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Training Funding Available for 2014-2015

Two types of funding: 7-hour program or "minimum 1 hour" program

Reimbursement amount: \$23.00 per hour per attendee Available now, ends June 15, 2015

Eligible attendees:

- Licensed architects, engineers, interior designers, landscape architects, construction contractors, electrical contractors, or building code administrators or inspectors
- Home inspectors, mold remediators
 - Must include license number for all categories above
- Employees in design and construction industries, requires this documentation:
 - Letter from their design/construction licensed employer
 - Copy of certificate of workers' compensation insurance or exemption

Eligible course topics:

- Florida Building Code
- Florida Fire Prevention Code
- Construction plan and permitting requirements
- Construction liens
- Hurricane mitigation

For "minimum 1 hour" program, course requirements:

- At least 50% must be advanced codes

For 7-hour program, course requirements:

- At least three (3) hours codes
- At least two (2) hours advanced codes
- "Training on any topic other than FBC shall not exceed two hours"

For any program, course requirements:

- Mitigation training for home inspectors must include proctored exam
- *Course evaluations required that cover the following:
 - Satisfaction with instructor
 - Satisfaction with course materials
 - Satisfaction with conduct of the training
 - Ask whether "highly satisfied" "satisfied" "not satisfied" for each above

Documentation required (failure to submit is a 5% penalty):

- Submitted within FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS AFTER EACH COURSE
- Advertisement (must be approved in advance)
- Sign in sheets as acceptable for each licensing board
- Separate sign in sheets for licensees and non-licensed employees
- Non-licensed employee sign in sheets must include type of proof submitted
- *Copy of course evaluation for each attendee

*Failure to demonstrate that 75% or more of trainees were satisfied or highly satisfied with the course instructor will result in a 1% penalty for each 5% increment or portion thereof that the percentage of satisfied trainees fall below 75%.

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