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Promotes excellence in fleet management by advancing the knowledge and practice of public fleet professionals to benefit communities through quality fleet services.

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The **American Public Works Association (APWA)**

serves professionals in all aspects of public works

Membership in APWA is open to any individual, agency, or corporation with an interest in **public works** and **infrastructure issues**.

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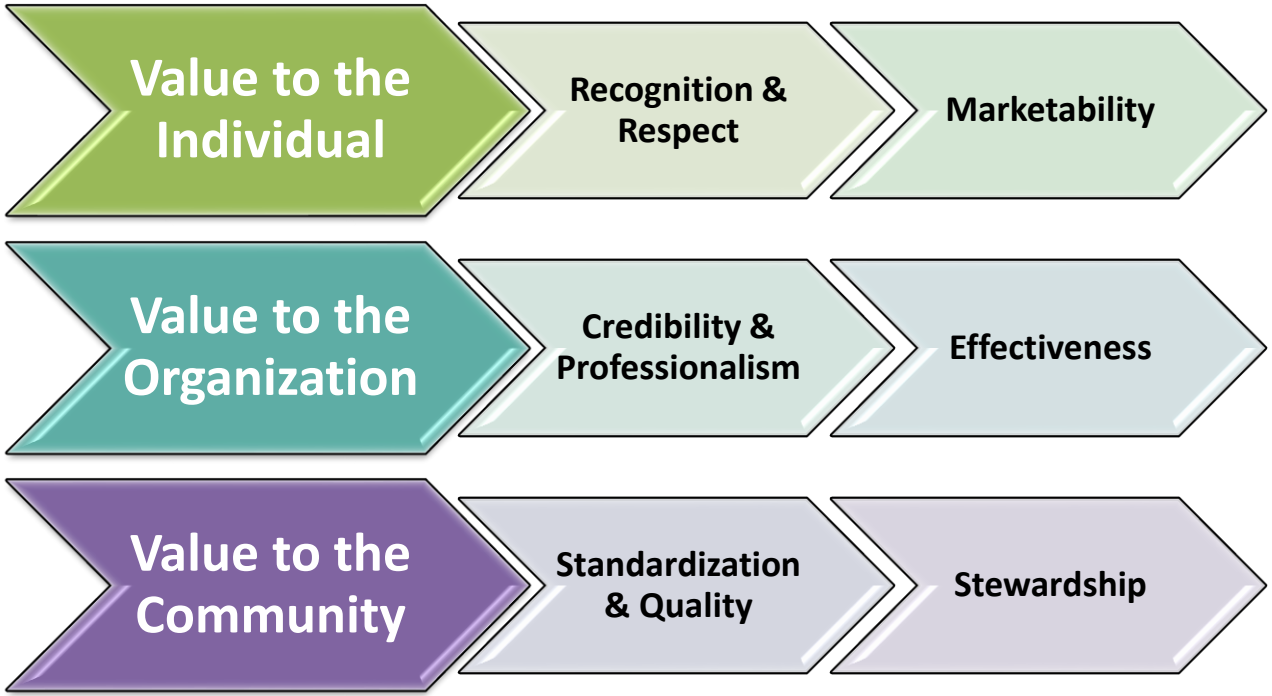
Why Certification?



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Why APWA Certification?

- National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA)
- Recognizes Broad-based Career Competency
- Process Integrity - Increases Value
  - Feasibility Study and Job Analysis
  - Peer written Exam / Subject Matter Experts
  - Council and Committee Oversight
- Focus on Public Works
- Computer-Based Testing
  - Flexibility in Site Location
  - Reduced Costs
  - More testing Opportunities
- Rigorous - Increases Value

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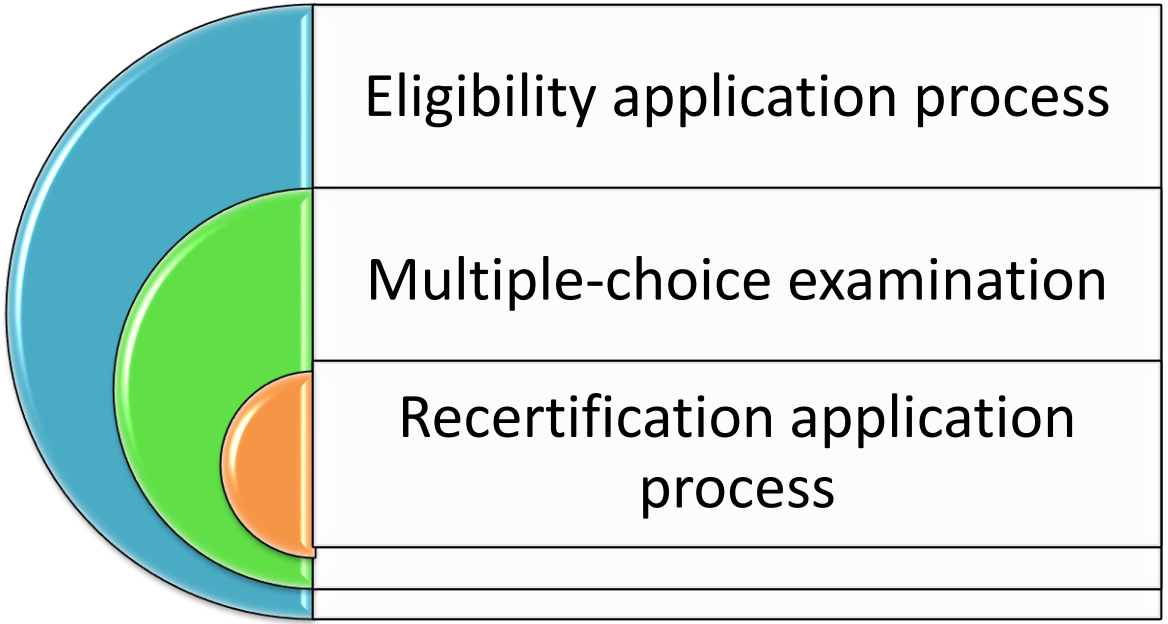
Program Components



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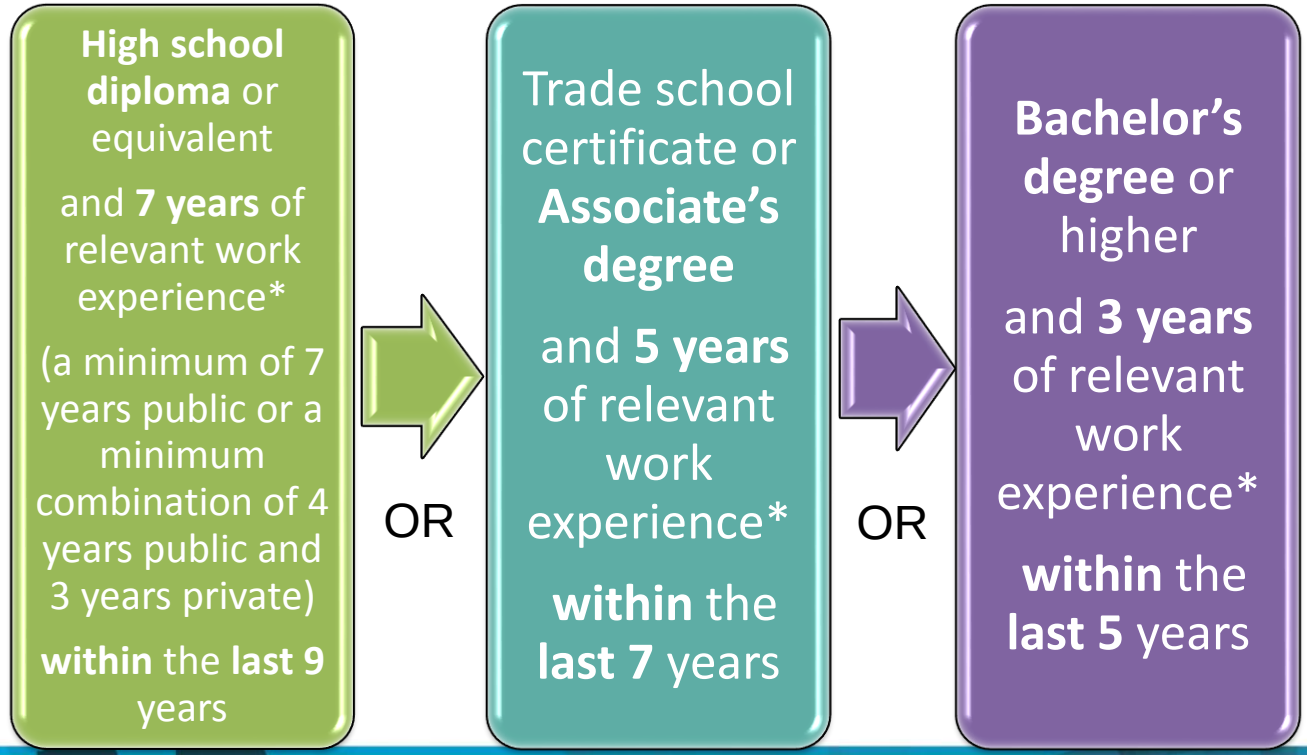
Eligibility Requirements



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*Relevant work experience is that performed in the role of a fleet professional defined as one who **actively supervises, manages, oversees, or administers fleet services a minimum of 50% of their weekly activity** within a public or private fleet entity.

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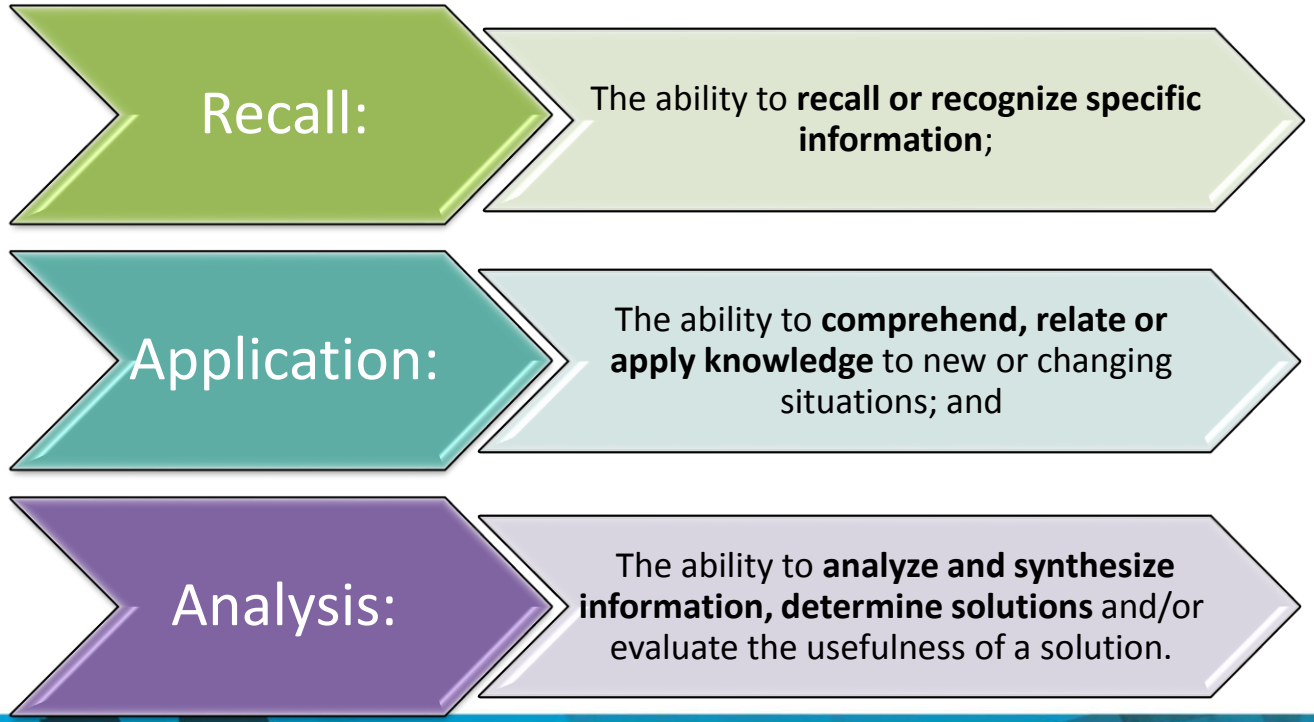
Examination

- Based on Content Outline
- 150 Questions - Multiple Choice
- Written by Subject Matter Experts
- Reviewed by APWA Peers
- Computer Based Exam Administered at Place of Employment

Types of Questions



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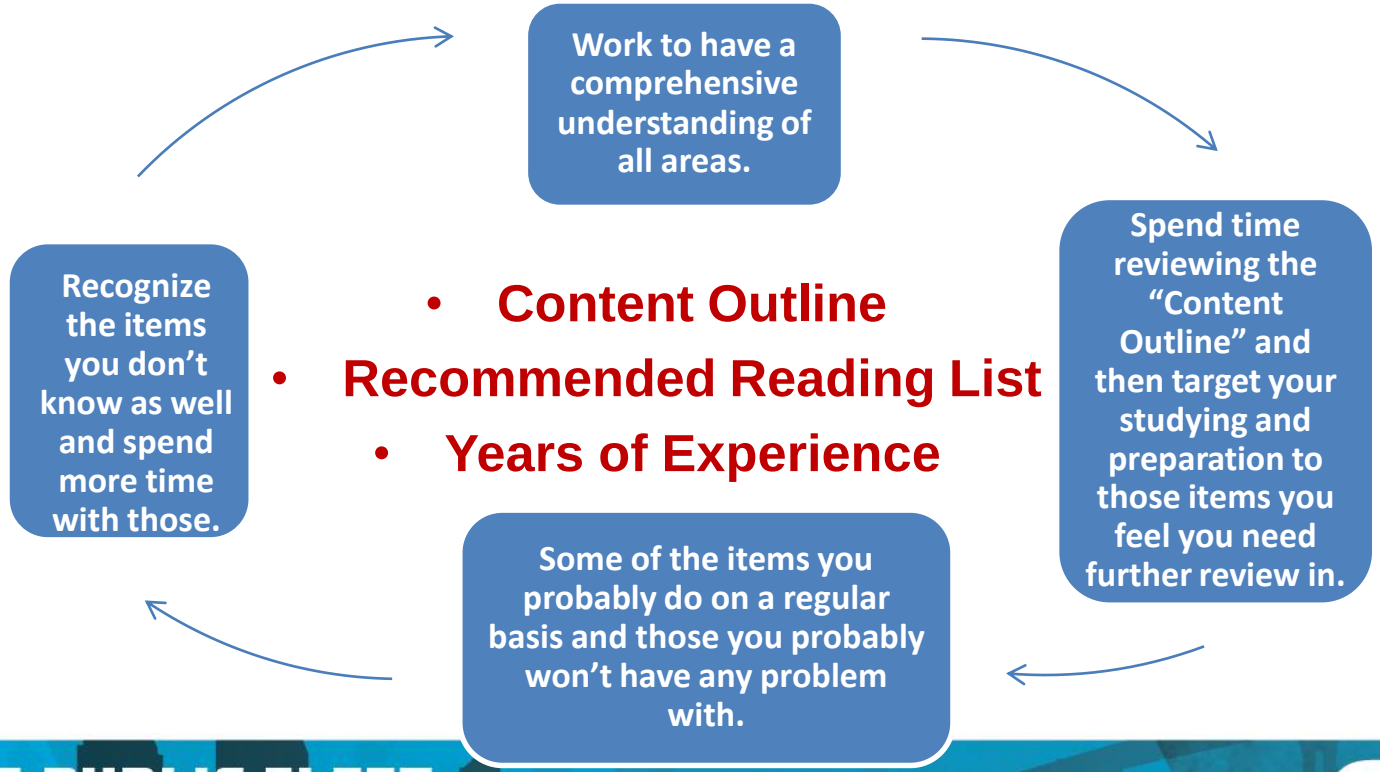
Exam Preparation



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Content Outline

Operations	• (20%)
General Management & Business	• (16%)
Asset Management	• (17%)
Financial Management	• (17%)
Human Resource Management	• (10%)
Risk Management	• (8%)
Environmental Management	• (7%)
Info Management & Technology Systems	• (5%)

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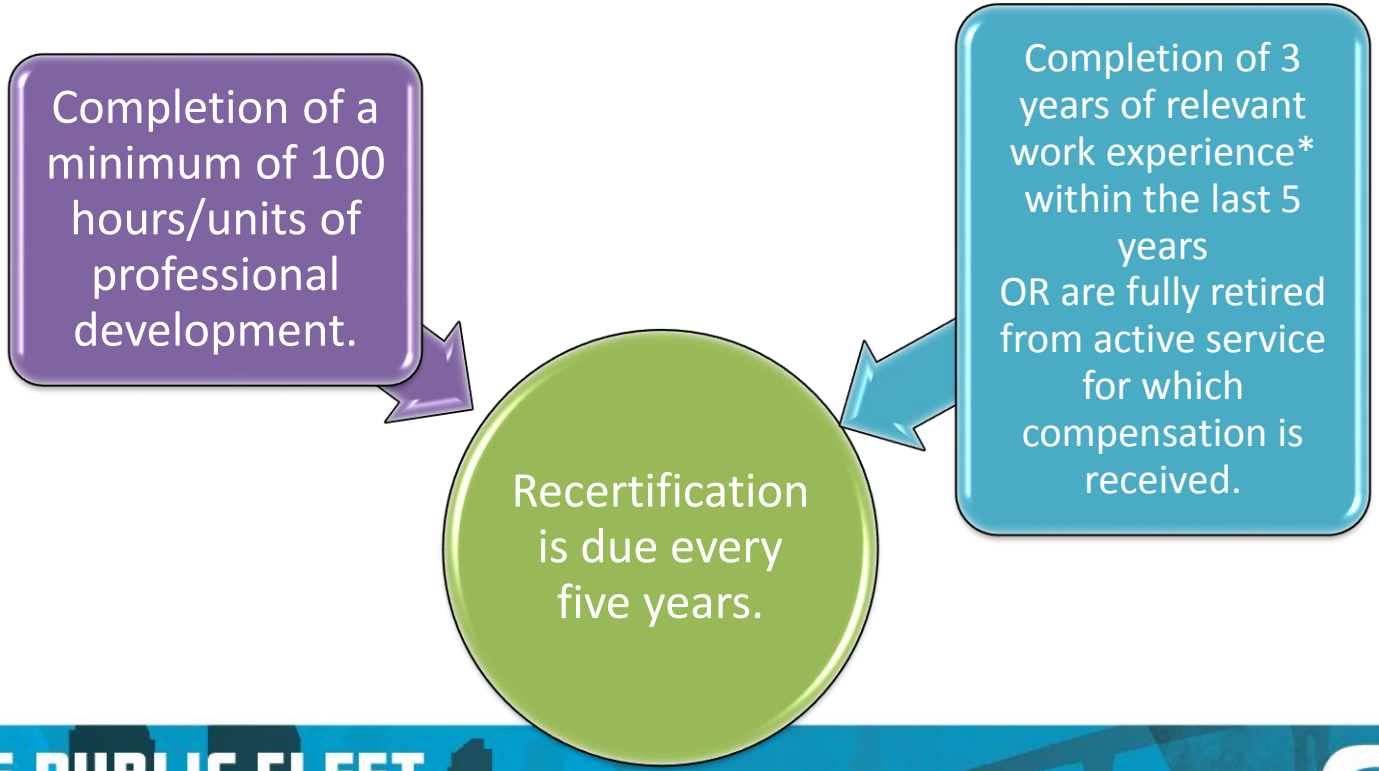
Recommended Reading List

APWA Certified Public Fleet Professional

- Public Fleet Management Student Manual
- Public Works Communication Manual
- The Concise Manual for Calculating Public Fleet Rates
- Spec Writing 101: A Quick Guide to Purchasing Public Works Vehicles and Equipment
- Top Ten Performance Measure for Fleet Managers
- Planned Fleet Replacement
- Managing Public Equipment

The APWA Recommends these resources to help with preparation for the CPFP examination. It should not be inferred that questions in the examination are selected from any single reference or set of references or that study from specific references guarantees a passing score on the examination.

Recertification Requirements



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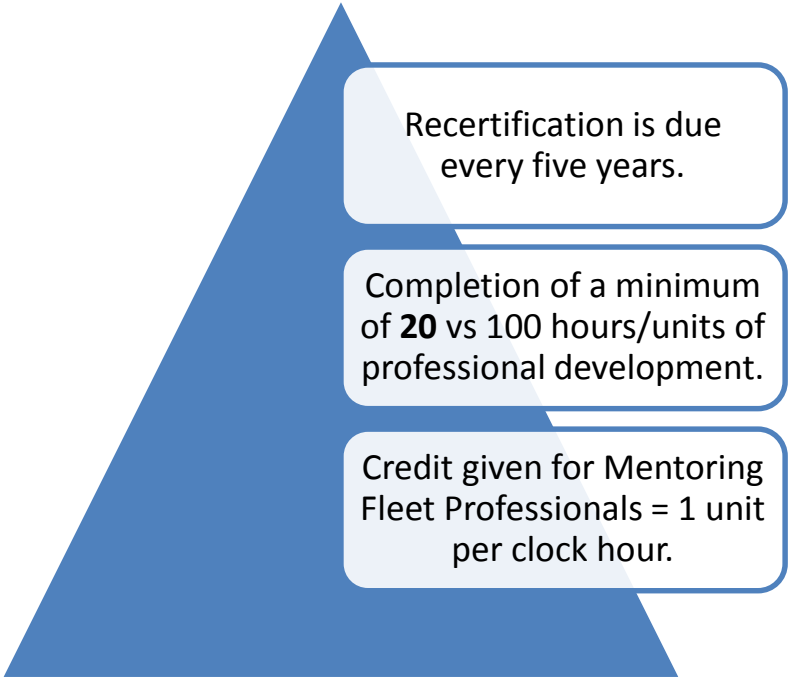
Retiree Recertification Requirements



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Tools for CPFPs

- Recertification Tracking Sheet
- Publishing & Speaking Opportunities
- CPFP InfoNOW Community
- APWA Members' Library Access to Free Webinars that are Pre-Approved for Recertification

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How CPFP's Have Benefited

Since we are in the process of accreditation, the two dovetail. It gives you respect, recognition, and credibility because you have been tested and certified in your area of expertise.

It has been a great experience. The greatest benefit is being recognized as a fleet professional who can share knowledge and learn from each other. It motivated me personally to get more involved in APWA and with our local fleet agencies.

It is a great process because once you obtain your certification, you need to meet the re-certification criteria which strengthens your fleet experience and value to the community and your organization.

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CPFP vs. Other Certifications

*"It has broader exposure and **connects to the other Technical areas within the Public Works field**. Fleet is a core service within most public agencies. This certification provides the technical, business, and sustainable best practices for managing a public fleet."*

*"I believe this certification is most appropriate for the **governmental fleet manager**. Certifications offered by private associations dwell on issues that the public fleet manager almost never has to confront."*

Currently Over 90 CPFP's

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CPFP Fees

Application Fee:	• APWA Member – $195 USD • Nonmember – $245 USD
Examination Fee:	• Place of Employment – $500 USD • Testing Center – $550 USD
Recertification Fee:	• APWA Member – $195 USD • Nonmember – $245 USD

APWA Membership Special Offer

Get your first year of individual membership at half price!

- Any employee or official of a governmental agency, manufacturer/supplier, contractor, or consulting firm who is actively engaged in the field of public works and has not previously been an APWA national association member is eligible for the First-Time Member Special Offer.
- The special offer is also available for adding first-time members to your existing group's roster or starting a new group membership. And for those in Canada, you have a membership in both the American Public Works Association and the Canadian Public Works Association.

Special Offer price:

- **Individual membership $98 USD for your first year (regularly $196 USD)**
- Group pricing is also available. Call 800-848-2792 for details.

Join today and take advantage of this first-time member special offer!

- This offer is limited to first-time members only. Offer expires December 31, 2018. Local chapter membership is included. Chapter dues, where applicable, will be in addition to the special offer fee.
- Additional information about membership is available using the links to the right of this page, or by calling 800-848-2792, or emailing memberservices@apwa.net.

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