
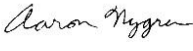




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TO: Certified Chemigators

			
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SUBJECT: Initial and Recertification for Chemigation

Based on NDEQ records, your chemigation certificate expires on December 31, 2016. According to Nebraska law, **if you plan to chemigate during 2017, you will need to attend a training session and pass a written test to become recertified.**

Requirements for initial and recertification are the same. **There is no charge for the training, manuals or certification.** Options are as follows: 1) Attend a meeting and pass a written exam; 2) Complete an online training program and make an appointment to go to an exam testing location at: <http://go.unl.edu/examsites> The online course will take more time, but if interested, users can find information at: <http://water.unl.edu/cropswater/chemigation>

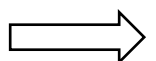
If you plan to become certified, please pre-register at the Extension Office whose training session you plan to attend by phone or using this link: <http://go.unl.edu/chemreg> You will be asked if you want to receive the training manual and calibration workbook to review prior to the training session. You can also find these materials online at the bottom of this website link at: <http://go.unl.edu/chemigation>

On the day of the training session, please bring your Chemigation Training Manual, Calibration Workbook, No. 2 pencil, and calculator (you are NOT allowed to use your cell phone as a calculator) along to use during the training and testing. Cell phones are turned off during testing. If you do not pre-register, as a walk-in you can receive a new copy of the training materials the day of the training. Review of the material prior to the training session will be very helpful when taking the exam. Training and testing will take approximately 3 hours.

You must attend the entire class and pass the 50 question multiple choice test to be certified. Upon successful completion of the class, chemigators may renew individual injection site permits administered by the local NRD office before June 1st.

A list of area training opportunities is on the reverse of this page. An updated list of all training dates and locations can be found at the following website: <https://go.unl.edu/chemtraining2017> If inclement weather forces postponement of a training session, another date will be publicized or you can learn about the new date by calling your local Extension Office. For questions or additional information, don't hesitate to call the Extension Educator contact.

Training Schedule



2017 Area Chemigation Training Opportunities - Certification/Recertification

Date	Time	Location
February 15, 2017	1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Hall County Meeting Room College Park - Grand Island, NE Instructor: Troy Ingram Phone: (308) 754-5422
February 28, 2017	1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Merrick County Fairgrounds Conference Room - Central City, NE Instructor: Steve Melvin Phone: (308) 946-3843
March 1, 2017	1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	York County Fairgrounds 4-H Building - York, NE Instructor: Steve Melvin Phone: (308) 946-3843
March 1, 2017	1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Pinnacle Bank 210 East 23 rd Street - Columbus, NE Instructor: Aaron Nygren Phone: (402) 352-3821
March 6, 2017	1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Bruning Opera House 141 Main Street - Bruning, NE Instructor: Randy Pryor Phone: (402) 821-2151
March 8, 2017	9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	First Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall 204 South School Street - Wilber, NE Instructor: Randy Pryor Phone: (402) 821-2151
March 10, 2017	9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Nemaha NRD District Office Meeting Room 62161 US Highway 136 - Tecumseh, NE Instructor: Randy Pryor Phone: (402) 821-2151
March 16, 2017	1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Adams County Fairgrounds 947 South Baltimore Avenue - Hastings, NE Instructor: Ron Seymour Phone: (402) 461-7209
March 23, 2017	9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Agricultural Research & Development Center 1071 County Road G - Near Mead, NE Instructors: Nathan Mueller/Aaron Nygren Phone: Nathan (402) 727-2775 Aaron (402) 352-3821