

## Calendar of Events

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February 12, 2026

**Disinfection 101**  
08:00 AM - 10:00 AM MST  
Tim Plata, 17195659618  
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*This course includes lessons focused on water and wastewater-specific disinfection practices, covering key industry terms and definitions related to common factors that influence disinfection - especially when troubleshooting in the field - an overview of disinfection methods commonly used in the water and wastewater industry, disinfection dosage math, and safe handling procedures for working with chemical disinfectants. It is designed to help operators succeed in various aspects of disinfection techniques encountered in daily operations and certification exams.*

*Max TUs*  
0.2

*Water Treatment*  
0.2

*Wastewater Treatment*  
0.2

*Industrial Wastewater Treatment*  
0.2

*Water Distribution*  
0.2

*Wastewater Collection*  
0



February 18, 2026

**Trenching & Shoring**  
**Colorado Rural Water Association**  
**176 West Palmer Lake Drive**  
**Pueblo West, Co 81007**  
**08:00 AM - 02:00 PM MST**  
**Tim Plata, 17195659618**  
**tplata@crwa.net**

*Review the Excavation and Trenching standard and learn how to determine if your job site is safe using a tape measure! Learn that most trench deaths occur in trenches less than 9' deep. See what options work with your size equipment and job situations. Also find out why this is one of OSHA's primary job sites for inspection and why District Attorneys are pressing charges for trench deaths.*

*Max TUs*  
0.6

*Water Treatment*  
0

*Wastewater Treatment*  
0

*Industrial Wastewater Treatment*  
0

*Water Distribution*  
0.6

*Wastewater Collection*  
0.6

February 19, 2026

**Confined Space**  
**Colorado Rural Water Association**  
**176 West Palmer Lake Drive**  
**Pueblo West, Co 81007**  
**08:00 AM - 02:00 PM MST**  
**Tim Plata, 17195659618**  
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*Learn why OSHA spent 7-years investigating confined space accidents under the old 1910 General Industry Confined Space Standard and introduced the new 1926 Sub Part AA Confined Space for Construction in 2016. We'll learn what practices and procedures municipalities need to follow to protect employees and your legal responsibilities when you have a general contractor or sub-contractor doing work for your district.*

*Max TUs*  
0.6

*Water Treatment*  
0.6

*Wastewater Treatment*  
0.6

*Industrial Wastewater Treatment*  
0.6

*Water Distribution*  
0.6

*Wastewater Collection*  
0.6

February 26, 2026

**Water Treatment Review D & C Certification**

08:00 AM - 10:30 AM MST

Tim Plata, 17195659618

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*This course is designed as a review for operators testing for B and A certifications and as a learning tool for operators testing for D and C certifications. The class will cover the basic filter operations, coagulants that are used and the why and how filtration works. It will also cover disinfection and some basic math skills needed to ensure the process is operating efficiently.*

*Max TUs*

0.2

*Water Treatment*

0.2

*Wastewater Treatment*

0.1

*Industrial Wastewater Treatment*

0.1

*Water Distribution*

0

*Wastewater Collection*

0

March 16, 2026  
- March 19, 2026

**45th Annual Conference & Exhibition**  
**Embassy Suites by Hilton Conference Center & SPA**  
**4705 Clydesdale Parkway**  
**Loveland, CO**  
Monday, March 16, 2026 8:00 AM - Thursday, March 19, 2026 4:30 PM  
Office , 719-545-6748 #1  
crwa@crwa.net

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