



WHEREAS, the Ohio Water Environment Association (OWEA) is a 501(c)(3) Organization and a Member Association (MA) of the Water Environment Federation (WEF); and

WHEREAS, OWEA relies on WEF for managerial and directional guidance and reflects the purpose and mission of WEF; and

WHEREAS, OWEA recognizes that its relationship with WEF evolves over time and the basis of this relationship is the willingness for both organizations to work together for mutual benefit.

THEREFORE, OWEA has adopted the following policy and procedure:

POLICY AND PROCEDURE

- I. OWEA shall be aligned with the mission and purpose of WEF, seeking to work with WEF closely for the mutual betterment and enhancement of both organizations.
- II. OWEA shall promote and advertise WEF in all actions, workshops, and programs.
- III. OWEA shall educate members and potential members about the benefits of being a WEF member.
- IV. OWEA recognizes the needs to obtain contact hours, PDH or CEU's to meet certification and licensing requirements. OWEA shall pursue elevated themes in its educational programs, which promotes excellence in the industry and community.
- V. OWEA shall promote WEF events within Ohio and share in the planning and execution of shared conferences.
- VI. The OWEA WEF Delegates shall be responsible for coordinating the visit of a WEF BOT member to our annual conference. EC members should take an active interest in spending time with the WEF representative in attendance.
- VII. OWEA EC Members shall participate in leadership training, WEFMAX meetings, and WEFTEC training as available and utilize information on WEF's website.