

Saying Goodbye



Saying goodbye is never easy to do, but after more than two years reporting and writing on the water quality industry, I have to say goodbye to our readers.

Over the years, I have truly enjoyed meeting so many of you and learning about the industry, and I have tried my best to keep you informed on the latest technologies, regulatory updates and trends that will affect your business.

I am happy to pass on the torch to Rebecca Wilhelm, who will be taking over as managing editor of *Water Quality Products*. Rebecca has worked for the past two years as the associate editor of *WQP*—you have probably seen her name in the magazine or even met her at various industry events. I am confident she will continue to engage you by providing top-quality editorial content. Please join me in welcoming Rebecca to her new position.

Thank you for helping me feel a part of the water industry—it has been a pleasure!

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Saying Hello



After almost two years as associate editor for the *Water Quality Products* team, I am honored to step in as the new managing editor of *WQP*.

I can't imagine a more exciting time to be involved in the water treatment industry. Recent months have dealt the industry a tough economic hand, but water professionals have demonstrated their resilience and creativity, using innovation and hard work to not only stay afloat, but also thrive. As the economy shows signs of life once again, this hard work makes the industry better positioned to take advantage of new opportunities.

Moving forward, I plan to help you keep tabs on important emerging issues for our industry, including legislation targeting water softeners and the ever-advancing goal of water efficiency as manufacturers and dealers

face tightening environmental regulations.

Along with the rest of the *WQP* team, I will strive to provide high-quality editorial content that helps you do your job better—and, ultimately, advances our industry—whether through articles with sales tips and technology updates, interviews with industry experts, up-to-date news on www.wqpmag.com or e-Newsletters highlighting innovative products and successful water professionals.

Your feedback is invaluable and helps us put a finger on the pulse of the industry, so I wholeheartedly encourage you to write, e-mail or call me to voice your concerns, share any relevant news and let me know what you would like to see on the pages of *WQP* in the future.

I look forward to meeting as many of you as possible at upcoming industry events.

Rebecca Wilhelm

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coming up next month

The December Reference Guide issue of *Water Quality Products* will feature the 2009 State of the Industry Report as well as various articles on sectors of the water treatment industry, the 2009 top reader-choice products and a 2010 product preview. Be sure to visit our website at www.wqpmag.com for daily industry news updates.

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