

Connecticut Section AWWA Water For People 2017 Annual Report

The past year was another successful year for the Water for People Committee thanks to the strong support of the Connecticut Section AWWA members and associates.

Fundraising efforts were once again led by the Connecticut Section AWWA Water For People Fall Golf Classic held at Tunxis Plantation in Farmington. The 22nd Annual Classic drew over 180 golfers, all of whom were treated to a beautiful day of golf and activities. The event raised over \$13,000 for Water For People. The event was largely successful due in part to the over 50 different generous corporate sponsors who help make the event possible and the volunteers who make the day run so smoothly.

Other fundraisers held over the past year included a raffle to benefit Water For People at the Annual Conference and our annual 50 / 50 raffle at ATCAVE. Through these fundraising efforts, the Water For People Committee was able to contribute \$15,000 to Water for People.

Sadly, founding and longtime Connecticut Section AWWA Water For People Committee member Paul Carver passed away in April. Paul was renowned within the Connecticut water and wastewater industry for his relentless fundraising in support of Water For People. The Committee unanimously decided to make a donation to Water For People in memory of Paul.

The Committee is continually looking to recruit new members to assist with our fundraising efforts and lead the Committee forward. Alex Cosentino remains Committee Chair, and is actively seeking a Vice Chair who can transition into the Chair role.

The 23rd Annual Golf Classic is scheduled for September 12, 2017 at Tunxis Plantation. We look forward to seeing you there!