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1	2026 TOWA Annual Conference - Grounded in Change: Building Resilience for a Growing Texas (Rev 3/5Staff)		
2	March 9, 2026 - Monday (Pre-Conference)		
3	Pre-Conference Events		
4	7:30 - 9:00	<u>Room: Lobby</u> Pre-conference Class Only- Registration	
5	9:00 - 6:00	Pre-conference Classes:	
6	8:30 - 5:30	<u>Room: Texas South</u>	"Design for OSSF: Including Sizing & High Strength Design" 8 CEU/ Instructor: Bruce Lesikar, P.E & Sterling Maynard, P.E.
7	9:00 - 6:00*	<u>Room: Texas North</u>	"Advanced Maintenance Provider"-2 Day Class- 16 CEU (9-6pm Mon & Tues) Instructor: Ron Moomaw
8	1:00 - 5:00	<u>Room: Ranger</u>	"Pumper Technician Training: Intro to Pumping OSSFs"- 4 CEU/ Instructors: Dominic Rosales & Brian Wakefield
9	1:00 - 5:00	<u>Room: Lone Star</u>	"Designing & Installing OSSF's in the Flood Plain"- 4 CEU/ Instructor: John Blount, P.E.
10	4:00 - 6:00	<u>Room: Lobby</u> General Conference Attendee & Exhibitor Registration opens	
11	**4:30-6:00 - ADDED: Preview Happy Hour- Exhibit hall		
12	March 10, 2026 - Tuesday		
13	7:00 - 7:45	Breakfast - Exhibit Hall & Registration Opens (Lobby)	
14	Keynote Address - Main Session (Brazos Ballroom)		
15	7:45 - 8:00	Opening Introductions - Randy Chelette	
16	8:00 - 9:00	Deep Roots, New Growth: Resilience in a Rapidly Changing Landscape - Colin Bishop, MS, REHS, RS	
17	9:00 - 10:00	Exhibit Hall Opening & Roe-D-Hoe Contest >Hall Open from 9:00AM until 6:00PM; > Day 2 of 2 - AMP Class 9:00AM to 6:00PM (Texas North)	
18		Industry Direction Sessions - Brazos South	Design/Regulatory Sessions - Brazos North
19	10:00 - 11:00	Design, operation and maintenance of Low Pressure Dosing Systems - John Buchanan, P.E.	TCEQ Update: OSSF Program - Joseph Hopkins, P.G.
20	11:00 - 12:00	TxDOT guidelines for Commercial Vehicles serving OSSFs - Jim Galyean	Collection Systems: Guidelines for designing to meet flow requirements -John Blount, P.E.
21	12:00 - 1:00	Lunch & Roe-D-Hoe Contest - Exhibit Hall	
22	*During Lunch	TOWA Annual Meeting - Exhibit Hall/ McClennan Section	
23	1:00 - 2:00	The perfect pump chamber - Dennis Hallahan, P.E.	Anaerobic tank design and installation considerations - Bruce Lesikar, P.E.
24	2:00 - 3:00	Installation and maintenance of flow splitting methods - Montel Rutledge, Installer, M.P.	Reviewing Proprietary Aerobic Treatment Unit Testing Data during NSF Standard 40 testing - John Blount, P.E.
25	3:00 - 4:00	Exhibit Hall Break & Roe-D-Hoe Contest	
26	4:00 - 5:00	Installation and maintenance of compliant electrical systems - Doug Hensarling, Installer, M.P.	Design considerations for drip irrigation systems - John Buchanan, P.E.
27	5:00 - 6:30	Exhibit Hall Mixer & Roe-D-Hoe Finals	
29	March 11, 2026 - Wednesday		
30	7:00 - 8:00	AA Round Table Breakfast Session - (1 CEU) How the Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department solved the staffing and reporting system requirements to provide effective regulatory oversight. Moderator: Robert Suggs, Environmental Health Specialist III, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department Exhibit Hall Breakfast 7:00AM - 8:00AM	
31		General Sessions - Brazos South	Engineer Design Systems - Brazos North
32	8:00 - 9:00	Lessons learned through implementing an installer bond in Oklahoma - Nicholas Huber	Nitrogen management in treatment systems - Kevin Sherman, P.E.
33	9:00 - 10:00	Texas A&M AgriLife OSSF Program Updates - Anish Jantrania, Ph.D. P.E.	Nitrogen Loading – Nitrogen dispersal into the receiving environment - Colin Bishop, MS, REHS, RS
34	10:00 - 10:30	Exhibit Hall Break - Closes 11am	
35	10:30 - 11:30	TCEQ Licensing Update & Rules Revision Discussion - Renata Kosicki	*Professional Ethics in OSSF Design & Industry Practice- John Blount, P.E.
36	11:30 - 1:00	Commercial conundrums: challenging onsite commercial systems - Dennis Hallahan, P.E.	Surface Application Systems - Design, Installation, Operation, and Maintenance - Bruce Lesikar, P.E.
37	<i>Agenda Subject to changes and TCEQ approval. AMP Class- 16 hrs. Full conference with AMP Class, CEU = 20.5; Main Conference Tues & Wed = 12. Professional Engineering Ethics, One-hour, CEU Course</i>		