CVEN 5534 Wastewater Treatment
Fall 2010
Assignment 1, Due Tuesday, Aug. 31

Read the three papers handed out in class (also posted on the website: http://ceae.colorado.edu/~silverst/cven5534/). All of them take up, in somewhat different ways, the future of wastewater treatment, policy, and management.


Write a short paper with your evaluation of these papers addressing the questions below and any of your own comments. You may add any additional references you like.

- What are the common themes developed in the papers? (Be specific – cite examples)
- What are the differences between their approaches to the future of wastewater management? How will they impact technology? Policy and regulation?
- What are important societal issues discussed?
- What issues were not mentioned that you think are important as guidance for wastewater management in the future?
- What are your own knowledge gaps that you hope to narrow by what you learn in CVEN 5534?

Format: 5 – 10 pages double-spaced (12 point font, please).