

# U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY NPDES PERMIT WRITERS' COURSE



## Training Course Announcement November 15 - 19, 2004

### Course Location

Clarion Hotel  
SEATAC International Airport  
3000 S. 176<sup>th</sup> Street  
Seattle, WA 98188  
(206) 242-0200

A map of the area surrounding The Clarion Hotel is available online at the hotel website:

<http://www.clarionseattle.com>

### Course Description

The objective of this training course is to provide the basic regulatory framework and technical considerations that support the development of wastewater discharge permits as required under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) program. The course is designed for new permit writers, but may serve as a useful refresher for individuals experienced in the NPDES program. In addition, the course may benefit anyone interested in learning about the NPDES program and the process of developing, issuing and complying with NPDES permits. A multi-disciplinary faculty will present the course using a combination of lecture, case examples, and practical exercises, acquainting participants with the tools and resources available to assist them in writing NPDES permits. A description of the course is found at the following Web address:

[http://cfpub.epa.gov/npdes/courses.cfm?program\\_id=0&outreach\\_id=1&o\\_type=1](http://cfpub.epa.gov/npdes/courses.cfm?program_id=0&outreach_id=1&o_type=1)

If you have any questions regarding the course, please contact Betty Peterson at:

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or call (703) 385-6000, x181.

**PLEASE NOTE: You will need a calculator for the practical exercises during the course.**

### Course Schedule

On-site check-in for confirmed registrants will begin on **Monday, November 15, 2004**, at **11:00 a.m.**, with the course beginning at 12:00 p.m. The course will conclude on **Friday, November 19, 2004**, at approximately **1:00 p.m.**

### Hotel Information

The Clarion Hotel is offering a rate of \$104.00/single and double/night plus 12.4% occupancy tax. The cut-off date for this special rate is

**November 1, 2004.** You may make reservations by calling the Clarion Hotel directly at (206) 242-0200.

Attendees must reference the "Washington Department of Ecology - EPA Permit Writers' Course" when making a reservation in order to receive the special group rate.

### Transportation Information

The hotel provides complimentary transportation to and from the airport.

Complimentary parking is available at the hotel.

The hotel is located 12 miles from Seattle and 15 miles from Tacoma. Driving directions are available online at the Clarion Hotel website:

<http://www.clarionseattle.com>