Robin Strader was announced at the 58th Annual KWWOA Conference as the newly elected Vice-Chairwoman. She will hold this position until the spring of 2017 when she will step into the position of State Chairwoman.

Robin is a 1991 graduate of Western Kentucky University where she earned a BS in biology and chemistry with a minor in agriculture. She began her career in 1993 working at SMR Engineering and Environmental Services in Central City, Kentucky doing soils, water and wastewater analysis. In 1997, she accepted a water treatment operator position at the Leitchfield Water Works where she earned class IV water treatment and class III water distribution licenses. March 2000, she transferred to the Leitchfield Wastewater Plant as head of operations, landfarm operator, lab manager and pretreatment coordinator and earned class III wastewater treatment, class IV wastewater collection and landfarm operator licenses. She competed on Team KY in the AWWA KY/TN Section and National Top Ops from 1998 to 2004, where her team placed first in the section four times, second at nationals twice and won national champion in 2002. She also holds class IV water and class III wastewater lab analyst certifications.

Robin is a busy woman, as all who know her will attest. She has served as a member of the Kentucky Wastewater Certification Board since 2009 and is currently the Vice Chairwoman. Robin has been married to her husband, David, for 26 years and they have 3 daughters and 3 grandchildren.

While I have known Robin for many years, I posed some questions to her that I thought might be helpful to you as members:

What made you initially join KWWOA? To be quite honest, I didn’t even know anything about the organization other than they had occasional training events close to home. Kevin Shaw, one of my mentors, was an officer in the Association and he would ask me to tag along to training events. I guess that’s what “set the hook” and my love of the profession (water at that time) and desire to learn more about it, did the “reeling in” so to speak.

What officer positions have you held at the local and state level? My first Chapter office was “Director of Wastewater” for the Central Chapter in 2000. Julia Thurman, another mentor of mine, asked if I would be interested in serving as an officer. I had no idea what “Director of Wastewater” was at the time, which is actually in charge of putting together the wastewater training for the chapter, but I told her I would give it a go and was elected to the position.

My next office was Secretary of the Central Chapter. At that time, we did not have a state level Member Services Director, so this position had to solicit and manage the membership for the Chapter, take the minutes and maintain our records. When I started, my records came with a roll-a-dex for the membership. Thank goodness we have evolved beyond that!

In 2005, I took a step back from the organization, when my Mom got hurt, and just served as member for a few years.

My first state position was Kentucky Lab Analyst Coordinator. I stepped in after Kim Davis retired from the position and conducted my first Lab Analyst school in the spring of 2011. This position is a pretty natural spot for me because of my degree, commercial lab analyst, water and wastewater treatment experience. Giving that role up, during my time as KWWOA State Chairwoman, is going to be hard, as I am passionate about this program.

I picked up the Central Wastewater Rep spot when Gary Crabtree resigned the position. The reps from each Chapter help guide the direction of the Association and serve as a conduit of information to and from the members to the State Board.

In 2012, I was elected as the Central Chapter VP and in 2014 was elected as the President. State Vice Chairwoman, is my first elected State office.

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By David K. Pine, P.E., Wascon, Inc.

The Milcrofton Utility District, located in Eastern Williamson County, Tennessee, provides clean drinking water to over 6,700 customers. The utility district maintains over 232 miles of water mains, 13 water storage tanks and 10 water pumping stations. Due to the dramatic population growth in this area of Williamson County, the Milcrofton Utility District is constantly looking for ways to keep up with the growing water usage demand.

The Avalon Water Booster Station pumps to a water storage tank that serves approximately 400 homes. Due to growth in the area and irrigation usage during the summer months, the existing pumps at the Avalon Water Booster station became undersized. Milcrofton Utility District determined that the existing skid mounted water booster pumps needed to be replaced.

The challenge was how to maintain water service to the Avalon area during the installation of the new pumps. The by-pass pump would be required to meet the design condition provided by the Utility (500 gpm at 323’ TDH) during the 30-day construction period. The by-pass pump also had to be automatically controlled by a telemetry system to ensure that the Avalon water storage tank would fill and drain appropriately.

WASCON, Inc. was asked by Milcrofton Utility District to provide a proposal for the by-pass pump. Representing both Pioneer Pump and High Tide Technologies, WASCON, Inc. was up to the challenge.

After reviewing the hydraulic conditions, a 6x4 diesel driven standard centrifugal Pioneer Pump (PP64S17) was selected. This pump was fitted with a LOFA control panel ideal for pairing with the High Tide (HTT-1100) telemetry system. High Tide Technologies, based in Nashville, TN, is a technology company that enables users to create a complete SCADA solution utilizing field units, satellite, cellular or Ethernet communications as well as the internet to monitor and provide automatic control. High Tide also offers a web-based software called TelemetryVIEW so the user can view data and initiate manual controls from any internet-connected computer or mobile device.

For the Milcrofton project, a High Tide HTT-1100 unit was installed at the Avalon Tank and a HTT-1100 unit was installed on the Pioneer bypass pump located at the Avalon booster station. The set points for when the pioneer pump would turn “on” and “off” were determined and programmed in the High Tide SCADA system. On the day construction began, power to the existing pump station was turned off and the Pioneer by-pass pump started up and met the demand without issue. The High Tide telemetry system controlled the by-pass pump flawlessly. The HTT-1100 unit at the tank, monitored the water elevation in the tank and would automatically control the operation of the Pioneer pump.

One of the benefits of High Tide Technologies is the ability for customization. For instance, after one week of operation, a local resident requested that operation of the diesel driven by-pass pump be limited during night hours. David Mundie, president of High Tide Technologies, was notified of this request and after a simple programming modification and the installation of a relay at the HTT-1100 unit at the bypass pump, the Pioneer pump would no longer operate during the hours of 11 p.m. – 7 a.m. unless manually over-ridden by the user.

Milocrofton Utility District also had access to the TelemetryVIEW website which allowed them to view the status, run times, suction/discharge pressure and tank elevation from any internet connected computer or mobile device, as well as control the operation of the by-pass pump.

According to Mike Jones, General Manager of Milcrofton Utility District, “High Tide Technologies is user friendly, has customizable features, and a very fast field response time over our existing radio system. The Pioneer pump was perfect. The head pressure we had required a “serious” pump and the experience of Wascon, partnered with Pioneer Pumps and High Tide Technologies was a perfect combination.

For more information on Pioneer Pump or High Tide Technologies, please contact WASCON, Inc. at 931-823-1388.
I hope that all KWWOA members are having a great summer! I am settling into the role of KWWOA Chairman and “retiree”, but it has been a joy so far. As many retirees find, it seems like I have more on my plate now that when I was actually working a full time job.

While I have been in the business for many years and have had the pleasure of meeting many of KWWOA’s members across the state, I thought it only fair that I should answer the same questions I posed to Robin Strader.

What was your first role in the water industry? In November 1979, I was hired at the Glasgow Water Company. The Central Chapter Christmas supper was in December and I was asked to go with my Boss, Mr. Herbert Pursley. He signed me up to be a member at the supper. The Glasgow Water Company has always been a supporter of KWWOA and was good enough to pay all of its operators’ dues each year.

What has been your most memorable experience as an operator? My most memorable experience was in December and I was asked to go with my Boss, Mr. Herbert Pursley. He signed me up to be a member at the supper. The Glasgow Water Company has always been a supporter of KWWOA and was good enough to pay all of its operators’ dues each year.

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What officer positions have you held at the local and state level? I have been the Director of Water, Vice-President and President of the Central Chapter. This is my first office at the State Level. Last September, all the Chapters attended a KWWOA Strategic Planning meeting with the State Board. It was around this time that the Chairman elect had notified the Board, that due to reasons beyond his control, he could not serve out his term. We were brainstorming possible candidates to step into this position and Shaun Youavich, the Chairman at the time, asked me if I would consider serving out the remainder of the term. (If an officer has to step down from an elected position, the KWWOA Bylaws allow the State Board to appoint someone to fill position for the remainder of the term.) I considered it a great honor to be asked and to serve an organization that I have been a part of for 35 years.

How has being a KWWOA member helped you as an individual/operator? I have met and made friends with KWWOA members all over the Commonwealth and any time you can make a new friend you have had a good day. As an operator, the opportunity to share ideas and brainstorm with other operators about problems you may be having with your plant, is more valuable than any training that you may receive in a class room.

Has being a KWWOA Officer, benefited you as an operator? If so, how? Yes, the ability to find out what topics the operators of the Commonwealth want to be instructed on, allows me to understand the water throughout the State and learn solutions for problems I have not encountered yet at my plant.

As Chairperson, what are your goals for the organization? As Chairperson, my goal is to encourage every operator in the Commonwealth to be a member of the only organization that “belongs” to the operators. The KWWOA is for the brother and sister operators across the State and the benefits that they receive far outweigh the cost of membership. I also want to say that without the support of our Associate Members and other vendors, that our training cost would be much higher. I am so thankful for the many sponsors that we have and want them to know how much we appreciate their support of our industry and Association! We need to keep this in mind and support them in return when we can.

I want to remind the North Central and Western Kentucky members that this is an election year for your Chapters. If you are interested in getting more involved in your Association, I encourage you to contact your respective Chapter Officers (contact information may be found at www.kwwoa.org) to see what positions will be available and/or how you might help with Chapter functions. The website also contains SOPs which outline the duties assigned to each position. I guarantee that if you volunteer, your help will be greatly appreciated!

I look forward to working with each of you over the next two years. If we have not met, make sure and seek me out at a KWWOA function and introduce yourself!
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Barry Lee Bolin, passed away May 16th, 2015, in Paducah, KY, after a 7-year, hard fought battle with multiple myeloma. Barry was the Distribution Superintendent at Paducah Water Company, where he worked for almost 21 years. He was well respected by his colleagues and peers and was a valued, longstanding member of the Kentucky Board of Certification of Drinking Water Treatment & Distribution System Operators. Barry was also a 25+year member and supporter of KWWOA and was awarded the prestigious Earl T. Mitchell award in 2012.

Barry was a native of Clinton, KY and graduated from Hickman County High School in 1964. He then attended the University of Kentucky, where he studied Agronomy and was a cadet in the University of Kentucky Army ROTC program. He was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Army upon graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1968. He served a 2-year, active-duty commitment and was honorably discharged in 1971.

After serving his country, Barry worked in several different jobs before returning to Clinton in the summer of 1980, to help with the family business and care for his ill father. Barry took a position with the City of Grand Rivers, KY in 1988 where he was first introduced to water treatment and distribution by Mr. Randell O'Bryan. Barry had found his true calling and then took a position with the North Marshall Water District in 1991. In 1994, Barry was hired by the Paducah Water Company and rose through the ranks, from a laborer position to Assistant Distribution Superintendent within six months. Barry was later promoted to Distribution Superintendent and worked tirelessly with his team at Paducah Water, Mr. James Grimm, Mr. Darran Rankin, Mr. Scott Shrum, and Mr. Glen Anderson, to improve the operation and quality of water service provided to the Paducah-McCracken County area.

Mr. Bolin is survived by his wife of almost 32 years, Mrs. Jacky Bolin; two sons, Dr. Levi Bolin and Wesley Bolin. In addition to his support of KWWOA, Barry was actively involved in Boy Scouting with the former Troop 22, where both of his sons achieved the rank of Eagle Scout. Barry most loved spending time with his family and pets, listening to music, and playing golf with his friends. KWWOA, as well as operators across the state, will miss Barry’s friendship, active support and dedication to the operator profession!

KWWOA Sponsorship Opportunities

The Central Chapter will have a Golf Scramble on September 22, 2015, during their Fall Conference at Barren River State Resort Park. The event begins at 10:00 a.m. CST, with a shotgun start. The cost for each golfer is $60 and includes a cookout at the conclusion of the Scramble. Hole Sponsorships are available as well for $150 which includes one golfer and the cookout. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams.

The North Central/Eastern Fall Conference will be held October 12—14, 2015, at the Four Points by Sheraton in Lexington. An exhibit show will be held on October 13 and booths are $150. Each vendor that participates may also elect to speak during the vendor roundtable held the afternoon of the show.

If you are interested in registering for these events, log into your account on the KWWOA website, www.kwwoa.org. Training is listed on the “Register for Training” tab and the other events may be found on the “Sponsor KWWOA” tab.
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Over the past few years, KWWOA has partnered with the Division of Water (DOW) to get the word out on the new wastewater lab requirements. This includes systems that collect, analyze field samples and report this information on KPDES Discharge Monitoring Reports. With the October 1, 2015 certification deadline rapidly approaching, the Kentucky Lab Analyst Committee (aka Robin Strader) began offering classes to help systems prepare their field only wastewater laboratory applications. During this training, a system actually completes a majority of the documents and samples that have to be submitted to DOW for approval and then only has to secure the necessary local signatures.

This is not a “we tell you what to do when you get back to work” class. Everyone has to bring a laptop and be prepared to work. Once in class, everyone is provided with a thumb drive and binder containing document templates derived by the DOW, as well as forms created by KLA to help capture additional information when certification is achieved. Attendees actually complete the application for certification, method analyze list, standard operating procedures and quality assurance plans.

On the second day, everyone is asked to bring the instruments they utilize for analyzing samples. The agenda for this day varies to meet the needs of the attendees and the parameters for which they report (i.e. for coal mine samplers we have substituted conductivity rather than chlorine). Everyone is provided with a set of 4, 7, and 10 pH buffers for their pH meter. After every unit is calibrated, quality control samples are provided to check the accuracy of the probe and Robin checks the temperature reading against a certified thermometer, before their proficiency test sample is analyzed. The instrument check is the same for dissolved oxygen. For chlorine, the unit’s calibration is verified, a standard is provided to run and check for accuracy, and then the proficiency test sample is conducted. Systems that test for conductivity, are asked to bring their own calibration standards and check standard, but KLA secures the proficiency test sample. Proficiency test samples are like a DMR QA study sample. It is a sample prepared by a provider for which the true value is not known. Robin sends the results for each system to the provider and they grade it as acceptable or not acceptable. Once the graded report on the proficiency test samples is returned (approximately 5 days) and included in the application, it can be submitted to DOW. In addition, each attendee leaves with the knowledge and glassware needed to complete proficiency test samples for years to come and earns a maximum of 16 hours of CEU credit for their water and/or wastewater license for renewal purposes (credit is based on actual class hours attended).

The brain child and driver behind this class is Robin Strader. Some would ask why, with a full-time job as the Leitchfield Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) Head Operator, an active family and 48 cows to milk twice a day, she would elect to write a class, publicize it, secure locations, purchase and secure the necessary supplies and coerce volunteers to help conduct 10 classes from January to October? When asked this question, Robin replied, “Many times we let fear rule our lives, both at home and work. I guess I just do not have enough “sense” to be afraid. As the oldest of four children, I learned to “just do it” long before Nike made the phrase popular. I never questioned whether the Leitchfield WWTP Lab would get certified or not, we just did it because it was a financially sound decision and allows for quicker results for process control decisions.”

“Going through the process, however, I began to think that with the newness of the regulatory requirements, that it might scare off some operators who have always collected and analyzed their samples. By September 2014, the wheels in my brain were turning. The good thing about milking cows is your hands are busy, but your mind has time to roam. While in the barn, I started jotting down the process control decisions.”

By January 2015, Robin had her troops assembled and started conducting classes. The response to this voluntary training course has been amazing, growing from two classes to ten. So far, KLA has helped to prepare 73 field only lab certification packages and 110 people have earned nearly 1400 hours of continuing education hours. Of the applications submitted, all have been approved.

Robin acknowledged it wasn’t easy to add these classes to an otherwise busy life, but she wouldn’t have it any other way. She has benefited just as much as the folks she has met travelling across this great state, such as Jerry Basham, from the Henderson Water Utility. Jerry issued a big thank you to Robin and said, “This class is a must for those small plants that are looking at this requirement and wondering what to do. Every step, paperwork and PT Study is explained and worked up so the application will nearly be complete by the end of the workshop. I encourage you to seek this course out, if you are curious and in need of lab certification assistance.”

So there you have it. If you are concerned about continuing to collect DMR required samples and becoming a field only certified lab, take the plunge! You have four more classes to select from before the certification deadline arrives:

- Berea - August 12-13, 2015
- Mayfield - August 24-25, 2015
- Leitchfield - September 17-18, 2015

Class sizes are limited and preregistration is required! To register, log into your KWWOA account at www.kwwoa.org, and click on the “Register for Training” link. Each class has three options available. If you are doing filter backwash samples or are in a chlorinated wastewater plant, sign up for the pH, DO and chlorine class. If you are doing storm water or in a non-chlorinated (i.e. UV) wastewater plant, select the pH only option. If you want more than one person to attend from the same facility, sign the second person up for the CEU only option. The CEU option does not include all of the supplies, but allows more than one person to be exposed to the regulatory requirements. There you have it. What are you waiting for? Register now!
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<td>KLA</td>
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<td>December 3</td>
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* It is the intent of the KWWOA to solicit approval from the Division of Compliance Assistance and the Kentucky Boards of Certification for approval of the hours and type of training referenced above prior to the class. If the class has not already been approved, a notice will be posted on the KWWOA website once approval is received. If you need these hours for renewal purposes and/or the specific topic referenced, you should inquire ahead of time as to the agenda and whether approval has been obtained.

** Pre-approval is required for this class.
Membership Application/Renewal Form

Please check the appropriate boxes and print clearly.

Refer to the list of counties on our website at www.kwwoa.org, to determine which Chapter serves your area.

□ – Western    □ – Central    □ – North Central    □ – Eastern
□ – New Member    □ – Membership Renewal

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Where would you prefer to receive KWWOA information/training announcements? □ – Home    □ – Business

If a valid email is provided, it will be utilized to ensure that you receive KWWOA information more quickly.

NOTE: Associate Members should not use this form. Associate Membership Applications may be found at www.kwwoa.org.

Active Membership □ - Postmarked after March 1, 2015 $50.00
Active membership is designed for those who actually hold a valid water or wastewater license and/or who are employed in a water or wastewater utility. This includes administrative staff, pretreatment and/or lab technicians as well.

□ Honorary Membership Free
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□ KLA Membership $10.00
This fee is in addition of the Active Membership fee above.

TOTAL __________

Please forward this application and a check or money order, payable to KWWOA, to the address below. You may also elect to renew online, paying through PayPal at www.kwwoa.org.

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