

# DEVELOPING TOMORROW'S PUBLIC WORKS LEADERS TODAY



*"It is the capacity to develop and improve their skills that distinguishes leaders from followers."*

- Leaders: The Strategies for Taking Charge  
Warren Bennis and Bert Nanus 1985

*"PWI has been a great place to learn supervisory skills and to network with other colleagues in a comfortable classroom setting."*

- Barb Cinkosky  
2013-2014 RMPWI Class

*"Public Works agencies across the country are challenged with maintaining quality services as long-tenured employees retire. The RMPWI provides the in-depth training necessary to ensure highly qualified leaders are available to accept and manage the challenge for generations to come."*

- John Harris  
2014-2015 RMPWI Class



## APWA COLORADO CHAPTER PUBLIC WORKS INSTITUTE

*Training a new generation of leaders in public works*



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*"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."*

*-John Quincy Adams*

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Institute graduates are public works leaders who motivate and create a positive work environment enabling their agencies to fully serve their communities.

### ***Is the Institute for you?***

- Do you consider yourself a leader in your organization or want to become one?
- Would you like to improve your supervisory or management knowledge and skills?
- Do you want to enhance your qualifications for a more responsible position?
- Are you already a first-line supervisor or higher?
- Have you recently been promoted to a position with supervisory duties?

The Rocky Mountain Public Works Institute provides a regional program that educates and elevates public works employees, helping them achieve their management and leadership potential through interactive classes taught by experienced public work officials. The Institute follows the proven APWA model that has been successfully implemented by a number of other APWA chapters throughout the country.

### ***Core topics include:***

- Supervisory techniques and skills
- Basic management skills
- Communication skills
- Leadership skills
- Community service/customer orientation skills
- Legal understanding
- Fundamentals of government
- Finance
- Resource management skills
- Public works operations
- Creating the future

The 2018 Rocky Mountain Public Works Institute will take place in the Denver metro area with five 2-day sessions held every other month starting in January and concluding with the Annual Chapter Conference in the fall. Tuition will be \$1700 with half due at acceptance into the program and the second half due in the first quarter of 2018 allowing agencies to split costs over two budget years. Tuition includes training, materials, Annual Chapter Conference registration, light breakfast, lunch and snacks for each session. Applications are available on the Colorado Chapter website <http://colorado.apwa.net/>

*"I learned a lot of valuable things about supervising, communicating, project management and I met some great people. Since the class, I was promoted from Crew Chief to Superintendent. I feel like the lessons I learned in the class helped my chances of being selected for this promotion."*

Wes Watkinson, 2015-2016 PWI Class

*This is a great opportunity to learn the leadership skills needed to become a successful public works leader and is uniquely focused on the public works environment.*

Terry Rogers, 2013-2014 PWI Class



Questions?

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Scholarships are available