

Workshop Overview

This year's Operations and Maintenance Workshop is being hosted by **West Extension, Hermiston, and Stanfield Irrigation Districts**. It will be held **February 2-3rd** at the **Desert River Inn in Umatilla, Oregon**.

The Workshop also includes a tour of the **J.M. Eagle Plant** on **Thursday, February 2nd** from **3:15 PM to 5:00 PM**.

Aquatic Herbicide Applicator credits will be available.

Topics include:

- **Aquatic Management**
- **Equipment and Canal Maintenance**
- **Pump and Meter Maintenance**
- **Basic Water Law**
- **Crew Responsibilities and Duties**
- **SDAO Safety Presentation**

Workshop includes lunch and dinner on February 2nd, and breakfast and lunch on February 3rd.

Lodging: OWRC has reserved a block of rooms at the Desert River Inn for a rate of \$70/night for single rooms and \$77/night for double rooms, plus taxes. Please make your reservation by contacting the hotel directly at: **1-877-922-1500** or **541-922-1000** and ask for the OWRC room block.

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Operations & Maintenance Workshop

For District Field Staff



February 2-3, 2012
Desert River Inn
Umatilla, Oregon

Draft Workshop Agenda

Times subject to change

February 2nd

- 10:30 Registration Check-in
- 11:00 **Welcome**
- 11:15 **Meters for Agriculture** – Mike Richardson,
The Dalles Irrigation District
Pump Maintenance
- 12:15 **Lunch**
- 1:00 **Crew Responsibilities** – Steve Shropshire, Jordan
Ramis PC & Bob Ringering, Special Districts
Association of Oregon
Basic Water Law Knowledge
Best Practices – Safety along the canal
Canal Seepage, Encroachments Issues
Dealing with the Public
- 3:00 *Break*
- 3:15 **Tour** – J.M. Eagle Plant
- 5:00 Back at Desert River Inn
- 6:00 Social Time (open bar)
- 6:30 **Dinner** – Desert River Inn –
Communications Workshop

February 3rd

- 8:00 **Aquatic Weed Management** (*credits pending*)
Aquatic Herbicide in Canals
Integrated Management Program
Calibration and Calculations
- 10:00 *Break*
- 10:30 **Equipment Maintenance and Recordkeeping** –
Jeremy Bolen, Hermiston Irrigation District
- 11:10 **Canal Repairs** – Bureau of Reclamation
- Noon **Lunch**
- 1:00 **Best Practices Exercise**
- 2:00 *Adjourn*

2012 O&M Workshop Registration Form

Please use a separate form for each person registering

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

O & M Workshop - \$80 (*includes tour and meals*)

Late fee - \$20 (*after January 26th*)

Method of Payment

Bill Me (*OWRC Members Only*)

Check Enclosed

TOUR: The tour on Thursday, January 19th will depart from the Desert River Inn.

LOCATION & LODGING: The Workshop will be held at the **Desert River Inn, 705 Willamette St Umatilla, OR 97882**. OWRC has reserved a block of rooms at the Desert River Inn for a rate of \$70/night for single rooms and \$77/night for double rooms. Please make your reservation by contacting the hotel directly at: **1-877-922-1500** or **541-922-1000** and ask for the OWRC room block. Contact the OWRC office if you encounter any problems.

REFUND POLICY: Refund requests must be in writing and must be received by the OWRC office on or before **January 30th**. Only exceptional circumstances will be considered after this date and a \$25 administrative fee will be applied.

Mail, email, or fax completed registration to:

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