2019 Minnesota Stored Grain Pest Management Workshop

Tuesday, September 10, 2019
Best Western Plus Kelly Inn
100 4th Avenue South
St. Cloud, MN
(320) 253-0606

Need To Be Licensed and Certified?
Non-commercial applicators using Restricted Use Pesticides are required by Minnesota Law to be licensed. Attendance at the scheduled Stored Grain Pest Management Workshop fulfills recertification requirements for applicators licensed in categories A (Core) and N (Stored Grain Fumigation & Commercial Applicator) and M (Food Processing Pest Control).

License Renewal
All commercial and noncommercial applicators must renew licenses every two years. Applicators must recertify accordingly, based on licensed categories. Applicators licensed in the A, M and N categories should attend the Stored Grain Pest Management Workshop on September 10. For licensing questions, contact the MN Department of Agriculture testing coordinator line at 651-201-6633.

Attendance Requirement
Workshop participants must be present for the entire program to receive recertification credit. Applicators should bring their license identification card with them to the workshop. Attendance will be monitored. The Minnesota Department of Agriculture reserves the right to deny recertification credit to participants who arrive later than 30 minutes after the start of the program, or who are absent during substantial portions of the program.

Lodging
Reservations can be made directly with the Best Western Plus Kelly Inn at (320) 253-0606. There is a small block of rooms reserved for $99 / night. Please mention this workshop when making your reservations.

Cancellation Policy
The registration fee will be refunded in full if the cancellation notice is received in writing before September 4, 2019.

Americans with Disabilities Act
Disability accommodations will be provided on request. Contact Minnesota Grain and Feed Association at 651-454-8212. The University of Minnesota Extension Service is an equal opportunity educator and employer.
Agenda
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Tuesday, September 10, 2019
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8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

“Overview of Certification & Licensing Requirements”
Erin Smilanich, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, Licensing & Certification

“Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) Considerations and Implications”
David Fairfield, National Grain and Feed Association, Director of Feed Service

“Environmental Considerations for Grain Fumigators”
Curt Lilleodden, Fumigation Service & Supply

BREAK

“Fumigation Product Evolution for the Grain Industry - Eco2Fume / ProFume”
Shawn Wilson, Cardinal Professional Products

“Are You Calculating For Success? Topical Math for Grain Storage & Fumigation”
Jay Bruesch, Plunkett’s Pest Control

LUNCH BREAK

“Use of Aeration to Control Grain Quality”
Kenneth Hellevang, North Dakota State University Engineer

“Pesticide Awareness Mini-Workshop”
Jay Bruesch, Plunkett’s Pest Control

“How Do Pests Find My Facility?”
Stephen Kells, Professor of Entomology, University of Minnesota

“PPE for Fumigators – Respirator Fit Testing”
Natalie Hoidal, University of Minnesota Extension Educator

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Please use a separate form for each registrant. Duplicate registration forms may be made as needed.

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License No. ________________________
Company: __________________________
Business Address: __________________________
City: _________________________________
State: __________________ Zip Code: __________________
Business Phone: ______________________
Business Fax: _________________________
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Registration Fee: $295.00

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Confirmations with directions to the site will be sent a week prior to the event.

NOTE: The Pesticide Applicator License Exams will NOT be given during the conference. You need to pass Category A and N exams before obtaining your license. If you cannot attend and need to recertify for 2019 / 2020, you will need to re-test in these categories. If you need to take the test, go to Pesticide.Testing@state.mn.us or call 651-201-6633.