

Registration Form – Please Print or Type Mississippi Rural Water Association 2012 Board Member Management Training

Name: _____ Position: _____

Home Mailing Address: _____ Home Phone: () _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Email: _____

Public Water System/Municipality: _____ County: _____

PWS I.D. # _____ Fax: () _____ Phone: () _____

Training Session # You Wish To Attend: _____ Location: _____

Are you a Certified Water Operator? _____ Yes _____ No If Yes, Please put Cert # _____

The registration fee is \$75.00 per person. There will be a \$25.00 processing fee for all cancellations. We will gladly transfer the attendee to another session as long as it is within one year of receiving this registration. There will be no transfer or refunds on **no-shows, night-time(NT), or special sessions (◆)**. All classes fill up quickly, so please register early. Night-time (NT) trainings are two nights and you must attend both nights. **Please note night time sessions will have an “NT” behind session number if there is not an NT then it is not a Night-time session.**

-Call us to schedule a special training in your area if one is not listed below-

Day Training Schedule – 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Registration begins at 7:30 AM

<u>Session#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Reg Deadline</u>
1	Jan 19, 2012	Cleveland	DSU-Student Union Bldg	01/12/12
2	Feb 23, 2012	Laurel	Magnolia Center	02/16/12
3	Mar 28, 2012	Jackson	Ms Trade Mart Center	03/21/12
4	Apr 19, 2012	Tupelo	TVA Center	04/12/12
5	May 17, 2012	Wesson	Copiah Co-Lin/Nelson Multi Room	05/10/12
6	Jun 12, 2012	Biloxi	Convention Center	06/10/12

Please make copies of this form for each attendee. Please make check payable to MsRWA. Return registration form and payment to: 5400 N. Midway Road, Raymond, MS 39154 or Fax to 601-857-2434. If you need more information, call 800-343-2520.

**This training has been approved for 8 CEU (7 T& 1 R).
Operators can only receive CEU's one-time for this class.**

Law regarding board members requirements for attending this class is on back.

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To: Municipalities; Conservation and Water Resources
MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION 2007
By: Representative Robinson (63rd)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1227

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 41-26-101, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO REVISE THE MUNICIPAL POPULATION REQUIREMENT FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES THAT ALLOWS COMMUNITY PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM BOARD MEMBERS TO BE EXEMPT FROM CERTAIN MANAGEMENT TRAINING; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

SECTION 1. Section 41-26-101, Mississippi Code of 1972, is amended as follows:

41-26-101. (1) Each member elected or reelected after June 30, 1998, to serve on a governing board of any community public water system, except systems operated by municipalities with a population greater than ten thousand (10,000), shall attend a minimum of eight (8) hours of management training within two (2) years following the election of that board member. Any member failing to complete the management training within two (2) years after his election shall be subject to removal from the board by the remaining members. If a board member has undergone training and is reelected to the board, that board member shall not be required to attend training as provided by this subsection.

(2) The management training shall be organized by the State Department of Health, in cooperation with the Mississippi Rural Water Association and other organizations. The management training shall include information on water system management and financing, rate setting and structures, operations and maintenance, applicable laws and regulations, ethics, the duties and responsibilities of a board member and other information deemed necessary by the department after consultation with the association and other organizations. The department shall develop and provide all training materials. The department may charge a fee not to exceed Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) per member to defray the actual costs of providing the materials and training. These costs shall be reimbursed to the board member as an expense of the community public water system.

(3) To avoid board members having to interfere with their jobs or employment, management training sessions may be divided into segments and, to the greatest extent possible, shall be scheduled for evening sessions. The department shall conduct management training on a regional basis and shall use community college or other public facilities for the convenience of board members.

(4) The department may make exceptions to and grant exemptions and variances to the requirements of this section for good cause shown.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2007.