



Workshop Evaluation Summary

64 Attendees
24 - 32 Responses per Question

C.6 Construction Site Stormwater Inspection Training for Municipal Inspectors

Zoom Meeting Wednesday, March 30, 2022
9am – 12pm

What Did You Think of the Following Presentations?

1. **Regulatory Basics and MRP 3.0 Update** –Kristin Kerr, *EOA, Inc.*
23 very helpful 8 somewhat helpful 0 not helpful
2. **Caltrans Erosion and Sediment Controls** – Jack Broadbent, *Supervising Landscape Architect, Caltrans*
27 very helpful 1 somewhat helpful 0 not helpful
3. **Construction Site Best Management Practices** – Peter Schultze-Allen, *EOA, Inc.*
25 very helpful 7 somewhat helpful 0 not helpful
4. **Compost Socks vs. Fiber Rolls: The Smackdown!** – Peter Schultze-Allen, *EOA, Inc.*
23 very helpful 1 somewhat helpful 0 not helpful

Did this workshop meet your expectations?

26 Yes 4 Somewhat 0 No

Are you willing to make a short presentation at future trainings?

12 Don't Call me, I'll Call You 11 I'll think about it 2 Yes

Do you have any general comments on the training?

- Great presentation!
- Very helpful. Thank you.
- Good information especially enjoyed the Caltrans erosion control info.
- Great workshop.
- Very informative and valuable information was provided.

- I thought the training was really good, informative and I appreciated the change up of topics/speakers with inclusion of the Caltrans speaker and latest regarding compost vs. fiber rolls which made the workshop feel current and relevant.
- Great training as always! The compost rolls have been pushed hard to municipal staff in the last few years and I think we've gotten the message. I know I have and no longer use straw. I think the disconnect is in how to get contractors to convert. We cannot dictate BMPs, only their results. Is there a way to push the man hour reduction in installation of compost over straw and let that drive the switch? Love to hear more on converting contractors away from past less-effective methods.
- The training was very informative.
- Good mix of new and review; enjoyed the Caltrans segment and the videos and think poll questions are good for interactions.
- Good training overall.
- It was informative.
- Good work by all. Interesting erosion control discussion.

Do you have any ideas for topics for future trainings?

- Inspection of storm drains, marking inlets with emblems. A program where we can all use the same emblems.
- Provide the workshop itinerary ahead of the presentation so we can add notes during the workshop. I found myself taking notes and not being able to keep up with the slides.
- Practical measures of erosion control applications for land developments of mixed use.
- Maybe a lesser amount on compost socks. I concur they are more effective than wattles and in other uses as well, but the last few trainings have been heavy on the compost and light on others. Possible topics: better BMPs for stabilized construction entrance/exit as rumble strips don't really work well; street-sweeping, the types of sweepers and their effectiveness - some just smear it around and others actually work - why? These are some of the common BMPs encountered that aren't done well/perform well but technically are all the contractor is required to do to address tracking. A tire wash requirement is a last resort. What modifications will make a difference? That discussion I'm sure would be of interest to many.