

September 2026 Section Meeting



Thursday, September 17, 2026 📍 City of Troy, Ohio



We invite you to join us for a tour of Troy's Wastewater Treatment Plant! The afternoon technical sessions will be held at the WACO Airfield.

Evening Social Event: Happy Hour at 41 Grill & Draft House



After a full day of touring the WWTP and participating in technical sessions, attendees are invited to unwind and socialize at a Happy Hour hosted at 41 Grill & Draft House, located at the Square Downtown Troy. SWOWEA will provide two complimentary drinks and appetizers for each guest at the event. This evening gathering is an excellent opportunity to network with fellow professionals, share insights from the day, and catch up with peers in a friendly and informal atmosphere.

Facility Tour	City of Troy Wastewater Treatment Plant
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9 - 11:30 a.m.

Last Tour leaves at 10 a.m.

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1400 Dye Mill Road, Troy, Ohio 45373

Tour will be for 1 contact hour

Registration	WACO Air Museum & Aviation Learning Center
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11:30-12:00 p.m.

1865 S. County Road 25A, Troy, OH 45373

Lunch	Lunch catered by Mrs. B'S Catering
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Business Meeting	Welcome and Updates
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12:30 p.m.

Joseph Kamalesh, P.E., SWOWEA President

Technical Sessions:	
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1:00 – 1:45 p.m.

Novel Aeration Control Delivers Energy Savings and Improved Nutrient Removal – 0.75 hr

Mark Gehring, EnviroMix

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1:45 – 2:30 p.m.

Biological Nutrient Removal Technology Selection – 0.75 hr

Tyler Wright, P.E. & Josie Rutherford, E.I.,

Strand Associates, Inc

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2:30 - 2:45 p.m.

Break and Door Prizes

2:45 - 3: 45 p.m.

City of Troy WWTP Improvements – 1.0 hr

Alyssa Mayer, P.E., Hazen

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3:45 p.m.

Closing Remarks

4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Happy Hour

41 Grill and Draft House

Register by Friday, Sept. 11, 2026 at

www.ohiowea.org

\$0 Speakers

\$5 Students w/ valid ID

\$50 early registration member

\$55 early registration non-member

\$60 late registration member

\$65 late registration non-member

Registration is free with a paid OWEA/WEF new membership application.

Online registration is highly recommended.

Please honor your reservation with payment if unable to attend

Payment Contact: Jeff Frechtling, P.E.

SWOWEA Treasurer at

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(513) 887-3220.

Event Contact: Adam Athmer, P.E., BCEE,

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Make Checks Payable to:

Jeff Frechtling, SWOWEA Treasurer

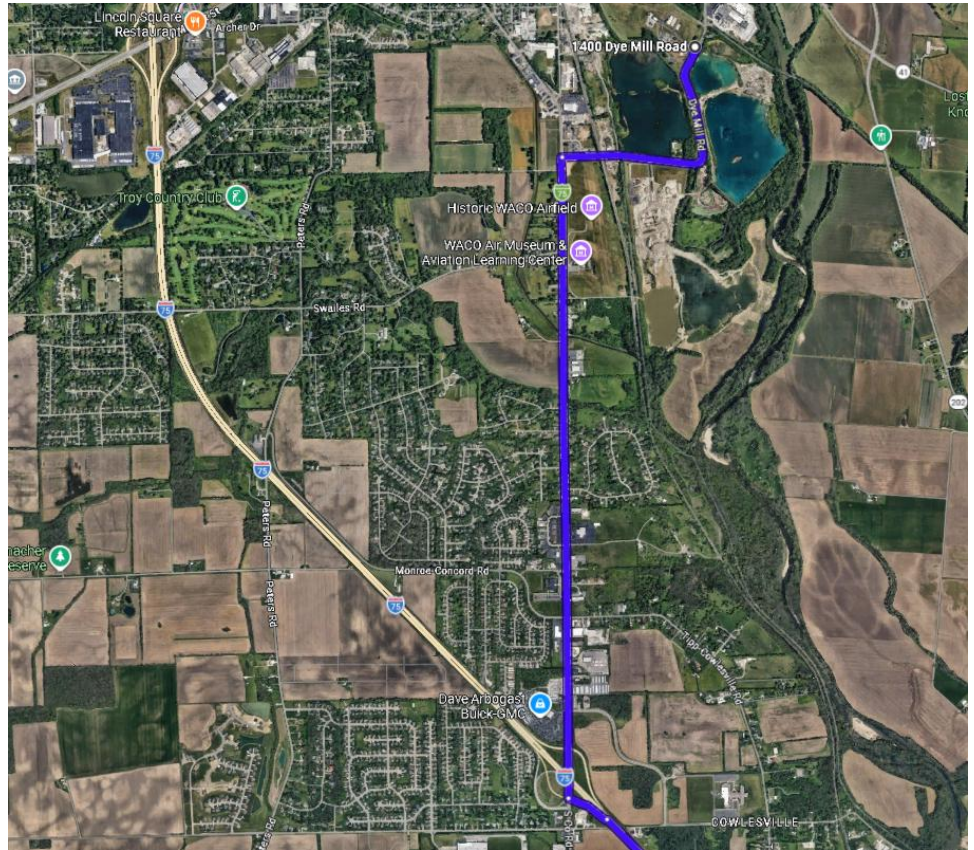
130 High Street, Hamilton, OH, 45011

This program has been submitted for **3.5 contact hours** for certified operators and professional engineers in Ohio. To receive credit, attendees must be present during the entire session and complete a contact hour form with Ohio EPA Core ID Number.

Directions to Facility Tour: City of Troy, Wastewater Treatment Plant (1400 Dye Mill Road, Troy, Ohio 45373)

Directions from Interstate-75 (I-75) :

1. Travel on I-75 (N/S) to exit 69 for Co Rd 35A toward Troy;
2. Travel on Co Rd. 25A for approximately 0.3 miles and continue onto I-75BUS/S;
3. Travel for approximately 2.3 miles and turn right onto Dye Mille Rd.
4. In approximately 1.0 miles, the destination will be on your left;
5. Parking is available on site.



Directions to WACO Airfield: The Airfield is located just south of the WWTP location;

1. Head South on Dye-Mill Road for approximately 1 mile;
2. Turn left onto I-75BUS;
3. Travel approximately 0.4 miles and the venue is located on your left.
4. Parking is available on-site.

