

2024 - 2025 Community Leadership Council Roster

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2nd Vice Chair					
Past Chair	Jeffrey Sober	jsober@garverusa.com	11/1/2026	Garver	Garver
Plant Operations & Maintenance Community					
Chair	Kenneth Schnaars	kschnaars@brwnccald.com	11/1/2026	TN	

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	Awards & Recognitions Community				
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	Community of Practice (CoP) - Resilience				
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	Intelligent Water Technology Community				
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	Small Systems Community				
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	<i>Chair</i>	Christine Volkay-Hilditch	chiditch@cityoflancasterpa.gov	11/1/2025	Pennsylvania WEA
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