



Owner Operator Session
Tuesday, February 9, 2010
12:00p - 2:00p
(lunch included)

Come and join Jon Bickford, Chairperson for the Owner/Operators group with *Cooling Technology Institute (CTI) at the CTI Annual Conference in Houston Texas*. This group is made up of people that are responsible for cooling towers at their facilities. It is a chance to talk to others about issues they have with their cooling towers and gain important information on cooling towers and a chance to meet suppliers and manufactures of cooling towers, which will come in handy when you have problems with your cooling towers.

There are a couple days of presentation given by experts on tower operations, environmental policies, water treatment and structural information. There are break out sessions where you can join in on group conversations for re-writing CTI standards and procedures. As a member of CTI you can also become a committee member on these groups and help in the re-writing of the new procedures and standards.

This year we are going to have two presentations during the Owner/Operators Session. With the change over to fiberglass cooling towers and the repairs to cooling towers with the use of fiberglass it is important that you do it right. Dennis Moran an expert in this field will talk to you about the proper way of making connections between wood and fiberglass and how to make the connections.

With environmental issues changing all the time you need to know how to monitor your water and how to treat it. We will have a company come in and show you the latest technologies on water treatment and the instruments used to monitor your water quality.

Lunch will be provided and during our lunch time we will talk together about issues that you may be having with your cooling towers as well as sharing information about problems you have had in the past and what you have done to correct the problem.

You will be able to talk freely with other Owner Operators like yourself during these 2 hours and discuss cooling tower projects and learn what type of material others prefer to use as well as whom to use to get the job done. You become part of a group that you can reach out to for help.

I hope to see you there and if you have an issue you would like to have discussed during the session that would involve pre-meeting research please e-mail me or call me and I will get the information ready for the meeting. (jonbickford@alliantenergy.com) 641-935-2915 or 641-777-0010.

Wood to Fiberglass Connection on Cooling Towers
&
Monitoring Equipment For Cooling Tower Water Quality

