

## Convention Highlights

### Spring Educational Conference 2009

Political and Media Fact & Fiction  
State of the Industry  
Water Processing 101  
Bromate Control Options  
Route Management Innovations  
Taste & Odor Characteristics of Bottled Water  
Environmental Topics in the Bottled Water Industry  
Growing your HOD Volume in Tough Times  
Introduction to GFSI and SQF  
The Banking & Credit Crisis  
Environmental Responsibility & Sustainability

### Annual Convention & Trade Show—Fall 2009

How to Prepare for a Plant Audit  
How to Conduct a Mock Product Recall  
How to Equip Your In-House Laboratory  
Bottled Water Industry Regulatory Update  
Finding Hidden Money in Your Business  
Panel Discussion and Forum: Plant Audits and Plant Operator Certification Alternatives  
Forum: Community Relations, Public Perception, and the Political Landscape  
Bottled Water Challenges and Opportunities  
State of the Industry Report  
Banquet Keynote Speaker: Bob Hidell

### Spring Educational Conference 2010

Bottled Water and Tap Water: Just The Facts  
Laboratory vs. On-site Testing: Know the Options  
What's New in POU?  
State of the Industry  
10 Most Frequent Nonconformances and How To Correct Them  
Bottled Water Technical and Regulatory Challenges and Opportunities in 2010 and Beyond  
Two Plant Tours:  
Schaefer Water Center  
Crown Valley Winery

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Trends and Applications in UV Technologies  
Insurance Challenges of the Upcoming Decade  
The Economy and Bank Lending  
Bottled Water Challenges and Opportunities in 2010 and Beyond  
The Regulatory Landscape: A Laboratory Perspective  
Forum: BPA-What's New & What's Next?  
BPA Legislation in Illinois-A Step By Step Analysis....Is Your State Next  
Surviving an FDA Audit-A Bottler's Experience  
State of the Industry Report  
Keynote Speakers:  
Dr. Steven Tilley-Speaker of the Missouri House (Banquet)  
Kevin Demoff-CEO, St. Louis Rams (Luncheon)

# CENTRAL STATES BOTTLED WATER ASSOCIATION

## Bottler Members

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Arkansas  | Culligan of NW Arkansas (Lowell)  |
| Iowa      | Vetter's, Inc.(Davenport)   |
| Illinois  | Absopure (O'Fallon)<br>Aqua Solutions LLC (Ottawa)<br>DS Waters of America (Chicago)<br>Premium Waters, Inc. (Quincy)<br>Puritan Springs (Lincoln)<br>Rainbow Pure (Carterville)<br>Water & Accessories Outlet (Joliet)   |
| Kansas    | Culligan of Greater Kansas City<br>Hall's Culligan(Wichita)<br>Premium Waters, Inc. (Kansas City)   |
| Michigan  | Absopure (Plymouth)<br>Norway Springs, Inc. (Iron Mountain)   |
| Missouri  | Amcon/Genco (Springfield)<br>Blue Water Distributing (Sikeston)<br>Culligan of Columbia<br>Culligan of Hannibal<br>Culligan of St. Louis<br>Clearbrook (St. Louis)<br>Fauth Appliance (DeSoto)<br>Pure Water Delivery (Liberty)<br>Puritan Springs (Earth City)<br>Schaefer Water Centers (Perryville)<br>Unlimited Water Processing (St. Louis)<br>Waters of America (Hazelwood) |
| Ohio      | Aqua Falls (Fairborn)<br>Magnetic Springs (Columbus)<br>Maumee Valley Bottlers (Napoleon)   |
| Oklahoma  | Natural Waters, Inc. (Norman)   |
| Texas     | DS Waters (Grand Prairie)   |
| Wisconsin | Century Springs (Genesee Depot)<br>Culligan of Wisconsin (Burlington)<br>Premium Waters, Inc. (Chippewa Falls)  |

## Supplier Members

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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Allied Purchasing      | MTN Products              |
| Ample Industries       | National Testing Labs     |
| Atlantium UV Tech      | Nevada Computer           |
| Bell Sales             | NSF International         |
| Blackhawk Molding      | PDC Laboratories          |
| Consolidated Container | Pine Grove Springs        |
| Crompton Sales         | PolyCycle Solutions       |
| Eastman Chemical       | Polymer Solutions Intl    |
| Edge Analytical        | Portola Packaging         |
| Enviro Pure            | Prism Visual Software     |
| GBC Systems            | Sterling Containers       |
| IGO Direct USA         | SVF Water LLC             |
| Illini Bank            | Veriplas Containers       |
| IBWA                   | Water Quality Association |
| LCPF Mgmt Group        | Whitaker-LaChance Ins.    |
| Midbrook               |                           |

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Central States Bottled Water Association



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Your Issues !!!*

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# Highlights of the CSBWA's First Two Years



## Officers

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Pat McVay, Amcon/GENCO Bottlers

Mike Schaefer, Schaefer Water Centers

Steve Tischler, NTL Labs

Todd Toerpe, Water & Accessories Outlet

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## A Brief History of the CSBWA

Sometime during the summer of 2008, a Midwestern bottler and one of his suppliers were working on his bottling line. The bottler mentioned that our part of the country was the only one without a regional organization for bottlers, and how he could send more of his employees for education if there were a regional. That moment was the birth of the CSBWA. The supplier contacted bottlers throughout the region, and that fall, at the IBWA Convention, four bottlers, Absopure, Hall's Culligan, Maumee Valley Bottlers, and Schaefer Water Centers met and began forming the CSBWA. The following spring, 45 people came to the first CSBWA Spring Educational Conference in St. Louis. That fall, 65 attended the First Annual Convention and Tabletop Trade Show. Now entering their third year of existence, the CSBWA is bringing to the central region of the USA, the issues and educational forums vital to the continued growth and vitality of the Bottled Water Industry.

## Join Us Today !!!

Don't let another day go by without enjoying the benefits of a CSBWA membership ! Fill out and send in the enclosed membership application, or download it from our web site, [www.csbwa.net](http://www.csbwa.net).