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Dyer Public Works Wins TAUD Region 8 Best Tasting Water Competition

TRENTON – The Tennessee Association of Utility Districts (TAUD) held the Region Eight “Best Tasting Water Contest” at G & C Supply on Thursday, April 12th. Dyer Public Works (DPW) was awarded Best Tasting Water in the region.

TAUD Region Eight consists of Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Obion, and Weakley counties.

The City of Alamo, Bradford Utilities, the City of Camden, Cedar Grove Utility District, County Wide Utility District, the City of Dyersburg, Kenton Utilities, Northwest Dyersburg Utility District, the Town of Rutherford, Trenton Light and Water and Union City Water & Wastewater also participated in the contest where each utility’s water sample was judged on the quality of taste, clarity and bouquet.

Andy LeJeune of BAR Environmental, Shannon Butler of G&C Supply Company, and Jim Tracy of USDA Rural Development served as judges for the contest.

TAUD will conduct the Best Tasting Water in Tennessee Contest in each of the Association’s eleven regions in upcoming months. The winner of each regional competition will compete at TAUD’s 2018 Business Utility Conference at the Gatlinburg Convention Center on Thursday, August 9th. The statewide winner represents Tennessee in the Great American Taste Test at the National Rurally Water Association Rally in Washington DC in February of 2019.

The Tennessee Association of Utility Districts is Tennessee's first source of training, technical assistance, and advocacy for over 400 water, wastewater, and natural gas utility members. For more information please visit our website at www.taud.org or follow us on facebook (Tennessee Association of Utility Districts).



Pictured left to right: Tyler Landrum (DPW), Andy LeJeune, Willie Caton (DPW), Jim Tracy, Randy Gregory (DPW), Shannon Butler, and Steven Tucker (DPW)