

Stephen Jones

Steve Jones is the Extension Civil Engineer with the Department of Civil, Construction, and Environmental Engineering at Iowa State University.

Mr. Jones began at Iowa State in 1975 with the CCEE department as an Extension Specialist with primary responsibilities in training water supply and wastewater treatment facility operators.

Steve received BS and MS (Civil & Environmental Engineering) from Iowa State University and is a Licensed Professional Engineer (P.E.) in Iowa. He has over 30 years experience in drinking water and wastewater treatment plant design and operations, including 6-years with the City of Ames as a chemist for the Ames water and water pollution control department.

His job responsibilities include the coordination and teaching of continuing education programs for professionals in the civil engineering and environmental engineering technology disciplines. He provides extension and outreach services to communities, business, and industry in the state through technical assistance and technology training. He also conducts applied research in drinking water, water distribution, wastewater treatment, and stormwater utility infrastructure issues. His projects have included development of statewide design and specifications for stormwater quality management, a project through CIRAS at ISU on the Iowa Industries of the Future water and wastewater initiative.

Steve was born and raised in Council Bluffs, Iowa and came to the Ames area in 1966 to attend Iowa State University. He and his wife Kathy (ISU Registrar) live in rural Store County just north of Huxley.

He is an active member of:

- American Water Works Association
- Water Environment Federation
- American Society of Civil Engineers
- National Society of Professional Engineers

He also retired from the Iowa Army National Guard in 2001 at the rank of Colonel after a 30-year career as an Infantry officer.

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