

Engineering in 2005, and becoming the Engineering Manager for the company. Steve is responsible for developing and mentoring Entech Engineering staff, coordinating engineering projects, and providing support to all the company engineering efforts across seven offices. Steve is a registered professional engineer in Pennsylvania and Maryland and is a long-standing member of AWWA.

Steve has served the Pennsylvania Section of the American Water Works Association through his leadership roles in the Southeast District, his multiple responsible positions in the Pennsylvania Section of AWWA, including serving as Section Chair in 2010-2011, and through his service as Treasurer of the Pennsylvania Section.

Daniel Standish Spotts, Stevens and McCoy

Daniel Standish has served the water and wastewater industry for more than 30 years. He has assumed progressively responsible roles within the industry, serving public and private utilities, consultants, and service providers. Dan has served in multiple key positions within these organizations, including Project Manager, Director of Operations, Water Services Manager, and his current role as Senior Operations Specialist with Spotts, Stevens and McCoy.

Dan has been a member of the American Water Works Association for more than 25 years. He was recognized with the Pennsylvania Section's Operator Meritorious Award in 2016. Dan has served the members of AWWA as Trustee in the South Central District, and in his multiple responsible positions in the Section, including serving as Chair of the Scholarship Committee from 2005 to 2008, Chair of the Technical Education Council from 2008 to 2010 and Section Chair in 2012-2013.

AWWA OPERATOR MERITORIOUS AWARD

Martin Hozza
Northampton Borough
Municipal Authority

Marty was hired as a water treatment plant operator at Northampton Borough

Municipal Authority (NBMA) in 1987. He was promoted to Plant Manager in 2002. During his career, he assisted in design and oversight of construction of the new WTP in 2006. He has demonstrated tireless dedication to running the Plant throughout his career.

In June 2006, when the new WTP was put online, Marty and his staff spent several weeks working around the clock to ensure the safe and continuous operation of the treatment process.

Marty is the Plant Manager of the Water Treatment Plant built in 2006. This plant was the first LEED-certified WTP commissioned in the U.S. NBMA participates in the PJM Demand Response program in order to help the power grid to conserve energy. Marty is a hands-on manager with over 33 years of experience. He will work side by side with the plant operators in order to get a job done.

During the past 12 months, Marty has hosted and worked closely with local high school and college classes, which have conducted many studies and projects in related engineering and environmental fields.

Marty resides in Cherryville, Pa. with his wife Anita and two children, Andrew and Elizabeth.

MICHAEL KLEIN RECEIVES PENNSYLVANIA'S WATER/WASTEWATER AGENCY RESPONSE NETWORK'S HIGHEST HONOR

From Cozen O'Connor website: Harrisburg, Pa., September 1, 2020 – Michael D. Klein, a member of Cozen O'Connor's Utility & Energy Practice, has been named the 2020 recipient of the Gold Star Award by the Board of Directors of Pennsylvania's Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (PaWARN).

The award is the highest honor bestowed by PaWARN. Michael was recognized for his years of providing pro bono legal guidance to PaWARN. Most recently, he has helped the organization navigate COVID-19 legal restrictions on water and wastewater systems. Michael also provided guidance on a major piece of legislation that became law in Pennsylvania on July 23, 2020, that

provides certain immunities from civil liability to mutual aid request responders such as PaWARN and its members.

Michael represents utilities, municipalities, corporations, and developers in a broad array of water, wastewater, and energy related matters. His water practice includes serving as legal counsel to state chapters of several U.S. and international associations of public water suppliers. He has served as general counsel for public water suppliers in Kentucky, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia. He has significant experience in the regionalization and sale of public water and sewer facilities, and in the siting and construction of such facilities.

PaWARN members include investor-owned authority and municipal water and wastewater utilities who support and promote statewide emergency preparedness, disaster response, and mutual aid assistance for water and wastewater systems experiencing emergencies that cause large scale disruptions in water and wastewater service to the public.

PA-AWWA RISING TIDE AWARD

Caitlin Cavanagh
AECOM

ONE AWWA OPERATOR SCHOLARSHIP

Susan Freemer
Brockway Municipal Authority

DAVID A. LONG SCHOLARSHIP

Brooke Paccione
Lafayette College
Bachelor of Science: Civil and Environmental Engineering
Class of 2021

OUTGOING PA-AWWA TRUSTEES

Matt Boeh
Southeast District
2018-2020

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