# Presentation Questions for Microplastics in WRRFs: Where They Appear and Where They Disappear by Belinda Sturm

Please use the field below to enter 5 True or False questions that relate to your presentation. Please be sure to indicate in the field the correct answer.

## 1. Question 1

The majority of microplastics are removed during primary sedimentation in wastewater treatment.

## **Correct Answer**

True

## 2. Question 2

Most of the microplastics are greater than 100 um, with a smaller fraction less than 100 um.

## **Correct Answer**

False

## 3. Question 3

Most microplastics entering a WRRF will ultimately be sequestered in the biosolids.

## **Correct Answer**

True

## 4. Question 4

Microplastic sampling procedures should always include a blank sample, which can be distilled water processed through the

same filtration and extraction procedure.

## Correct Answer

True

## 5. Question 5

It is known that stormwater is a minor contributor of microplastics in streams and rivers, compared to wastewater discharges.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

# Presentation Questions for Updates to ASCE's Clean Water and In-Process Oxygen Transfer Standards by Diego Rosso

Please use the field below to enter 5 True or False questions that relate to your presentation. Please be sure to indicate in the field the correct answer.

## 1. Question 1

Without correcting for non-conservative N2, should an oxygen transfer test on a deammonification process be considered invalid?

## **Correct Answer**

True

## 2. Question 2

Does the current ASCE protocol for in-process oxygen transfer testing consider non-conservative N2 processes?

## **Correct Answer**

False

## 3. Question 3

In N2 gas easy to measure?

## **Correct Answer**

False

## 4. Question 4

Does the activated sludge process in its nitrification/denitrification layout require correction for non-conservative nitrogen?

#### **Correct Answer**

False

## 5. Question 5

Should future updates of the ASCE standard reflect the need for non-conservative N2 correction?

#### **Correct Answer**

True

# Presentation Questions for Utility Financing Demystified (Mid-Agency): North Charleston Sewer District by Phillip Sexton

Please use the field below to enter 5 True or False questions that relate to your presentation. Please be sure to indicate in the field the correct answer.

## 1. Question 1

North Charleston Sewer District's S&P bond rating is AA+.

#### **Correct Answer**

True

#### 2. Question 2

North Charleston Sewer District's 7-year Capital Improvement Program is approximately \$105 million.

#### **Correct Answer**

True

## 3. Question 3

North Charleston Sewer District has approximately 51,000 customers.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

#### 4. Question 4

Boeing is one of North Charleston Sewer District's Top 10 customers.

**Correct Answer** 

True

#### 5. Question 5

North Charleston Sewer District is funded through rates alone.

#### **Correct Answer**

True

# Presentation Questions for The Evolution of a Stormwater Control Project: Protecting Downtown New Haven Against the Rising Flood by Virginia Roach

Please use the field below to enter 5 True or False questions that relate to your presentation. Please be sure to indicate in the field the correct answer.

## 1. Question 1

The New Haven flood control design accounted for climate change.

#### **Correct Answer**

True

## 2. Question 2

The best flood solution in New Haven was found to be large diameter gravity pipes.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

#### 3. Question 3

The current recommended plan is to microtunnel a storage pipe under the Rail Yard and construct a pumping station at the end of the tunnel near the shoreline.

#### **Correct Answer**

True

#### 4. Question 4

Although flow diversion is a favorable alternative, no opportunities were recommended to do this.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

#### 5. Question 5

All the soils in New Haven are permeable sandy materials.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

# Presentation Questions for Reducing Chlorides in Wastewater through Drinking Water Treatment by John Graupman

Please use the field below to enter 5 True or False questions that relate to your presentation. Please be sure to indicate in the field the correct answer.

## 1. Question 1

The chlorides are naturally occurring in the groundwater.

#### **Correct Answer**

False

## 2. Question 2

Wastewater treatment facilities are the primary contributor to surface water chlorides.

## **Correct Answer**

False

## 3. Question 3

Source reduction for chlorides actually requires hardness reduction for most cities.

## **Correct Answer**

True

## 4. Question 4

Ion exchange softeners are the primary source of chlorides for this area's wastewater.

**Correct Answer** 

True

## 5. Question 5

The City of Pipestone's chloride limit was less than 300 mg/L.

## **Correct Answer**

True