

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONALS ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER



What's Happening:

Save the date! Please join us for a progressive dinner with SWEP and RMAEP members. The progressive dinner will be Thursday November 15th from 6-8 p.m. at Old Spaghetti Factory 9145 Sheridan Boulevard, Westminster, CO 80031. More details will be provided in an upcoming announcement.

2018 Rocky Mountain SWEP Leadership:

Chair: Jean Zodrow, Ph.D., Arcadis U.S., Inc. 303-250-3673, Jean.Zodrow@arcadis.com

Treasurer: Elly Miller, Pinyon Environmental, Inc. miller@pinyon-env.com

Steering Committee Members:

Tami McMullen	Anne Lang
Sara Woolsey	Mickele Bragg
Selina Koler	Vicki Kraus
Heather Young	Courtney Peterson

Quarterly Book Discussion

Our next quarterly book discussion will be a discussion on *Bringing out the Best in People: How to Apply the Astonishing Power of Positive Reinforcement* by Aubrey C. Daniels. We will be providing more information on the date and location in the near future.

Membership Benefits

- ◆ Supporting SWEP goal of providing educational scholarships to students in environmental programs
- ◆ \$5 off each event
- ◆ 3-4 educational luncheons per year
- ◆ 1-2 networking mixers per year
- ◆ Access to a member website for announcements and employment opportunities

Note that membership is from Jan 1– Dec 31

Membership forms available at www.swepcolo.org

Enviro News:

EPA has awarded wetlands grants to two programs in Colorado to survey, assess, map and provide technological tools such as smart phone applications. Wetlands Program Development Grants assist state, tribal, local government agencies, and interstate/intertribal entities in building programs that protect, manage, and restore wetlands and aquatic resources.

For more program information visit: <https://www.epa.gov/wetlands/wetland-program-development-grants>

Book Recommendation:

Thanks for the Feedback: The Science and Art of Receiving Feedback Well

Douglas Stone and Sheila Heen

"In *Thanks for the Feedback*, they explain why receiving feedback is so crucial yet so challenging, offering a simple framework and powerful tools to help us take on life's blizzard of offhand comments, annual evaluations, and unsolicited input with curiosity and grace." —amazon.com

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