



Research and Information Center New Acquisitions List August 2019

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Continued medical insurance at retirement in selected Tennessee cities. Richard Stokes. A survey of selected cities regarding whether retired employees are offered continued medical insurance. ([More](#))

Health insurance waiting periods in selected Tennessee cities. A survey of selected Tennessee cities regarding waiting periods for health insurance for municipal employees. ([More](#))

IT staffing in selected Tennessee cities. Dawn McMillen. A survey of selected cities and towns regarding whether they have an IT manager on staff, other IT staff positions, and if they contract for any of their IT staff. ([More](#))

Public sector retirement bridge supplement usage in selected Tennessee cities. Richard Stokes. A survey of selected cities regarding the offering of the supplemental bridge benefit for retiring public safety employees (T.C.A. 8-36-211). Questions also cover participation in the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS) and mandatory retirement ages for public safety employees. ([More](#))

Residential refuse collection and recycling services in selected West Tennessee cities and towns. Frances Adams-O'Brien. A survey of selected Tennessee cities and towns regarding residential refuse and recycling collection services including rates and charges for the services. ([More](#))

Retirement benefits providers and pension committee structure in selected Tennessee cities and towns. Richard Stokes. A survey of retirement benefits providers and pension committee structure in Tennessee cities and towns. ([More](#))

Sample application for water/sewer availability letter. Three sample applications for water/sewer availability letters. ([More](#))

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2019 Membership directory for the Tennessee Association of Utility Districts. This list contains more than 500 utilities across Tennessee and includes their address, phone,

contact person, county, number of connections, and the service that they provide. [Book] ([More](#))

Dams: the missed risk in plain sight. Sandra L. Glenn, Sandy A. Smith. In Journal AWWA. – Vol. 111 – no. 5 (May 2019), p. 14-19. Dams are often overlooked as potential threats to infrastructure, but one Georgia county is creating greater awareness and preparedness. Article explores the Dekalb County (GA) Department of Watershed Management’s efforts to understand and mitigate the risk of the numerous dams in the country to the local water supply. [Article] ([More](#))

Display policy for Troy City Plaza. Sample ordinance from the City of Troy (NY) which includes statements on public funding prohibitions, locations of designated areas for displays and rules and regulations.” [Vertical File] ([More](#))

Dude, where’s my rates? : best [and worst] practices in providing rate information online. Jake Metzler, Manuel P. Teodoro. In Journal AWWA. – Vol. 111 – no. 1 (January 2019), p. 40-47. With online access to billing and other customer resources now the rule more than the exception, how well do water and sewer utilities’ websites convey rate information? [Article] ([More](#))

FCC small-cell ruling adds federal restrictions on local decision-making. Thad Boggs. In Cities & Villages. – Vol. 66 – no. 6 (November/December 2018), p. 6-9. The article places the FCC’s ruling on small-cell deployment from September 2018 in context by providing a summary overview of prior federal actions as well as H.B. 478 (state of Ohio) comparison with the FCC’s recent ruling on the issue. [Article] ([More](#))

Implementation guide no. 2019-2, Fiduciary activities. This implementation guide supersedes Implementation guide 20. 2015-1, Questions 6.6.1 and 7.81.2. [Book] ([More](#))

Operation and maintenance of wastewater collection systems : a field study training program. Introduction to wastewater collection, wastewater collection systems, their purpose, components and design. [Book] ([More](#))

Operation of wastewater treatment plants : a field study training program. The technology for treating wastewater and the knowledge and skills required for plant operators and managers to efficiently operate and maintain their plants continues to advance. [Book] ([More](#))

Setting the cannabis bar. Carol Brzozowski. In MSW Management. – Vol. 28 9 no. 7 (November/December 2018), p. 22-26. Best practices in recycling and disposing of cannabis waste. [Article] ([More](#))

Standard methods for the examination of water and wastewater. This one volume book includes information on physical and aggregate properties, metals, inorganic nonmetallic constituents, radioactivity and toxicity. [Book] ([More](#))

US survey reveals gaps, opportunities for health, safety and environment programs. Frank Milligan. In Journal AWWA. -- Vol. 111 – no. 1 (January 2019). Results of an AWWA survey of health, safety and environment programs. [Article] ([More](#))

Wastewater treatment fundamentals 1 : liquid treatment. Sidney Innerebrner. Training for the operator of the future and includes chapters on The Clean Water Act, treatment goals, influent characteristics. [Book] ([More](#))