

Erosion and Sediment Control Workshop for Contractors and Developers

Need to brush up on the latest stormwater permits and requirements? By now, you've heard that every construction project that disturbs one acre or more needs an NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) permit. But did you know that local erosion and sediment control ordinances also exist? And here's your chance to hone up on your erosion and sediment control Best Management Practices (BMPs) before the next building season



The Regional Stormwater Protection Team (RSPT) is offering an Erosion and Sediment Control Workshop for Contractors and Developers. The workshop will provide training on erosion and sediment control from Jay Michels (Minnesota Erosion Control Association). Local experts will highlight BMP modifications to control erosion and sediment in our area (under conditions such as steep slopes, shallow bedrock, and clay soils). A panel of local officials from Duluth, Hermantown, Proctor, Superior, and area townships will explain requirements in their jurisdictions and answer your questions. You'll also receive hints and helpful handouts to help you through the stormwater permitting process.

You won't find any workshop that offers this valuable local twist on these issues anywhere else. Seating is limited, so send in your registration today! Call 723-4867 for details.

Workshop Information:

Date: January 14th, 2005
 Time: 7:30am-3:30pm
 Place: Hermantown Public Safety Building
 5111 Maple Grove Road
 Hermantown, MN

Deadline for registration is January 10th

Register before January 3rd and pay only \$20. After January 3rd, the cost is \$25.

*** 4.5 Continuing Education Credits (MN) will be earned for this course ***

*** Lunch and refreshments will be provided ***

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REGISTRATION

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Send this completed form, along with your check, payable to South St. Louis SWCD, to:

**South St. Louis SWCD
 215 North First Avenue East Room 302
 Duluth, MN 55802**

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7:30 am Registration
7:55 am Welcome and Introductions

Stormwater 101: Why do we have rules, what are they, and who do they apply to?

8:00 am **Why Control Erosion at Construction Sites?** Jesse Schomberg,
Minnesota Sea Grant
8:20 am **Stormwater Rules/NPDES Phase II:** Jay Michels, Minnesota Erosion
Control Association

Erosion and Sediment Control - BMPs: Oldies (but Goodies) and New Tricks

9:00 am **Erosion and Sediment control BMPs:** Jay Michels, Minnesota Erosion
Control Association

- BMP Tools in the Toolbox

11:30 am **Lunch Break** (Vendor displays, prizes, Q&A boxes)

Let's Get Local: Special Cases, Local Challenges, Local Regulations, Local Support

12:30 pm **Appendix A:** Jim Dexter, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

- What is it? When does it apply? What does it require?
- Special waters, impaired waters, trout streams, wetlands (Minnesota)

1:00 pm **Local conditions:** Todd Campbell (MnDOT), Jim Dexter (MPCA)

- Modifying BMPs for our area
 - Regional challenges: Clay soils, steep slopes, thin soils, bedrock, etc.

1:30 pm **Local Regulations: Panel discussion/Q&A.** Cindy Hagley, Sea Grant

- Regional erosion & sediment control ordinance overviews
 - City of Duluth: Gary Minck
 - City of Superior: Sean Hancock
 - City of Proctor: John Foschi
 - City of Hermantown: Lynn Lander
 - Midway Township: Jim Aird
 - Fond du Lac Reservation: Rick Gitar

2:30 pm **Local Support for NPDES Permits:** Jim Dexter (MPCA) and John Jerezcek (Wisconsin DNR)

3:00 pm **Test for certification**

3:30 pm **Adjourn**



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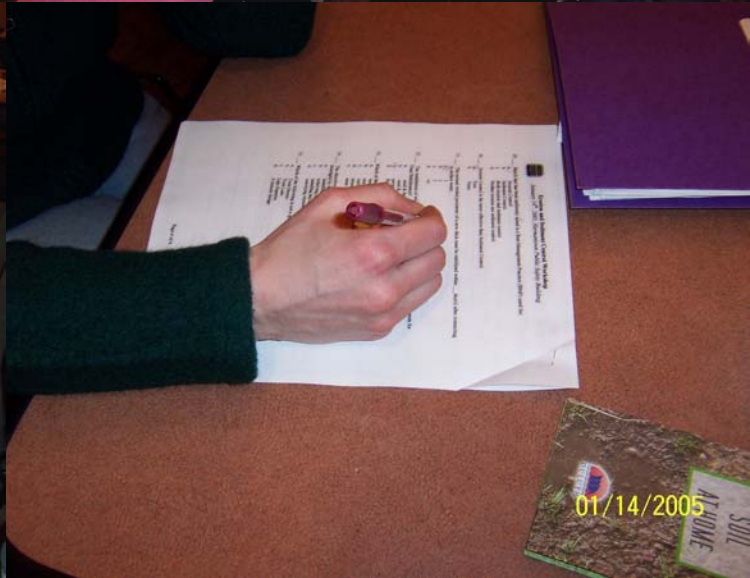
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