



Submersible Wastewater Pump Association

*"Forging the Future of the Submersible Wastewater Pump Industry"*

**BUSINESS MEETINGS  
SHOULD FEEL GOOD  
AND THEY DO WHEN YOU'RE  
ATTENDING A SWPA MEETING**

## **2026 SUMMER MEETING AND PLANT TOUR**

**AUGUST 3-4, 2026**

**HOSTED BY:**



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**JOIN YOUR COLLEAGUES – *THE INDUSTRY'S LEADERS***

**FOR THIS UNIQUE PROGRAM**

**IN BLUFFTON, INDIANA**

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**THE PROGRAM WILL FEATURE A FACILITY/PLANT TOUR  
COMMITTEE MEETINGS  
AND FUN-FILLED ACTIVITIES**

**SPACE IS LIMITED TO 25 PEOPLE...SIGN UP EARLY!**

**PARTICIPANTS SHOULD PLAN TO ARRIVE ON  
MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2026**

**YOU CAN FLY INTO  
FORT WAYNE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (FWA).  
WEG WILL PROVIDE A SHUTTLE TO AND FROM THE AIRPORT TO AND  
FROM THE HOTEL.**

**WE WILL NEED YOUR FLIGHT INFORMATION IN  
ADVANCE TO SCHEDULE THE SHUTTLE**

**MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 3<sup>RD</sup>, WEG WILL HOST A SWPA DINNER  
AT THE HOPPY GNOME RESTAURANT .  
VANS WILL LEAVE THE HOTEL AT 6:30 PM**

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS & PLANT TOURS WILL BE HELD ON  
AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> AT THE WEG ELECTRIC CORP. BLUFFTON FACILITY.**

These sessions are a major component of each and every SWPA Meeting. It is at these highly interactive sessions that much of the Association's work is done – where decisions are made concerning virtually all of the Association's programs and activities.

**TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>, SWPA WILL HOST A PRIVATE BOX,  
WITH DINNER, AT THE TIN CAPS BASEBALL GAME.**

**MEMBERS WILL DEPART ON WEDNESDAY MORNING**

**HOTEL INFORMATION.** Our hotel headquarters will be the Courtyard by Marriott Fort Wayne Downtown, 1150 South Harrison St., Fort Wayne, IN 46802. Phone number is: 260-490-3629. The SWPA rate is \$154/night plus tax. We have the rate locked two days prior and two days after in case you wish to stay and visit local clients. You can register with the following link:

[Hotel Reservations Click Here](#)

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## **PROGRAM AND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

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### **MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2026**

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#### **SWPA MEMBERS ARRIVE**

Airport to Hotel Shuttle provided by WEG. Please fill out flight arrival and departure information form.

6:30 PM        Shuttles depart Hotel for Dinner at the Happy Gnome  
9: 00 PM       Shuttles depart Happy Knome for Hotel  
9:30 ish        Shuttles return to Hotel

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### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2026**

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8:30 AM        Shuttles depart Hotel for WEG  
9:00            Breakfast  
9:15 to 12:15   Committee Meetings  
12:15 to 1:00   Lunch  
1:00 to 3:00    WEG Facility Tour  
3:00            Shuttles depart WEG for Hotel  
5:00            Shuttles depart Hotel for Baseball Game  
TBD             Shuttles depart for Hotel

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### **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2026**

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SWPA Members Depart – Shuttles to Airport provided by WEG

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## ATTENDEE SHUTTLE REGISTRATION

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**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company** \_\_\_\_\_

**Arrival Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Arrival Time** \_\_\_\_\_

**Airline** \_\_\_\_\_ **Flight Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Departure Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Departure Time** \_\_\_\_\_

**Airline** \_\_\_\_\_ **Flight Number** \_\_\_\_\_



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**REGISTRATION FORM**

**2026 SUMMER MEETING AND PLANT TOUR**

**AUGUST 3 - 5, 2026**

**BLUFFTON, INDIANA**

**HOSTED BY WEG**

**Registration Fee:** \$495.00 per person. Your registration fee includes facility tours, breakfast, lunch, dinner, activities and transportation.

**To register for the Summer Meeting and Plant Tour return this completed form by July 24th to:**

**SWPA Headquarters | 8430 Gross Point Road, Suite 200 | Skokie, IL 60077**

**Phone: 847.681.1868 | FAX: 312.475.9022 | E-Mail: Adam@SWPA.org**

**(Please use a separate Form for each attendee.)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Check Your Method of Method**

Payment Enclosed in the Amount of \$ 495.00

Charge my registration fee of \$ 495.00 to my credit card

VISA  Mastercard  AMEX  Discover

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Account # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ Billing ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

**\_\_\_\_\_ I WILL NEED TRANSPORTATION FROM FWA TO THE HOTEL, AND HAVE COMPLETED THE ATTENDEE SHUTTLE REGISTRATION FORM**

**SPACE IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 25 REGISTRANTS**

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Registrations are cancelable and registration fees are refundable if received in writing at SWPA Headquarters no later than the close of business on, July 24, 2026. Cancellations received after that date will be subject to a \$50.00 cancellation fee. ***There will be no refunds for no shows.***



**SWPA IS “FORGING THE FUTURE OF THE SUBMERSIBLE WASTEWATER PUMP INDUSTRY” WITH PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES LIKE THIS ONE!**

### **ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES DURING OUR SUMMER MEETING**

**OUR COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND PLANT TOUR WILL BE HELD AT THE WEG FACILITY**



**WEG Electric Corp.** in Bluffton, Indiana, is a model of American manufacturing, specializing in custom-engineered fractional horsepower electric motors. Originally founded in 1944, the plant operates out of a 400,000-square-foot facility and was acquired in 2016 by the global industrial leader WEG S.A. Today, the facility blends a rich local heritage with international engineering expertise, utilizing vertically integrated production lines to design and manufacture highly reliable, specialized electric motors up to 5 horsepower.

The Bluffton facility is a trusted supplier across diverse markets and engineering targeted solutions for the pumps, food processing, commercial kitchen, ventilation, and swimming pool industries. Its high-performance product lineup features custom fractional motors, washdown-duty units built to withstand aggressive cleaning, and robust explosion-proof motors designed for hazardous environments. Driven by a dedicated local workforce, the plant continues to pioneer advanced technical integration to meet the precise, demanding specifications of its global clientele.

## DINNER & EVENING ACTIVITIES ON AUGUST 3RD



The Happy Gnome is a casual, contemporary gastropub featuring modern, globally inspired dinner, paired with beer and cocktails. SWPA will have a private room for dinner, hosted by WEG.

## Tuesday Evening, August 4th – Fort Wayne Tin Caps Baseball



SWPA Will Host a fun-filled night at the ballpark in a private box.  
Buffet Dinner and fireworks after the game!