A&WMA’s 113TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION

San Francisco / JUNE 29 - July 2, 2020

MONITOR RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Attend the “Monitor Responsibilities” webinar to be held in early/mid June. (Webinar date and time to be determined.) Webinar is MANDATORY. Webinar will provide Monitors with an overview of their duties.

2. Upon your arrival at the Annual Conference, please check-in at the Air & Waste Management Association’s registration desk and pick up your MONITOR badge.

3. On the day of the session(s) that you are scheduled to monitor, you should report to the Monitors’ Room to check-in and to pick up the necessary documentation (Head Count Form and Attendee Sign-In Sheet).
   - If you are monitoring an AM session please check-in at the Monitors’ Room at 7:15 a.m.
   - If you are monitoring a PM session please check-in at the Monitors’ Room at 12:15 p.m.

4. Arrive at the session room 15 minutes prior to start of session. 
   NOTE: Monitors working the Keynote Program or a Plenary Session should report directly to the room, 30 minutes prior to the start time. You will need to pass out index cards to help facilitate questions.

5. Ten minutes prior to start of the session, change the pocket sign outside the room. Verify that session name, time, and room number are correct and are clearly visible.

6. Monitor should introduce himself or herself to the Session Chair. During the session, the Monitor should sit in the back of the room.

7. Assist with audiovisuals (AV) as necessary. If there are any major issues with the AV, go to Registration and tell the staff to page the AV Company right away and provide them with the meeting room name with the AV issue.

8. Maintain appropriate room lighting.

9. Set out the “Continuing Education - Attendee Sign-In Sheet” for the session. On the sheet, please write the date, time, and session name.
   IMPORTANT: The Sign-In Sheet is ONLY for attendees who want Continuing Education credits.

10. The Session Chair will announce the following information regarding Continuing Education: “Anyone seeking a Certificate of Attendance for Continuing Education purposes, should write and print his/her name and email address on the “Attendee Sign-In Sheet” in the room. A Certificate of Attendance will be emailed to attendees AFTER the conference. You should only sign-in IF you want Continuing Education credits.”
11. Conduct a head count of the total attendance 5 minutes after each speaker’s’ presentation starts and again at each presentation’s conclusion. Record the total for each presentation on the “Head Count Form”.

12. If a speaker is not present, the Monitor should write “NO SHOW” in the session block on the “Head Count Form”.

13. AFTER the session has concluded, Monitors should wait at least 15 MINUTES before collecting the “Attendee Sign-In Sheet” from the session.

14. AFTER each session, Monitors should return the “Attendee Sign-In Sheet” and the “Head Count Form” to the Monitors’ Room.

A few notes:

**Audiovisuals** - Our standard audiovisual equipment includes a computer, digital projector, screen, microphone, and a laser pointer.

**Speaker Presentations** - Generally presenters prefer to handle the presentations themselves. Occasionally, however, a presenter may prefer to have the monitor do so.

**Laser pointer** - Confirm that the laser pointer remains in the room throughout the session. At the start of the session, it should be at the podium with the slide projector remote control.

If you have any questions regarding your Monitor responsibilities during the Annual Conference, please see Sharon Shearer, Local Host Committee Monitors’ Chair, or Gloria Henning, A&WMA Registration Staff.

Thank you for volunteering to serve as a Monitor.