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## Cuba City Utilities director of public works receives national award

Nashville, Tennessee, June 14, 2022 — George Morrissey, director of public works for Cuba City Utilities in Cuba City, Wisconsin, received the Larry Hobart Seven Hats Award during the American Public Power Association's National Conference in Nashville, Tennessee. The award recognizes managers of small utilities serving fewer than 2,500 meters. These managers have a very small staff and must assume multiple roles. The seven hats they must wear are: planning and design, administration, public relations, field supervision, accounting, human resources, and community leadership.

George is tasked with the day-to-day operations of the city's electric, water, wastewater, streets, parks, finance, zoning, and human resources departments. He directs system maintenance, additions, and improvements with costs and efficiencies in mind. Additionally, George is involved in public power on the state level—having served on WPPI Energy's Board of Directors for eight years. He actively participates in state association activities, currently serving as president of the Board of Directors for the Municipal Electric Utilities of Wisconsin. George is a strong leader who sets the vision and creates the direction for Cuba City Utilities.

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