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Andrew Sawyers is the Director of the Office of Wastewater Management at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in Washington, D.C., where he oversees the management of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), the Clean Water Act's mechanism for the permitting of municipal and industrial discharge into surface waters of the U.S. In his role as the Director of Office of Wastewater Management (OWM), he is also responsible for multiple technical and financial assistance tools for the development and maintenance of the country's wastewater infrastructure, including the Clean Water State Revolving Fund.

Previously at EPA, Mr. Sawyers was the Deputy Director of the EPA's Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water. In that capacity, he worked with the Director to manage the implementation of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act. Prior to EPA, he was the Deputy Director for the Maryland Water Quality Financing Administration, managing the State's Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Funds and Maryland's Chesapeake Bay Restoration Fund.

Mr. Sawyers has a PhD from Johns Hopkins University in Geography and Environmental Engineering.