

Georgia Erosion & Sedimentation Training Institute

Re-Certification Courses

Frequently Asked Questions

When can I become re-certified?

Individuals can begin taking continuing education courses 1 year before their certification expires. Any course or courses taken prior to the 1 year mark will not be accepted.

What if I allow my certification to expire?

Those individuals that fail to obtain at least 4 hours of continuing education prior to their expiration date will be required to retake the course and pass the exam before certification will be reinstated.

How will I know if the course I'm registered for has been approved by GSWCC?

All approved continuing education courses are required to print the following statement on all advertisements and references:

(Course Title) meets the criteria for a Level _____ continuing education course for the Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Commission and is approved for _____ hour(s) of instruction.

Will there be a re-certification exam?

There will be no exam for re-certification. To become re-certified, individuals must attend a course or courses totaling four hours of continuing education.

What if I have multiple certifications?

Individuals must attend four hours of continuing education for every certification they wish to renew. Example: If an individual is a Certified Inspector and Certified Plan Reviewer they would need at to take 4 hours for Level IB and 4 hours for Level II for a total of 8 hours of continuing education.

When will I receive my new certification card?

Individuals with 4 or more hours will receive a new certification card in the mail approximately two weeks before the initial certification expires