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# Fundamentals of Collaborative Delivery for WCDA Members and Owners

Join WCDA for a full-day session on the fundamentals of collaborative delivery projects, based on the *Water and Wastewater Collaborative Delivery Handbook, 6th edition*.

**Who Should Attend?** Leaders, engineering, procurement, and O&M staff of public W/WW facilities and WCDA members who have an interest in learning the fundamentals of collaborative delivery, with a focus on CMAR and progressive design-build. Enrollment for this session is limited to public owners and WCDA members. No previous experience necessary.

## COURSE AGENDA

8:30 am	Doors open
9:00 am–9:30 am	<i>Who We Are: Introduction to the WCDA, Facilitators, and Course Attendees</i>
9:30 am–10:15 am	<i>Fundamentals Chapter 1: Is Collaborative Delivery Right for Your Project?</i>
10:15 am–11:00 am	<i>Fundamentals Chapter 2: Making Sense of Collaborative Delivery Options</i>
11:00 am –11:15 am	<i>Short Break</i>
11:15 am –12:00 pm	<i>Fundamentals Chapter 3: Understanding Risk Allocation</i>
12:00 pm–12:30 pm	<i>Lunch</i>
12:30 pm–1:30 pm	<i>Fundamentals Chapter 4: Understanding Collaborative Delivery Contracts Two-Phase Implementation</i> (featuring unique contractual aspects of CMAR and progressive design-build)
1:30 pm–2:00 pm	<i>Fundamentals Chapter 5: Emphasizing the Importance of O&amp;M Engagement</i>
2:00 pm –2:15 pm	<i>Short Break</i>
2:15 pm–3:00 pm	<i>Fundamentals Chapters 6 and 7: Preparing and Supporting a Project for Procurement and Implementing a Best-Value Procurement Process</i>
3:00 pm–3:45 pm	<i>WCDA Readiness for Success Research: Mitigating Commonly Identified Organizational Readiness Gaps</i>
3:45 pm–4:00 pm	<i>Course Wrap-Up Implementation Curriculum Overview Questions, Answers, and Discussion Thank You to Our Sponsor</i>

## COURSE DATE, LOCATION, AND COST

<b>DATE:</b>	Tuesday, May 5, 2026
<b>TIME:</b>	9:00 am – 4:00 pm (doors open 8:30 am)
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Burns & McDonnell 901 Carondelet Drive Kansas City, MO 64114
<b>COST:</b>	Free
<b>INCLUDES:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments</li> <li>• Copy of WCDA’s <i>Water and Wastewater Collaborative Delivery Handbook, 6th edition</i>, and electronic access to WCDA’s PDB and CMAR contract templates</li> </ul>

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