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North Texas Section

# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

SUBMISSION DUE DATE:  
Friday, December 31, 2021

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SAVE THE DATE  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2022

LOCATION:  
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## TODAY'S STRIDES ACHIEVES TOMORROW'S SUCCESS

### POTENTIAL TOPICS

#### GROWTH PLANNING AND BUDGETING

Topics\* may include...

- ◆ How are utilities adjusting to the significant growth in Texas? What is known and not known?
- ◆ Stormwater planning and peaking factor changes
- ◆ Planning and budgeting for small utilities
- ◆ Strategic planning to address differences across the different size facilities within a utility
- ◆ Planning for nutrients and regulatory updates (TCEQ)
- ◆ How do we hold it together until we are able to execute the growth plans?
- ◆ How much is too much, when do we shift from rehab to planning and where is the balance?
- ◆ What businesses are moving to north Texas that would affect the collection system and how are utilities planning?

#### INNOVATIONS

Topics\* may include...

- ◆ Technology highlights
- ◆ Workforce engagement and recruitment
- ◆ Cross training of staff
- ◆ Creating new financial options
- ◆ Regulatory updates (TCEQ)
- ◆ State adjustments to recent weather events
- ◆ Adapting to supply chain issues
- ◆ Adjusting for cost escalation
- ◆ Cybersecurity

\*Preference will be given to wastewater focused abstracts, but all focuses are open for consideration

