



NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION

Retail Water Provider Board Training

Act 605 of 2021

Act 605 of 2021 tasked retail water providers with additional responsibilities in managing and operating their water systems with some exceptions. All members of a retail water provider governing board must complete eight hours of training. The training must be completed within one year of becoming a board member. A member with 10 years or more service on the governing board is exempt from training. The Arkansas Environmental Training Academy, a division of SAU Tech, has partnered with the Arkansas Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Division to provide this training.

There is **NO FEE** for Retail Water Provider Board Members to attend this training.

To register for a class contact Kassondra Ivie kivie@sautech.edu or call (870) 574-4550 to register for in-person, internet, or zoom classes. For Internet classes please go to the AETA Water Training webpage www.sautech.edu/aeta/aeta-class-schedule-water/ and select the course you wish to attend.

Please see the table below for training dates and locations.

Dates and Locations for 605 Board Training

Date	Location	Seating Capacity
July 6, 2022	Springdale	25
July 19, 2022	Ft. Smith	50
July 25, 2022	Maumelle	40
July 18-21, 2022	Internet	N/A
August 1-14, 2022	Internet	N/A
August 15-28, 2022	Internet	N/A
August 15, 2022	Camden/Zoom	50
August 9 , 2022	Springdale	25
August 23, 2022	Jonesboro	30
August 24, 2022	Mt. Home	TBD
August 29 - September 11, 2022	Internet	N/A
September 9, 2022	Ft. Smith	50
September 12-25, 2022	Internet	N/A
September 13, 2022	Camden/Zoom	50
September 14, 2022	McGehee	TBD
September 15, 2022	Texarkana	40
September 29, 2022	Clarksville	40
October 3-16, 2022	Internet	N/A
October 6, 2022	Ft. Smith	50
October 17-30, 2022	Internet	N/A
October 21, 2022	Hot Springs	25
October 17-30, 2022	Internet	N/A
October 31 - November 13, 2022	Internet	N/A
November 1, 2022	Camden/Zoom	50
November 14-27, 2022	Internet	N/A
November 15, 2022	Springdale	25
November 28 - December 11, 2022	Internet	N/A
December 5, 2022	Internet	N/A
December 9, 2022	Camden/Zoom	50