

2025 enHance Annual Workshop and Awards Luncheon

“Innovate to Eliminate: Sustainable Solutions for Pollution Prevention”

Monday, August 11, 2025

The Sheraton Flowood – The Refuge Hotel and Conference Center

2200 Refuge Blvd, Flowood, Mississippi

Agenda	
8:00-8:30 am	Registration
8:30-8:45 am	Welcome and Introductions Trent Jones – Chief, Waste Division, MDEQ Brent Bailey – Vice President, EPL Advisors
8:45-9:30 am	“TVA EnergyRight: Creating Positive Change through Energy-Savings” David Sparks – Mississippi Senior Sales Consultant, TVA David Blount – Business Developer, TVA Peter Papas – EHS Manager, Yokohama Tire
9:30-10:00 am	“MS Army National Guard’s AVCRAD Pharmacy and Waste Minimization System” COL Andrew Ratcliff – MS AVCRAD Facility Commander Willie Beverly – Environmental Specialist, AVCRAD
10:00-10:15 am	Networking Break
10:15-10:45 am	Industry Technical Resources Around the State John Davis – Program Manager, MSU Industrial Training and Assessment Center Monica Tisack – Director, Mississippi Polymer Institute Sandy Crist – Executive Director, MMA-Manufacturing Extension Partnership
10:45-11:15 am	“The Role of Efficiency, Capacity, and Sustainability in MS” Joe Hagerman – Director, MDA-ENRD
11:15 am – 12:00 pm	MDEQ Regulatory Update Adrien Perkins – Surface Water Division Overview and Updates Jaricus Whitlock – Air Quality Regulations and Program Issues and Updates Thomas L. Wallace – Assessment and Remediation Updates
12:00 – 12:40 pm	Lunch
12:40 – 1:15 pm	“Sustainability and Innovation in the Southeast” Dr. Mark Johnson – Clemson University
1:15-2:00 pm	Awards Presentation for 2025 enHance Members Chris Wells – Executive Director, MDEQ

