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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

Erie Water Works Celebrates Drinking Water Week May 5-11, 2024

The Erie Water Works is proud to join communities across North America in celebrating Drinking Water Week May 5-11, 2024. Drinking Water Week highlights the importance of safe drinking water and recognizes the tireless efforts of the water professionals who keep it flowing around the clock in the Erie region.

Drinking Water Week highlights include reusable water bottle giveaways and fun educational content for our youth all week at the John J. McCormick Administration Building, 340 West Bayfront Parkway.

Two tour options are available to learn about the history of the Erie Water Works and the water treatment process; Tuesday, May 7, 2024 at the Chestnut Pump Station and Thursday, May 9, 2024 at the Richard S. Wasielewski Water Treatment Plant. Pre-register by visiting eriewater.org

Friday, May 10, 2024 Erie Water Works CEO Craig Palmer will be speaking at the Jefferson Educational Society at 12:00 p.m. on the historic lead removal efforts. Pre-register by visiting jeserie.org

On Saturday, May 11, 2024 there will be a “water walk” starting in Perry Square at 11:00 a.m. in coordination with Groundwork Erie and the Erie Downtown Partnership where teams will clean up litter along Peach, Sassafras, French and Holland streets. That effort will end at Dobbins Landing with a Celebration of Water from 12-2. There will be games, ice cream, music, and some local vendors.

Safe, reliable drinking water is critical in many ways, including public health, economic prosperity and our high quality of life. The Erie Water Works is proud to be your regional water supplier, providing World-Class Water, First-Class Service.



A CELEBRATION OF WATER

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024

11:00 a.m.

Volunteers meet in Perry Square for a “water walk” and litter clean-up along Peach, Sassafras, French and Holland streets.

Clean-up supplies provided.

12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Walk ends at Dobbin’s Landing Bicentennial Tower with a Celebration recognizing Drinking Water Week

Music, Local Vendors, and Educational Games!

Fun for the whole family!



RSVP for the “water walk” at Groundworkerie.com
Join us to help protect our drinking water source!