

## Annual Business Meeting and Training Opportunity Thursday, May 21, 2015

## Canton WRF Construction Overview & Update Technical Sessions & Optional (free) Tour of Pro Football Hall of Fame

The Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) of the City of Canton, Ohio is responsible for treating all sanitary sewage that flows to the facility from a variety of sources throughout the greater Stark County area. The WRF has consistently been a leader in the sewage treatment field, earning a variety of industry awards and distinctions over the past 15 years. In 2010, the facility was honored with the PLATINUM distinction from the <u>National Association of Clean Water Agencies</u> (NACWA)

The WRF has embarked upon the largest capital improvements project ever undertaken by the City of Canton. The total project cost is currently projected to be between \$80,000,000 and \$85,000,000. Upon completion of construction in 2017, it is believed that WRF will be the largest facility in the world utilizing membrane bioreactor (MBR) technology.

## Schedule of Events

7:00-8:00 am	<b>Registration &amp; Refreshments – Football HOF</b>
8:00-9:00 am	<b>Opening Remarks and Discussion of Section Membership Status</b>
9:00-12:00 pm	Technical Sessions (15 minute break included)
-	History of Canton WRF
	Current Plant layout & Retrofit Plans
	Construction Progress
	Nutrient Removal
	Micro-Plastics
12:00- 1:30 pm	Lunch, Business Meeting & Executive Committee Elections
1:30- 2:30 pm	Technical Sessions
-	Coordination Between Contractors and Plant Operations
	Construction Safety
2:30-3:00 pm	Prizes, Awards & Closing Announcements
-	<u>Free</u> Tour of Pro Football Hall of Fame – optional
Cost:	Members \$30.00
	<i>Non-Members \$45.00</i>
Location:	Football Hall of Fame 2121 George Halas Dr. NW, Canton (see map on back)

This program has been submitted for 3.75 hours of continuing education credit for wastewater certification.

## **Registration Information**

Registration Deadline: **Thursday May14, 2015 or as a maximum capacity of 150 is reached.** Please log onto either <u>www.ohiowea.org</u> or <u>www.nesowea.org</u> and click on the registration link to enter your information to register. Questions should be directed to Doug Harris at 330-438-4814 or <u>doug.harris@cantonohio.gov</u>

**Cancellations must be received 3 days prior to the meeting in order to not be charged.** Payable by credit card when registering <u>online</u>, or payable at door by cash, check or money order.