

LEVEL 1-A FUNDAMENTALS (BLUE CARD)

Erosion & Sediment Control Full Certification Class

Instructor - NPDES Training Institute

Monday June 25, 2018

HBA Office

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Class



- The Level 1-A Fundamentals Class is a 1-day course designed to train contractors, builders, developers, site superintendents, grading and utility maintenance, and inspection of BMPs on site.
- Following 8 hours of instruction, you will be given a written exam. You must receive a score of 70% or higher to obtain Level 1-A Certification status. You will be given 1 hour to complete the exam.
- **YOU MUST PRESENT A PICTURE ID WHEN YOU TURN IN THE EXAM.**
- State law requires that at least 1 representative from the Primary Permittee, each Secondary Permittee, and each Tertiary Permittee involved in the land disturbance activity must be trained and certified. Whenever one of these Permittees is conducting a land disturbance activity, a "certified person" representing that Permittee must be present onsite at all times while the land disturbance activity is occurring. Certified Person is defined as someone with a Level 1-A Blue Card.
- After completion of course and passing of exam, your certification will be good for three years.
- Space is limited: Registration only accepted when accompanied by check, cash or credit card.
- Payment due prior to class.
- Make checks payable to HBA of Greater Savannah and mail to 7116 Hodgson Memorial Drive, Savannah, GA 31406
- Call Patty at (912)354-6193 with questions or fax registration form to (912)354-4153

Registration Fee - Members of the HBA \$250.00

Non Members - \$325.00 (Breakfast & Lunch Provided)

ALL REGISTRATION FEES MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE - NO REFUND FOR NO-SHOWS

Licensed Builder **Members** will receive 8 hrs of CE Credits

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Here are some explanations of what Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Permittees are as they relate to the homebuilding industry:

- **Primary Permittee**

The Owner or Operator (contractor) or both, of a tract of land for a construction site. This is usually the Developer. In the case of a subdivision, this person would buy the land, put in the roads, divide the land into lots and then sell them to home builders. The primary is responsible for the entire site including the necessary permitting from the Local Issuing Authority, and NPDES permitting, the erosion control plan, site inspections, water quality monitoring, rainfall measurement, documenting and reporting the work and ensuring compliance with the permit and the erosion control plan.

- **Secondary Permittee**

This would be a builder who bought one or more lots in a subdivision and will build houses on them. Utility companies that do major land disturbance in the subdivision such as putting in water, sewer, electricity, etc. would also typically be considered secondary permittees. Secondary permittees must follow the Primary permittee's plan, and do the same things as the primary in terms of obtaining the necessary LDA and NPDES Permits, inspections, documentations and reporting. Secondary's do not measure rainfall and do not do water quality monitoring.

- **Tertiary Permittee**

A Tertiary Permittee is someone who bought a lot in a subdivision where the Primary and Secondary permittees have all filed Notice of Terminations and construction in the subdivision is completed. If a subdivision was started after July 1, 2000 and either completed or abandoned before construction was completed, any person buying a lot in that subdivision would be considered a Tertiary permittee. The requirements for a Tertiary are similar to those of the Primary permittee with a few exceptions.