dialogue Session II
- 3:00-4:00pm MA Host Session III
- 4:00-4:50pm Opening Session
- 4:50-5:00pm Daily Wrap

Friday, March 6th:
- 8:00-9:45am WEF / MA Dialogue Session IV
- 10:00-11:30am WEF / MA Dialogue Session V
- 11:30-11:45am Call to Action
- 11:45 – 12:00pm WEFMAX Closing Comments

Thank you to all who are able to help!

Kelly Lockerbie
klockerbie@greeley-hansen.com
Illinois Water Environment Association
SYP Committee Chair
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Tour details are as follows:

**Location:**
Fox River WRD West WRF  
1957 N LaFox St  
South Elgin, IL 60177

**Date/Time:**
Friday, April 1st, 2016  
10:00 am to ~12:00pm

**General Facility Info:**
- Constructed in 2003/2004  
- Design flow: 5.0 mgd, expandable up to 25 mgd in 5 mgd increments  
- Current flows: 3.0 mgd  
- Process:
  - 5 stage Bardenpho BNR activated sludge plant –BNR plant online in 2012  
- Main processes:
  - Screening, grit removal, primaries, Aeration, secondary’s and chlorine gas disinfection  
  - Solids processed off site at the FRWRD ADP - WRF which handles all FRWRD sludge

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kelly Lockerbie  
IWEA SYP Committee Chair
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CRITERIA

» Must be pursuing a Bachelor’s degree in Civil or Environmental Engineering.
» Must have attained junior- or senior-level standing by the beginning of the Fall 2016 semester.
» Must be a full-time student.
» Must have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA.
» Is not a past recipient of an MSA scholarship.
» Must submit resumé with application. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

To access the application, check out MSA on Twitter, Facebook, Instagram or Linkedin, or go to: http://bit.ly/1QpGswA.

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MARCH 31, 2016.

The scholarship will be payable to the selected candidates in September 2016 for the Fall 2016 semester. Please click on the links below for the application form for each university. The application includes the criteria for the scholarship. The scholarship is awarded based on several factors, which may include: past academic performance, your application essay, leadership experience, and volunteer experience.

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Village of Plainfield  
Public Works Department – Engineering Division  

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT  

Engineering Internship – Public Works/Engineering Division  

The Village of Plainfield is seeking (4) four candidates for a temporary engineering internship position in the Public Works Department/Engineering Division.

**Job Description/General Duties:** Temporary, seasonal, position performs moderately technical engineering duties. Work is performed under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Improvements or other Manager as assigned. Work may involve inspections of methods and materials used in the construction of roadways, curbs, gutters, and other public improvements; reviews and interprets construction plans and specifications; assistance with surveying for Village projects; measuring of all quantities used in construction projects and other statistical data collection; assistance with internal traffic studies; office related functions including data entry, filing and scanning; interaction with the public, contractors, and Village employees.

**Qualifications (Education & Experience):** Must be at least 18 years of age. High school diploma or GED. All applicants will be considered, however, current students studying civil or environmental engineering are preferred. Must have a valid Illinois Drivers License. Have effective written and oral communication skills.

**Salary:** $10.00 per hour

**Hours:** Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (*limited O.T. work may be required*)

**Employment Duration:** May 2016 – September 2016 (*approximate*)

**Selection Process:** Interested candidates should complete an employment application which can be downloaded from the Village’s website, [www.plainfield-il.org](http://www.plainfield-il.org) and submit it to: Village of Plainfield - Human Resources 24401 W. Lockport Street, Plainfield ILL 60544 or fax (815) 436-1950 or email humanresources@goplainfield.com. Deadline for applications is April 15th, 2016.

The Village of Plainfield is an Equal Opportunity Employer.