


CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

2026 Southwest Section AWWA Conference

 Bossier City, Louisiana

 17 October 25-27, 2026

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The Southwest Section of the American Water Works Association (SWAWWA) is pleased to announce the upcoming 2026 Annual Conference in Bossier City, Louisiana. This premier event brings together water professionals from Arkansas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma to share knowledge, explore new technologies, and advance the future of water.

We are currently accepting abstracts for technical presentations that reflect current challenges, innovations, and best practices across the water industry. If you have insights, case studies, or research to share—we want to hear from you!

Topics of Interest Include (but are not limited to):

- Water treatment & distribution
- Regulatory updates & compliance
- Emerging contaminants
- Sustainability & resilience
- Utility management & workforce development
- Innovation & technology
- Operator-focused content

Submission Guidelines

- Abstract Length: One page maximum

- Include:

- Presentation title
- Brief summary of content
- Speaker(s) name(s) and a short professional bio

- Presentation Length: 45 minutes (includes Q&A)

- Non-commercial: Content should be educational, not promotional

Key Dates

- Abstract Deadline: July 31st, 2026

- Final Selections Announced: August 21st, 2026

Submit Abstracts To:

Abstracts can be submitted online [here](#).

We encourage water professionals at all career stages—from utility operators to engineers, academics, regulators, and manufacturers—to submit and share their valuable perspectives. If you know someone who would make a great presenter, feel free to forward this announcement.

Be part of shaping the conversation at this year's Southwest Section AWWA Conference—we look forward to reviewing your abstracts!