

"RE-BUILDING THE CITY'S WATER SYSTEMS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY"

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Sewerage and Water Board Celebrates "National Public Works Week" – May 15-21, 2016

The Sewerage and Water Board will join with thousands of public works departments and agencies in communities across the country next week to pay tribute to the importance of "Public Works" in building and maintaining sustainable communities.

The American Public Works Association (APWA) has sponsored the event since 1960. It is a celebration and acknowledgement of the men and women who furnish, construct, operate and maintain the infrastructure and services of their communities, collectively known as Public Works.

This year's national theme is "Public Works Always There". The men and women of the Sewerage and Water Board are always there—and always ready to accept any challenge to serve our community. This year's "National Public Works Week" events are listed below.

EAST BANK WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT PUBLIC TOURS

The public is invited to attend East Bank Wastewater Treatment plant tours on Thursday, May 19, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Interested individuals or groups must call the Sewerage and Water Board in advance to reserve a space by calling 504-585-2169. The plant is located at 6500 Florida Avenue.

EQUIPMENT DISPLAY/GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE INFORMATION

On Friday, May 20, 2016 from 9 a.m. to noon the Sewerage and Water Board will host a Public Works Week equipment demonstration and environmental presentation at 1321 Orleans Avenue in the parking lot of Station A (next to the Municipal Auditorium). The general public, schools, scouts and community groups are invited to attend. Inquiries can call Sewerage and Water Board Community Relations Department at 585-2169.

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