

Advanced Stormwater Management Training

Runoff Limits Technical Design Training

Join us for a day of technical training to instruct engineers, city and county plan review staff, and private consultants on the structural and nonstructural best management practices related to those in the Etowah Aquatic Habitat Conservation Plan's Runoff Limits Manual. The information in this manual is reflective of changes occurring nation-wide in on-site design requirements and will help engineers, surveyors, developers and other design professionals meet new stormwater performance standards and provide another design tool to offer. The day will include chapter-by-chapter review of manual standards, detailed descriptions of the nonstructural and structural BMPs covered in the manual, and modeling and calculations for an example site.

Wednesday January 7, 2009

9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Whitfield County Courthouse building is:

205 North Selvidge Street

Dalton GA 30720

\$100 per person

PDH Credits Available

To Register, visit www.etowahriver.org

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Whitfield County & Limestone Valley RC&D

Attendees are recommended to review the Runoff Limits Manual prior to the workshop. A link is on the home page of www.etowahhcp.org.



Workshop Facilitators

Timothy Carter, Ph.D., School of Ecology, University of Georgia

Tim Carter is currently an urban ecologist with the River Basin Center at the University of Georgia working on urbanization impacts to aquatic ecosystems, coastal stormwater policy and endangered species protection as part of the Etowah Aquatic Habitat Conservation Plan. His dissertation evaluated how vegetated roofs may be used for urban ecosystem remediation.

Eric Prowell, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Eric Prowell is on staff with the US Fish and Wildlife Service, reviewing stormwater plans in the Etowah basin, and helping developers incorporate Low Impact Development techniques into their stormwater management designs. He holds a degree in Environmental Studies and Anthropology from Emory University, and a MS from the Hydrology Department of the University of Georgia's Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources.

Diane Minick, Stormwater Landscapes

Diane Minick, an ecosystems biologist is owner of Stormwater Landscapes, a consulting and design company dedicated to solving stormwater problems naturally with rain gardens and other land-centered methods moving stormwater into the ground more naturally on-site. Plants used are drought-tolerant natives in most cases. Diane is also the Watershed Director of the Upper Etowah River Alliance.

Celia Klardie, P.E., City of Canton

Celia Klardie, City Engineer for the City of Canton. She has over 12 years of experience in the civil and environmental engineering industry including a strong background in water resources engineering. She has specific experience in projects related to flood plain encroachment, large mixed use developments, waste water pump stations and conveyance systems, water supply systems, annual reporting for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Phase 2 communities, Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans for NPDES Industrial Facilities, and site development for a wide range of proposed developments.

Katie Owens, The Nature Conservancy

Katie Owens is the Upper Coosa River Program Director for The Nature Conservancy. She is responsible for overseeing research, restoration, and protection efforts throughout the Upper Coosa Watershed, focusing primarily on the Upper Conasauga and Upper Etowah Watersheds. Katie holds a degree in Environmental Biology from Berry College and an MS in Environmental Biology from The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.