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## Free workshop planned for well owners

**Twin Falls, Idaho.** — Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC) is hosting a free well owner workshop open to all home owners with individual wells and septic systems. The workshop, which is cohosted by South-Central Public Health District and Idaho DEQ, will provide well owners with information about water quality, sampling and treatment, well systems, geology, water supply aquifers and onsite septic system operations and maintenance. Instructors will offer tips on how to trouble shoot common problems with well and septic systems. Workshop attendees are invited to bring water samples for free nitrate testing. The workshop will be hosted by RCAC's Individual Well Program geologist Thi Pham and rural development specialist Karen McBride.

The event will be held on April 6, 2019, from 9 am - 12 pm, at South Central Public Health District, 1020 Washington Street North, Twin Falls.

Workshop registration is limited and slots will be filled on a first come, first served basis. For more information or to register for the workshop, go to <a href="https://www.events.rcac.org/assnfe/ev.asp?MODE=&ID=1617">https://www.events.rcac.org/assnfe/ev.asp?MODE=&ID=1617</a>.

For questions about registration, email Mark Wiseman at registration@rcac.org or call (916) 447-9832 ext.1029. For more information about RCAC, visit http://www.rcac.org.

Founded in 1978, RCAC provides training, technical and financial resources and advocacy so rural communities can achieve their goals and visions. RCAC serves rural communities in 13 western states and western Pacific islands. Services are available to communities with populations of fewer than 50,000, other nonprofit groups, Tribal organizations, farmworkers, colonias and other specific populations. RCAC staff provides direct services in collaboration with local and community partnerships in three program areas: affordable housing, environmental services, and lending. To learn more about RCAC, visit http://www.rcac.org

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