



**New England Association
Of
Fire Protection System Designers**

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED ENGINEERING TECHNICIANS

MEETING NOTICE

DATE: Monday, May 12, 2014
PLACE: Double Tree Westborough Hotel
Rt. 9, Westborough, MA
TIME: 5:30 PM Social Hour
6:30 PM Dinner

COST: \$40.00 at the door

MENU: Beef \$35.00
Chicken \$30.00
Pasta \$28.00

CORROSION IN WATER BASED FIRE PROTECTION PIPING SYSTEMS

Corrosion in fire sprinkler and standpipe systems in our area is becoming an issue that we can no longer dismiss as something that is a concern in other areas of the country. With that said, our presenter for this meeting is Pete Carey. Pete is the Eastern Region Application Sales Manager at Huguenot Laboratories. He has been in his current role at Huguenot Laboratories since June 2013. Before his employment at Huguenot Laboratories, he was the Eastern Regional Sales Manager at Potter Electric Signal Company. Pete's tenure in the Sprinkler Industry dates back to December 2000, when he accepted the Eastern ULFM Sales & Marketing Manager position at Kennedy Valve. He entered the Water and Wastewater industry shortly after graduation from Youngstown State University in December 1995. He worked for Clow Water Systems (Manufacturer of Ductile Iron Water Pipe) and Trumbull Industries (NE Ohio Distributor of Municipal Products, Industrial Supplier of PVF, and Commercial/Residential Plumbing Products). While employed at Trumbull Industries, Pete earned a Master's in Business Administration from Youngstown State University. Huguenot Laboratories is an industry leader in laboratory testing of microbial, deposit, metallurgical, and water analysis to properly identify Microbiologically Influenced Corrosion (MIC) or General Corrosion (Oxygen Cell) in Fire Sprinkler Systems. After the identification process is complete, Huguenot Laboratories can recommend treatment and maintenance programs that limit exposure to corrosion activity in all water based sprinkler systems. Pete's presentation will include an overview of corrosion in sprinkler system, the cost of corrosion, current corrosion language in NFPA Standards, methods for monitoring corrosion in new and existing systems and recommendations and remediation options where corrosion is encountered.

Please reserve by Wednesday, May 7, 2014. Make checks payable to NEAFPSD and mail to NEAFPSD, P.O. Box 149, Wrentham, MA 02093-0149. Send all e-mail dinner reservations to:

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