



## American Water Works Association Michigan Section

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### Spring Regional Meeting - Kalamazoo Know Before You Go

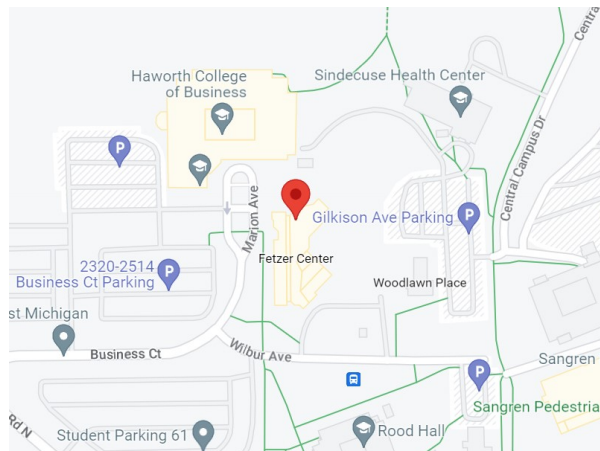
Thank you for registering for the Kalamazoo Spring Regional Meeting. We hope you find this information useful to you.

**Date & Time:**

Wednesday, April 5, 2023  
8:40 am - 3:00 pm

**Location:**

Fetzer Center  
Western Michigan University  
2251 Business Ct.  
Kalamazoo, MI 49008

**Earning Credit:**

Attendees are expected to participate and to be engaged throughout the duration of the session to receive CECs. CECs: 05. in the Technical category available.

**Agenda:**

8:40 - 8:45 AM: Opening Remarks and Welcome

8:45 - 9:30 AM: Session 1 - EGLE DWEHD Regional Meeting Update

- Kalamazoo: Pat Brennan

9:30 - 10:15 AM: Session 2 - Pellet softening – A new/old approach to groundwater softening treatment - Michael Wright , Peterson and Matz and Harrison Fowler, Veolia Water Technologies (Livonia and Kalamazoo)

10:15 – 10:30 AM: Break

10:15 AM during the break: Best Tasting Water in Michigan Taste-Off

- Kalamazoo: Aaron Davenport – J&H

10:30 - 11:15 AM: Session 3 – Recruit and Retain Tomorrow's Workforce–

- Patricia Butler - GLWA (Livonia and Kalamazoo)

11:15 AM - 12:00 PM: Session 4 - Trouble Shooting Outside the Box – Alex Hitsman, Kerr Pump

12:00 - 12:15 PM: Session 5 - MI-AWWA Update

- Kalamazoo: Rick Solle

12:15– 1:00 PM: Lunch (provided)

1:00 - 1:45 PM: Session 6 - Compliance Monitoring and Reporting - Amy Vail, EGLE

1:45 - 2:30 PM: Session 7 – Coagulation and Flocculation - Theory and Practice  
Erich Klun, CDM Smith (Kalamazoo)

2:30 - 3:00 PM: Session 8 Topic of Local Interest (TOLI)

- Kalamazoo: SCIP Phase II Improvements (Plate Settlers/Architectural) in St. Joseph – Greg Alimenti, City of St Joseph & Michael Hansen, Fishbeck

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