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MDC'S RAY BARAL RECEIVES MERIT AWARD FROM CT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

MDC employee honored for education efforts in the drinking water industry

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(HARTFORD, CT) Ray Baral, Assistant Manager of Water Treatment at The Metropolitan District (MDC), was presented with the Connecticut Department of Public Health (DPH) Drinking Water Section's 2015 Educational Public Health Drinking Water Merit Award. The award is given by the DPH as part of National Drinking Water Week to recognize an educator who has made outstanding contributions to educating personnel on drinking water issues. Baral was presented the award at an event held by the Connecticut Water Works Association at the State Capitol Building on April 28.

Baral was honored by the DPH for his outstanding work over the years in educating the water industry workforce at instructional training events for organizations for such as the DPH, the Connecticut Section of American Water Works Association, the New England Water Works Association and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

"The MDC is proud to have a dedicated professional like Ray Baral participate as a leader within water organizations to help improve water quality throughout Connecticut. On behalf of the MDC, I would like to congratulate Ray on not only the amazing job he does for the District but for the entire water industry," stated MDC CEO Scott Jellison.

About the MDC: *The MDC is a nonprofit municipal corporation chartered by the Connecticut General Assembly in 1929. The MDC provides water, sewer and household hazardous waste collection services to its member municipalities: Bloomfield, East Hartford, Hartford, Newington, Rocky Hill, West Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor. In addition, under a series of special agreements, the District supplies treated water to portions of Glastonbury, South Windsor, Farmington, East Granby and Portland.*

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