# AN OVERVIEW: GWREF

2023 GWPC Annual Forum

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### **ABOUT THE FOUNDATION**

#### **Mission Statement**

"To promote and conduct research, education, and outreach, in the areas of development and application of technical systems, pollution prevention efforts related to ground water protection, underground injection technology, and watershed conservation and protection."



### **ABOUT THE FOUNDATION**

#### **Our Values**

1

Support the Ground Water Protection Council in the fulfillment of its mission to improve the protection, conservation, and sustainable use of groundwater.

2

Continue to strive to identify and facilitate research in protecting and conserving groundwater resources.

3

Evaluate, implement, and develop education and outreach safeguards designed to increase the level of understanding of groundwater resources.

4

Build partnerships with stakeholders to participate and provide water resources initiatives to share best practices in water management and support the protection of groundwater.

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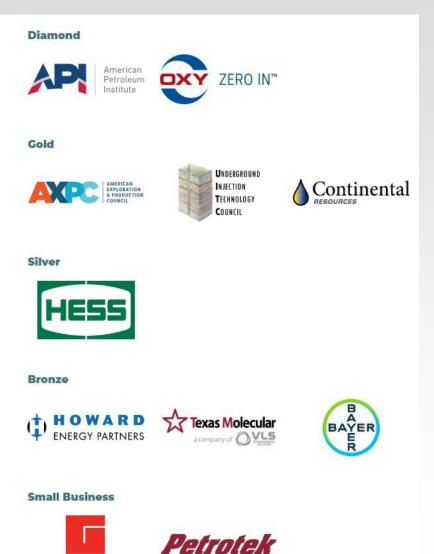
Participate in a variety of external organizations and other forums to share and promote best practices in the groundwater spaces we operate.



### **CORPORATE SUPPORT**

### **Current Supporters**

Our corporate supporters continue to play a large role in the success of the GWREF efforts. We are grateful for the commitment they have made to the future of providing groundwater research, education, and outreach tools.







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### **CURRENT/RECENT PROJECTS**

- Class VI UIC & Underground Storage Library
- Underground Sources of Drinking Water Identification and Protection from Endangerment White Paper
- GWPC State Event Scholarships
- Oil & Gas Regulatory Report Educational Efforts
- ASR-MAR Library



## HOW STATE'S CAN BENEFIT

- Added the gravy to my years for personal and professional growth
- Provide a sense of working toward a higher service
- Interaction with national peer group
- Retention of critical people
- Provide a forum to access additional stakeholders
- Provide a mechanism for input to federal projects



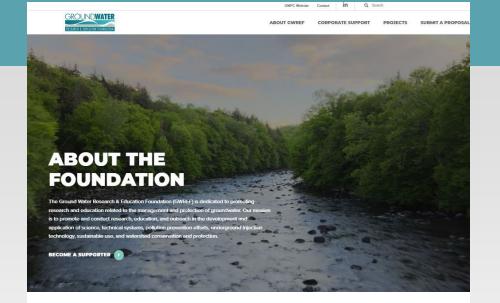
## WHY YOUR COMPANY SHOULD SUPPORT GWREF

- An investment in education is an investment in your bottom line
- Help to create training opportunities for the new generation of water professionals
- Help provide access to needed resources can aid in streamline the permitting process
- Provide a forum to access all stakeholders



### **NEW WEB SITE**

www.gwref.net



#### **Corporate Support**

Because of the generous support of companies and organizations across the country, the GWREF is able to fund research and educational opportunities benefitting local communities, state and federal government, the private sector, and the public.

Corporate support helps the Foundation fulfill its vision to help ensure the supply of clean and safe groundwater through the promotion of proper resource management and protection based on sound science.



#### **OUR PROJECTS**

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#### Class VI / Carbon Capture & Underground Storage Library

Coming soon! GWREF will fund an online library and archive of important publications and documents related...

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#### GWPC State Agency Event Scholarships

GWREF state agency scholarships have been extremely successful at making attendance at GWPC educational events possible...

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#### **ASR-MAR Library**

Funded through the Foundation, the GWPC Aquifer Storage & Recovery / Managed Aquifer Recharge Workgroup developed...



