Southeast Central Regional Meeting, June 21, 2022, Tuesday, 10:00-11:00am local time
Edinburgh Park & Rec Center, 722 S. Eisenhower Dr. Edinburgh, IN 46124

There is no cost to attend but registration is appreciated. Register here. The IFA has applied for CEUs.

Agenda

1. Welcome from Edinburgh (5 min)
2. Introductions (5 min)
   a. Name, utility, title, professional experience (how long have you been in your role?)
3. IFA update (10 min)
   a. Regional Meeting background
   b. IFA Regional Meeting attendance tracking – 12-month rolling
   c. IFA financial recipients to describe their projects – what is proposed
4. Southeast Central Water Study (15 min)
   a. Kick-off for a 50-year supply and demand study
   b. Questions to be answered: how much water do we have now? How much are we going to need (specific to public water supply only)? Do we have enough to meet the 50-year needs?
   c. Study area: the “Driftwood”, “Flatrock-Haw”, and “Upper East Fork White” watersheds, which are primarily located in Hancock, Henry, Johnson, Shelby, Rush, Bartholomew, Jackson and Decatur counties.
5. Round Table - possible discussion topics (20 min)
   a. IFA’s Bipartisan infrastructure Law (“BIL”)/infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (“IIJA”) funding updates:
      i. SRF – Disadvantaged Community Assistance
      ii. LSL
      iii. Emerging Contaminants
   b. Regulatory compliance:
      i. PFAS/PFOA sampling? WW or DW?
      ii. How are you handling Validated Water Audit?
      iii. How are you handling Lead Service Line Inventory?
      iv. Does your utility have a stormwater utility? How is it set up?
   c. Regional collaborations:
      i. Are you a member of InWARN or any other mutual aid network?
      ii. Interconnections – do you have them?
      iii. Does your utility have ideas for sharing resources or services?
   d. Employee relations:
      i. How does your utility recruit new employees?
      ii. Does your utility offer OTJ training opportunities? Certified Operator or CDL, for instance? Is your utility participating in the Alliance’s Apprenticeship Program?
      iii. Does your utility do a “salary survey” to set competitive wages?
6. Next meeting (5 min)
   a. How often to meet?
   b. Where to hold next meeting?
   c. Who can be the regional point of contact?
   d. Suggestions for future topics of discussion?
   e. Any other suggestions?
7. Adjourn