



Conservation – Contagious Enthusiasm!

Conservation Employee Training – Crown Plaza Hotel, Hickory – August 10-13, 2015

MONDAY – 8.10.2015

10 a.m. – 4 p.m. – Registration Opens

1 – 5 p.m. – General Session; NCCDEA Meeting

5:30 p.m. – Gab, Gobble & Games

Hotel Lobby

Hampton/Embassy

Devine Farm

TUESDAY – 8.11.2015

MORNING

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Watering Facilities & Piping

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Stream Crossing Variations & Design (Must attend both Tues & Weds)

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Floodplain Management

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Grant Writing Essentials (Must attend both Tues & Weds)

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – It's Our Water Workshop

8:00 – 12:00 p.m. – Administrative Resource Review

10:00-10:30 a.m. – Break service

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. – Lunch provided at hotel

Crowne Room (a.m.); Field (p.m.)

Hampton Room (a.m.); Field (p.m.)

Parlor Room

Newton Room

South Mountain State Park

Terrell Room

near meeting rooms

Lobby Atrium & Restaurant Area

AFTERNOON

1:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Effective Presentations

3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – SWC Commission Works Session

Terrell Room

Carolina Room

EVENING

5:45 – 6:45 – Welcome Supper

7:00 – 8:30 – NC SWC Commission Business Session

9:00 – Mr. DEA Fund Raiser

Lobby Atrium & Restaurant Area

Terrell Room (Dressing area Conover Board Room)

WEDNESDAY – 8.12.2015

8:00 – 12:00 p.m. – Pollinator Service Learning Field Project

8:00 – 12:00 p.m. – Advanced Project Wild – Raptors Workshop

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Fencing

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Stream Crossing Variations & Design (continuation of Tues. Class)

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Conservation Compliance Plans

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Grant Writing Essentials (continuation of Tues. Class)

8:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Effective Interpersonal Skills (Morning)

Fundamentals of Management (Afternoon)

Note: You do not have to participate in the afternoon session, but you have to attend the morning session to attend the afternoon session.

10:00-10:30 a.m. – Break service

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. – Lunch provided at hotel

1:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Outdoor Learning Environments & Centers

1:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Mobile Soils Classroom

Conover School

Carolina Room

Crowne Room (a.m.); Field (p.m.)

Hampton Room

Parlor Room

Newton Room

Terrell Room

Terrell Room

near meeting rooms

Lobby Atrium & Restaurant Area

Carolina Room

Crowne Room, Parking lot

EVENING

6:30 – 8:00 – Banquet

Ballroom

THURSDAY – 8.13.2015

8:00 – 12:00 – Cost Share Program Updates/Conservation Planning Persuasive Skills

8:00 – 12:00 – Funding district grant projects

8:00 – 12:00 – A watershed of ideas for teaching the watershed theme

Hampton/Embassy Rooms

Crowne Room

Newton Room