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Rainwater Webinar Educates Industry on Canadian Code Changes

REGINA, Saskatchewan - The Canadian Association for Rainwater Management (CanARM) launches an innovative webinar training series following the recent release of the *B805/ICC 805 Rainwater Harvesting Systems Standard*, a much-anticipated collaboration between the Canadian Standards Association (CSA Group) and the International Code Council (ICC).

Throughout the nation, citizens celebrate Canada Water Week in the lead up to World Water Day on Friday, professionals within the wastewater, stormwater management and rainwater harvesting industry are reading up on recent guidelines standardizing rainwater harvesting systems. CanARM's **Rainwater Harvesting Certification Training** provides an accessible format to update the thousands of workers impacted by these changes.

CanARM's **Rainwater Harvesting Certification Training** webinars are designed and taught by Ken Nentwig, who participated in the CSA/ICC committee to develop the *B805/ICC 805 Rainwater Harvesting Systems Standard*. Ken is located in Victoria, British Columbia, and has spoken to over two thousand professional and trade members in various associations across the country. Learn more about the **Rainwater Harvesting Certification Training** webinar on the CanARM website and [register online here](#).

"This is an extremely exciting time for our industry," said CanARM President Benjamin Morrison. "Canadian companies and researchers have long been at the forefront of rainwater innovation and it is beginning to become a mainstream topic in the public sphere. Rainwater harvesting presents a life-changing opportunity to Indigenous, rural, and remote communities in Canada."

"CanARM is ready to lead the shift to the inclusion of rainwater harvesting and responsible stormwater and wastewater management in communities all over the country," said CanARM President Benjamin Morrison. "The first step is to educate our industry on the new standards so professionals can help to safely implement rainwater harvesting systems in our neighbourhood."

The CSA Group announced the intent to develop a national standard for rainwater harvesting in April 2013. For more information on the *B805/ICC 805 Rainwater Harvesting Systems Standard*, read the ICC and CSA Group [press release here](#). The *B805/ICC 805 Rainwater Harvesting Systems Standard* will be referenced in the 2020 National Building Code.

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About the Canadian Association for Rainwater Management

Canadian Association for Rainwater Management (CanARM) is a national nonprofit organization promoting awareness, education and research on best practices for rainwater management including the safe collection, storage, and use of rainwater across Canada. CanARM was established in 2012.

