

FREE web-based training on the Climate Ready Water Utilities (CRWU) Initiative



This training series will focus on how drinking water, wastewater, and stormwater utilities can use CRWU tools and resources to become more Climate Ready. Each webinar will focus on a different topic, tool, or resource for the water sector.

Who should attend?

- Drinking water, wastewater, and stormwater owners and operators
- Water sector associations, partners, and stakeholders
- Watershed planners
- Local, state, federal, and tribal government officials
- Emergency response planners

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Webinar Topic	Date
Climate Ready Water Utilities 101	January 23 th
Climate Change and the Water Sector	February 13 th
Climate Resilience Evaluation and Awareness Tool (CREAT)	February 27 th
Extreme Events Workshop Planner	March 6 th
Adaptation Strategies Guide	March 13 th

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Webinar Topic Descriptions

CRWU 101. An introduction to the CRWU initiative and climate change adaptation planning. Learn about the history of the initiative and the tools and resources available to the water sector, including an adaptation guide, an extreme events workshop planner, and comprehensive risk assessment software.

Climate Change and the Water Sector. An overview of how climate change will impact drinking water and wastewater utilities and how utilities can prepare for these impacts. This webinar also includes an explanation of the science and data sources used in CRWU tools and resources.

Climate Resilience Evaluation and Awareness Tool (CREAT). An introduction to CRWU’s risk assessment tool, CREAT. This webinar outlines CREAT’s risk assessment process, how it can help utilities build more resilient systems, and examples of threats and adaptation options.

Extreme Events Workshop Planner. A demonstration of the Workshop Planner which contains all of the materials a water utility needs to conduct a workshop to manage the impacts of more frequent and intense extreme events. The webinar reviews the steps to plan a workshop and engage with stakeholders, the customizable materials included, and five extreme event scenarios.

Adaptation Strategies Guide. An introduction to the Adaptation Strategies Guide, which helps water utilities learn about and begin climate change adaptation planning. This webinar explains the impacts different regions throughout the country can expect to face along with adaptation strategies that can be used to help prepare systems for impacts.

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