



## Operations Challenge 2021

### *GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE YOUR COMPANY VISIBLE TO THOUSANDS OF WATER PROFESSIONALS*

Rhode Island Clean Water Association, a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, is seeking sponsors to help finance the travel costs for our newly formed team, "RI-CONN UNITED", to compete at **WEFTEC – the largest water quality exhibition in the world with more than 25,000 attendees annually!** Rhode Island and Connecticut Operations Challenge veterans have joined forces this year and have their sights set on a top 3 finish! This year's national event will be held at **McCormick Place, Chicago IL, on October 16 – October 20, 2021.**



#### **What is the Operations Challenge?**

Operations Challenge is the "Wastewater Olympics" for professionals in the wastewater treatment industry. Four-member teams compete in 5 separate competitive events, regionally, hoping to earn the right to represent their respective states at the national competition at WEFTEC.

1. **Maintenance:** Perform maintenance and operation of a KSB Submersible NC80 pump
2. **Collection Systems:** Simulate connecting a 4" PVC lateral sewer to an existing 8" PVC sewer pipe
3. **Safety:** Respond to an unconscious worker at the bottom of a confined space
4. **Process Control:** 20-minute written wastewater skills test and 15-minute process simulator
5. **Laboratory:** Analyze TSS and TDS and calculate solids mass balance across a treatment system

#### **Sponsorship levels with the gift items that are offered in return for your financial support:**

##### **250 MGD LEVEL (\$250)**

Certificate of appreciation, company logo and website link on RICWA Facebook page for 3 months

##### **500 MGD LEVEL (\$500)**

Certificate of appreciation, company logo and website link on RICWA Facebook page for 6 months, company name/logo on team jerseys to be worn at WEFTEC national competition and also the 2022 regional competition

##### **1000 MGD LEVEL (\$1,000)**

Certificate of appreciation, company logo and website link on RICWA Facebook page for 12 months, company name/logo on team jerseys to be worn at WEFTEC national competition and also the 2022 regional competition, link provided granting access to team photos with permission to use team photos to promote your business

# 2021 SPONSORSHIP COMMITMENT

**Please sign me up to be a 2021 Operations Challenge Sponsor!**

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Level Selected:**

- 1000 MGD Level            \$1,000
- 500 MGD Level            \$500
- 250 MGD Level            \$250
- Other                        \$\_\_\_\_\_

## **Payment Options:**

- Check enclosed            Check # \_\_\_\_\_
- PayPal                        <http://ricwa.org/ops-challenge/>

**Please make check payable to RICWA. Mail payment and sponsorship form to:**

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