SCWA Young Professionals Civil Engineering Department Peter Schembri Jason White Shawn Mauldin

SCWA Workforce Statistics

- SCWA is comprised of 581 Employees
- Currently the Average Employee Age is 47, which is 6 years older than the Industry Average of 41
- Currently 139 of The SCWA's 581 Employee's are eligible for retirement
 - Eligible within 5 years 270 Employees
 - Eligible within 10 years

372 Employees

97 Employees under the age of 35

What Does All This Mean?

- We as a company need to take a conscious approach to passing on the Knowledge and Experience garnered throughout the careers of seasoned employees to facilitate a seamless transition from one generation to another.
- Allowing vast troves of information to leave without a viable means of replacement is a surefire way to guarantee a precarious transition into the future of the Authority

Civil Engineering Department Overview

- <u>Chief Engineer</u>
 Tim Kilcommons, P.E.
- <u>Lead Civil Engineer</u>
 Scott Meyerdierks
- <u>Water Quality Engineer</u> Joe Roccaro
- <u>Lead Project Manager</u> Raymond Meyer



• Senior Civil Engineer

Bill Lazar, P.E.

Associate Project Manager

Rich Taromina

- <u>Associate Civil Engineer</u> Jason White
- <u>Assistant Civil Engineers</u>
 Pete Schembri
 Shawn Mauldin

Engineering Department Mission Statement

The Engineering Department is responsible for designing, improving, constructing and delivering all aspects of SCWA water supply/treatment & employee infrastructure needs.

Develop Construction Drawings & Job Specifications



Job Site Supervision, Coordination & Inspection



Project Cost Estimation, Management, Payments & Analysis



• Tank & Filter Construction, Maintenance & Rehabilitation



Easton Street I.R. System Construction



Sill's Road Tank Rehabilitation

Company Approach with Young Engineers

- Shadow & Observe seasoned employees
- On & Off Site Training Opportunities
- Independence to take on projects of various magnitude and complexity
- Development technical skills through a mixture of Freedom & Guidance.
 - "Take the ball and run with it"

Training & Developmental

Opportunities

- On Site Training
 - Valve Insertion
 - Filter Operation & Maintenance
- Off Site Training
 - Tank Maintenance & Rehabilitation Related
 - Asphalt Design
 - Touring of the Atlantic Ductile Iron Pipe Foundry
 - Product Usage Classes
 - Water Infrastructure Conference
- Seminars
 - American Water Works Association
 - AWWA Young Professionals

Water Storage Tank Maintenance

- Competent Tower Climbers Certification
 - Houston, Texas
 - 2 Day Course

- Water Storage Tanks Operation, Maintenance & Rehabilitation
 - Madison, Wisconsin
 - 2 Day Course



Water Storage Tank Maintenance

Smith Street Tank





Wyandanch Ave. Tank



Projects

Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings

Purpose:

To protect water filter systems (some valued at over 1 million dollars) and allow them to remain in service during winter months.

<u>Types</u>:

- GAC Filter Buildings (Model 8, 10 & 12)
- Iron Removal Filter Building(s)
- AOP System

Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings GAC Filter Building (Model 8) Contract Drawings



Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings <u>GAC Filter Building (Model 8)</u> Rocky Point Road & Middle Rd Southold





Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings GAC Filter Building (Model 10) Contract Drawings



Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings <u>GAC Filter Building (Model 10)</u> Meeting House Road Currently Under Construction



Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings

Iron Removal Filter Building Contract Drawings



Pre-Engineered Metal Buildings Iron Removal Filter Building Easton St Blue Point Road





Blue Point Iron Removal System

 Clearing for construction of Recharge Basin used for backwash from Iron Removal Filter.





• Due to inspections by SCWA we determined existing backwash tank was corroded and rusted causing water to leak and flood Smith St Site.

Scope of Work

- Removal and Proper Disposal of Existing 100,000 gallon steel bolted tank.
- Construction of new 100,000 gallon bolted steel tank needed to backwash water from iron removal plant.

Inspection Photos





• Existing Tank



New Tank Construction









Third Avenue Tank Demolition

 Demolition and removal of a 300,000 gallon Riveted Steel Elevated Storage Tank



Third Avenue Tank Demolition



Third Avenue Tank Demolition



SUFFOLK COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY WELL GRAPHIC

Blowoff/Recharge Basins

- Blowoff basins are a vital part of water distribution.
 - These basins provide a place for us to discharge the stagnant water in the well casing before sending it out to the distribution system.
 - Additionally, blowoff basin act as a buffer against water hammer when turning a well on and off.



Blowoff/Recharge Basin

INITIAL STAKE OUT

EXCAVATION



SETTING THE DRAIN POOLS

INTERCONNECTING THE POOLS



Blowoff/Recharge Basin

BACKFILLING

CONT.



CONNECTING THE GOOSENECK

FINISHING



Blowoff/Recharge Basin

- Other than blowing off a well these basins are also used to contain the water used to wash the fines out of the new activated carbon.
- Over time the iron will build up and prevent water from draining.





ALBIN AVE. IRON REMOVAL SYSTEM UPGRADES

MEDIA REMOVAL

CONT.



PREVIOUS UNDER-DRAIN



NEW UNDER-DRAIN INSTALL





ALBIN AVE. IRON REMOVAL SYSTEM UPGRADES

GROUTING

THE AFTERMATH



GRAVEL BED

NEW FILTER MEDIA SYSTEM



Geotechnical Survey of SCWA Projects

- Performed inspections on the Soil borings for
 - Oakdale CNG Fleet Maintenance Facility
 - Laurel Lake 2 MG Concrete Reservoir





PREPARE SITE FOR CONSTRUCTION



PREPARE EXISTING FOUNDATION FOR ADDITION

SELECTIVELY DEMOLISH EXISTING BUILDING



START ERECTING STEEL & PREPARING FOR ADDITION CONCRETE FOUNDATION POUR





POUR THE SLAB FOUNDATION FOR BUILDING ADDITION

COMPLETE STEEL STRUCTURE



SHEATH BUILDING

BEGIN FRAMING FINISHED OFFICE SPACE



SHEATH INTERIOR OFFICE SPACE



INSTALL THE SANITARY & GRAY WATER SYSTEMS

INSTALL HANDICAPPED VERTICAL LIFT



INSTALL THE STAIRCASES





INSTALLATION OF GARAGE DOORS



INSTALLATION OF LUBRICATION

INSTALLATION OF FUME EXTRACTION SYSTEM



CONNECT BUILDING TO THE NATURAL GAS SERVICE FEEDING THE CNG PUMP STATION



PAINT BUILDING INTERIOR



SITE RESTORATION

INSTALL BULK LUBRICATION FLUID SYSTEM





FINAL PRODUCT



BUILDING INTERIOR





Laurel Lake Concrete Reservoir & Booster









Booster Station Construction

CLEAR SITE AND PREP FOR CONSTRUCTION

EXCAVATION & INSTALLATION OF CUSTOM FABRICATED BOOSTER CANS



CONSTRUCT FULL DEPTH CONCRETE FOUNDATION & BACKFILL



POUR THE CONCRETE SLAB FLOOR & SET THE BUILDING WALLS





Booster Station Construction

CONSTRUCT ROOF & INSTALL APPURTANENCES

PIPE INFLUENT & EFFLUENT MANIFOLDS



INSTALL PUMPS, MOTORS

INSTALL CHECK VALVES & PIPE TO SYSTEM



Booster Station Construction

INSTALL ELECTRICAL CONTROLS & MOTOR STARTERS

INSTALL & PROGRAM SCADA RTU

11/13/2017



COMPLETION OF THE RESERVOIR BOOSTER



EXCAVATE MATERIAL PREP SUBGRADE FOR THE TANK SLAB



CONSTRUCT ACCESS ROADS & RAMPS

PREP BASE COURSE & FORM TANK SLAB



POUR MONOLITHIC CONCRETE SLAB





FLOOD THE TANK SLAB



FORM AND POUR PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS

ERECT SCAFFOLD SUPPORT STRUCTURE



CRANE ON SITE SETTING PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS PANELS





FORM AND POUR CONCRETE BETWEEN PANELS

WIND TANK WITH STEEL CABLE



SPRAY SHOTCRETE OVER STEEL CABLE

CONNECT TANK TO BOOSTER STATION



REMOVE SCAFFOLDING SUPPORT



INSTALL APPURTENANCES



TANK BURIAL & SITE RESTORATION



AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION - WATER STORAGE PROJECT OF THE YEAR



QUESTIONS?

