



The NWEA Collection System Committee is considering offering a National Association of Sewer Service Companies (NASSCO) Training tract as part of the Great Plains Conference coming up on April 17-18. The training would be completed over the same two days as the conference, would NOT be limited to NWEA members, and the cost of the training is presently estimate to be in the \$650-\$700 range. **If you are needing recertification, the cost will be reduced by \$155** and be in the \$500-550 range.

Typical NASSCO training is \$1,050/person cost, plus travel expenses. NWEA is providing value by bringing this training to Omaha as part of the Great Plains Conference.

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#### What is NASSCO?

The National Association of Sewer Service Companies (NASSCO) is an organization of infrastructure professionals that are interested in and dedicated to improving the performance, rating, identification, and classification system for faults, problems, and defects found in sewer pipes. NASSCO has developed a training class that will ensure that all operators/inspectors (PACP). We are pleased to offer NASSCO Certification training for the PACP/LACP/MACP including re-certifications. Your certification is good for (3) years.

By adopting and utilizing standard codes, you can not only benchmark sewer pipe conditions within a utility, but also compare sewer pipe conditions from one time frame to another for management. Standardization improves your productivity, allow the integration of inspection data from many sources, and reduce the subjective nature of describing features and defects.

For more information go to the following link to the NASSCO website: [www.nassco.org](http://www.nassco.org)

Each student will be required to pass a multiple choice exam for the PACP, MACP and LACP modules.

**Training and Certification of Users** — Program graduates are assigned a certification number for quality assurance on their assessment videos to ensure continuity of data use credits.

#### INSTRUCTOR BIO: STEPHANIE SEGLER

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At this time the conference organizers have set up a [SignUpGenius.com](http://SignUpGenius.com) page to determine how much interest there would be in the NASSCO Training opportunity. Click on the link below to go to the [SignUpGenius.com](http://SignUpGenius.com) page (follow the instructions included on the page):

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c49a4ad23a13-great1>

The information gathered on the [SignUpGenius.com](http://SignUpGenius.com) page will be used to plan the training and set the pricing.

**Please provide your interest in the training by providing your RSVP on the Signup Genius website by:**  
**Friday, February 22, 2019**

In the coming weeks a formal training event will be set up on the [www.nebwea.com](http://www.nebwea.com) website. An email will also be sent out which will include the training information and the link to the training event online registration and payment page.

**NASSCO Training Details (Preliminary)**  
**Dates:** 04/17/2019 (Wed.) AND 4/18/2019 (Thurs.)  
**Time:** 8:00am - 5:00pm CST  
**Location:** Embassy Suites, La Vista, NE

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