



USST Holdings Formally Launches the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation

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SARASOTA, Fla., Oct 3, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) — USST Holdings has officially announced the launch of the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation (wowscholarship.com), a nonprofit entity. The foundation's purpose is to promote opportunities, fundraising, networking, education and public awareness of women in water, wastewater or sanitation or women interested in pursuing careers in these professions.

SediVision LLC, a USST Holdings company, is an engineering firm that delivers innovative wet infrastructure diagnostics to wastewater utilities. More than a year ago, the team at SediVision, which includes 50 percent female employees, began discussing their desire to establish a foundation for supporting and advancing opportunities for women in water and wastewater.

“By March 4, 2024, we had adopted our logo for the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation, and we gave away our first pink hard hats with the WOW Scholarship logo April 2-4 at the Florida Water Resources Conference,” said Caroline Dunkel, Sr. Data Analyst at SediVision. “Everything about the concept of the foundation was embraced enthusiastically by our peers and other water and wastewater industry professionals.”



The SediVision team distributed the highly popular logoed hot pink hard hats on SediVision job sites and at industry events in Florida, Texas, and Alabama throughout the spring and summer of 2024. July 11, 2024, the SediVision team, supporting Women of Water, was part of the Tampa Bay Women of Water Panel and Networking Event.

Denver J. Stutler, PE, President and Founder of SediVision, said, “I’ve been inspired by amazing women, from my mother to my wife to countless other strong, intelligent women with whom I’ve worked. Their impact on my life made establishing this foundation extremely important to help pay it forward and elevate women pursuing

water and wastewater-related careers.”

Although the SediVision team, as part of USST Holdings, conceived the idea of the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation, the goal is to engage participation and support from many other industry leaders.

“After soft launching our idea last spring,” said Stutler, “we’ve seen tremendous support and receptivity by the wastewater industry for the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation. Our objective now is to ramp up awareness so we can provide meaningful assistance to the many incredibly talented women who are part of water and wastewater today and in future years ahead.”

About the Women of Water Scholarship Foundation

The Women of Water Scholarship Foundation (<https://wowscholarship.com/>) is dedicated to supporting the advocacy and advancement of women in the water and wastewater industries. To learn more about the Women of Water Foundation, email service@sedivision.com

About SediVision, LLC:

SediVision LLC (<https://sedivision.com/>) is an engineering firm headquartered in Sarasota, Florida. The company delivers innovative wet infrastructure diagnostics through proprietary imaging, empowering utilities to make confident, data-driven maintenance decisions. The company's services are specifically related to the assessment and mapping of grit and sand accumulation, primarily in wastewater biological nutrient removal tanks. SediVision® technology provides complete visibility of sand and grit debris in full wastewater tanks without draining down or going offline. Data collected over time with SediVision® can lead to a predictive maintenance schedule for wastewater tanks and help facilities make informed operations, maintenance and budgetary decisions. SediVision has equipment and capabilities to scan and assess enclosed tanks and large-diameter pipes for sediment build-up and accumulation, which result in lost hydraulic capacity. SediVision, in conjunction with US Submergent Technologies, publishes [Wastewater Visibility News](#).

About USST Holdings, LLC:

USST Holdings, LLC (<https://usstholdings.com/>) is the parent company of US Submergent Technologies (USST), SediVision, LLC, and The Women of Water Scholarship Foundation.

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