Are you new to the solid waste industry and would like the opportunity to learn more about the practices and concepts that shape the world you work in? If so, you can submit a short essay for a chance to receive a sponsorship from the ISOWSO chapter to travel to and attend WASTECON from December 7-10, 2020 in Dallas, Texas.

**Application Requirements:** (Check off that each item is enclosed to ensure a complete application.)

- Are interested in receiving a FREE 1-year membership to SWANA and ISOSWO.
- Able to attend WASTECON in Dallas, TX from December 7-10, 2020.
- Have worked in the solid waste industry for 5-years or less or are under the age of 35.
- Letter of recommendation from solid waste agency board member or supervisor whom is an ISOSWO member in good standing.
- Essay – 1,000 words or less – describing your commitment to ISOSWO and your dedication to the solid waste industry in Iowa. Please focus on what benefit ISOSWO will receive by sponsoring your attendance to WASTECON.
- Completed application form and signed release statement.
- Electronic submittals are encouraged if possible. If electronic submittal is not possible, submit at least one original and one copy of application form and submittal materials.
- Agree to represent Iowa in the opening ceremony as the flag-bearer.
- Agree to present to the ISOSWO board a summary of your experience following attendance of WASTECON.
- Agree to prepare a write up for ISOSWO’s e-newsletter summarizing the benefit you received from attendance and why other members should attend future WASTECON events. Write up should include photos from your experience at the event.

**Application Information:**

Name: __________________________________________________________________________

Solid Waste Agency/ Company: _____________________________________________________

E-mail: ______________________________ ______

Annual Facility Tonnage for Previous Fiscal Year (FY 2019 – If Applicable): ________________
Phone: _______________________________

Are you a member of ISOSWO (not required)?
Yes___   No___

If yes, how long have you been a member?
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Have you worked in the solid waste industry for 5 years or less or are under the age of 35?:
Yes___   No___

Have you attended **WASTECON** before? Yes___   No___

If yes, which years did you attend? ________________________________

How many members of your solid waste agency or company are attending **WASTECON** in 2020? ____________

**Release Statement:** I certify that the information provided in this application is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. ISOSWO reserves the right to publish the enclosed information. Applications become the property of ISOSWO. My signature gives ISOSWO the right to reprint any portion of this submittal.

Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: ______________________