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VINCENT MILES NAMED AWEA PRETREATMENT PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

Arkansas Water Works & Water Environment Association (AWW&WEA) 2015 Conference

PHOTO: Vincent Miles, on right, accepts the award from Aaron Benzing, president of the AWW&WEA.

Hot Springs, Ark. – Vincent Miles, the environmental compliance director for Pine Bluff Wastewater Utility, is this year's recipient of the Arkansas Water Environment Association's Wastewater Pretreatment Professional of the Year Award. The award was presented at the annual AWW&WEA meeting in Hot Springs on April 27.



Miles has worked for the Pine Bluff Wastewater Utility for more than 25 years where he has been instrumental in developing and implementing revisions to the utility's pretreatment program that ultimately resulted in the 2013 National Association of Clean Water Agencies (NACWA) Platinum Award. Pine Bluff was the only city in Arkansas to receive this award.

He has also worked closely with the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality to institute new guidelines for industrial users for discharging into the city's wastewater system. He operates the largest municipal wastewater lagoon treatment facility in the United States.

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