8:30 – 9:00  Registration & Refreshments

9:00 – 9:15  Welcome and Acknowledgements
Scott Kinmond, President of NHPWA

9:15 – 9:45  Keynote Speaker ~ Governor Christopher T. Sununu
The importance of Public Works in our state,
Signing the National Public Works Week Proclamation

9:45 – 11:00  Available Funding for Drinking Water,
Groundwater, and MbTE Contamination Mitigation
Gary S. Lynn, P.E., Johnna McKenna, & Rick Skarinka
New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services

11:00-11:15  Break

11:15-11:45  Public Works’ Role in an Emergency
Justin Kates, Director of Emergency Management
City of Nashua

11:45 – 12:15  Municipal Cost Recovery for Degradation of
Roadways
Tim Clougherty, Deputy Public Works Director
City of Manchester

12:15 – 12:30  Break – Lunch will be served

12:30 – 1:30  NHPWA Annual Meeting
Governor Christopher T. Sununu is serving his first term as Governor of the State of New Hampshire. He is currently the youngest Governor in the country. Among his accomplishments during his first year in office was delivering a balanced state budget with no new taxes or fees and establishing full day kindergarten. Additionally, Governor Sununu doubled funds to fight the opioid crisis, made investments in clean water projects, expanded educational opportunities for students, and signed job creating business tax cuts into law.

Governor Sununu received the New Futures' 2017 President's Award for championing policies that improve the health and wellness of all Granite Staters. He is the Lydia's House of Hope 2017 Lebanese Cook-Off Winner.

Before being elected Governor in 2016, Chris served three terms on the New Hampshire Executive Council representing 32 cities and towns in Rockingham and Hillsborough counties. In 2010, Chris led a group of investors in the buyout of Waterville Valley Resort where he worked as Chief Executive Officer and was in charge of an expansion of the ski resort done in cooperation with the United States Forest Service.

Prior to the Waterville purchase, Chris was an owner and Director of Sununu Enterprises, a family business and strategic consulting group. He focused much of his time on local, national, and international real estate development, venture technologies, and business acquisitions.

Chris grew up in Salem, NH. He graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology (M.I.T.) with a BS in Civil/Environmental Engineering and worked for ten years cleaning up hazardous waste sites.

In 1998, Chris completed a five-month through-hike of the Appalachian Trail from Maine to Georgia.

Governor Sununu lives in Newfields with his wife, Valerie, and their three children, Calvin, Edie, and Leo.

Source: About Governor Christopher T. Sununu https://www.governor.nh.gov/about/index.htm
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Speaker Biographies

Gary S. Lynn, P.E., New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services  
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Gary Lynn is the Administrator of the MtBE Remediation Bureau of NHDES. He has a BS ChE/Chemistry degree from Northwestern University and a MS in Civil Engineering with Environmental specialization from Virginia Tech. He is a professional engineer with 40 years of experience in process engineering, environmental consulting and with state regulatory agencies. He received environmental merit awards from EPA Region I in 2002 and 2011 for brownfields and site cleanup achievements and is the 1997 and 2013 NHDES employee of the year.

Johnna McKenna, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services  
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Johnna manages the Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund in the Drinking Water and Groundwater Bureau at DES. She has worked at NHDES for 21 years. Johnna also coordinates the water system emergency planning and security program, serves as a member of the Security Committee with the Association of State Drinking Water Administrators (ASDWA), is an ASDWA State Representative for the Water Government Coordinating Council and is currently the Vice Chair of the NH Public Works Mutual Aid Program.

Rick Skarinka, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services  
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Rick has worked at NHDES for over 27 years and manages the Engineering and Survey section within the Drinking Water and Groundwater Bureau. This section is responsible for the regulatory and technical oversight of public water systems in New Hampshire in addition to implementing the Drinking Water State Revolving Loan program along with other loan/grant programs.
Speaker Biographies

**Timothy J. Clougherty**, City of Manchester, NH

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Mr. Clougherty has over 25 years’ experience in public works and facility related operations.

He is currently the Deputy Public Works Director for the City of Manchester, New Hampshire. He is charged with oversight of all Public Works activities including: highway, parks, recreation, environmental, wastewater utility, construction and facility related activities for the largest city in New Hampshire. The Department of Public Works employs more than 275 full time individuals with an annual operating budget of approximately $35 million.

Prior to assuming his duties as Deputy Director in July of 2008, Mr. Clougherty served as the City’s Chief Facilities Manager where he oversaw all maintenance, environmental compliance, and capital improvement programs for city-owned facilities consisting of approximately 78 buildings and encompassing almost 3 million square feet.

Prior to joining the City of Manchester Tim was employed by Johnson Controls and Siemens in various engineering and facility management related capacities.

Mr. Clougherty received a BS from Clarkson University in Engineering and Management (formerly Industrial Distribution). He resides in Candia, NH with his wife and two children.

**Justin Kates, CEM** City of Nashua, NH

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Justin joined the Mayor's Cabinet in August 2011 after coming from his role as a Homeland Security Consultant for the Delaware Emergency Management Agency. In his role, Justin coordinates city-wide emergency response efforts by working with Federal, State, and other areas of municipal government in obtaining the necessary resources to recover after a disaster. He developed the Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan for the City and chairs the Local Emergency Planning Committee. During his time in Nashua, Justin was responsible for coordinating the response and recovery of FEMA declared disasters Tropical Storm Irene, the "Snowtober" Nor'easter, Superstorm Sandy, Winter Storm Nemo, and Winter Storm Juno.

He is a Certified Emergency Manager (CEM) affiliated with the International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) and was awarded "NH Emergency Management Director of the year" in 2015. Justin is a graduate of the University of Delaware where he majored in Emergency Management and Public Administration. In his spare time he has taught Crisis Management as an Adjunct Professor at Daniel Webster College, Public Health Emergency Preparedness as an Adjunct Instructor at Rivier University, numerous FEMA state-delivered courses for the New Hampshire Fire Academy, and is a member of the FEMA Massachusetts Urban Search & Rescue Team Task Force One. He is currently the Vice President of the International Association of Emergency Manager's Region 1 Board of Directors.