

AK-CESCL Eight-Hour Refresher Course

NEW – The Alaska Storm Water Steering Committee (ASWSC) has approved a one-day, eight-hour **Refresher Course** to satisfy the Alaska Certified Erosion Sediment Control Lead (AK-CESCL) renewal requirements. To be eligible to take this training, you must have an active AK-CESCL certification and have taken the two-day (16-hour) class within the last three years. As of February 20, 2018 a new grace period of 90 calendar days from the expiration date has been approved by the ASWSC, in which a certified individual is eligible to renew his or her AK-CESCL certification by taking the refresher course, if their certification expired within this time frame. During the grace period, the individual is considered not AK-CESCL certified for purposes of being a "qualified person" for permit requirements.

Who Should Attend the Refresher Course: This new course is an advanced training designed for participants who are familiar with the Alaska Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (APDES) Construction General Permit. The course curricula emphasize the terminology of the CGP along with principles and practices of erosion and sediment control, best management practices (BMPs), Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) requirements, and inspection protocols needed to stay compliant with the CGP.

This course is a summary of the two-day initial AK-CESCL class. This course thoroughly examines erosion and sediment pollution control concepts and design procedures as they apply to construction projects. The Refresher Course is a training and certification program to comply with the CGP. The Refresher Course will stress risk management, review proper best management practices, and provide guidance.

Testing and Certification Requirements: At the end of the class you will be required to take a 25 question test. This is a closed book, closed neighbor, timed test. You will need to receive a 72% or higher on the test to pass this class. Upon passing the eight-hour refresher course, the applicant will be granted a new AK-CESCL certification. If the applicant does not receive a passing score, the student will be required to retake the two-day (16-hour) class at their own expense.

Reasonable accommodations: To be eligible for a reasonable accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), you must (1) be qualified to perform the essential functions of your position and (2) have a qualifying disability that limits a major life function.

Additional Recommendation: It is encouraged that attendees review the two-day course materials located on the AK-CESCL website. www.ak-cescl.com It is also encouraged to review the 2016 CGP prior to the class. http://dec.alaska.gov/water/wnpspc/stormwater/sw_construction.htm

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