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GREDF to Co-Sponsor Construction Industry Workshop on Environmental Regulations

Great River Economic Development Foundation, John Wood Community College and Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO), will co-sponsor a construction workshop February 22. The event will take place at JWCC's Workforce Development Center, 422 Koch's Lane in Quincy, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$50 per person and registration begins at 8:30 a.m. Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

The workshop is designed to ensure that construction companies are aware of new standards and regulations. Commercial and residential contractors, demolition contractors, building maintenance providers, home inspectors, local building code officials, property managers, architects and engineers will benefit from the workshop. The course is also eligible for Continuing Education Credits for architects, professional engineers and radon professionals.

Information from the Illinois Emergency Management Agency, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, DCEO and Illinois Department of Public Health and Illinois Department of Natural Resources will be presented on a wide range of topics.

Sessions will cover information on radon, lead-based paint, management of construction wastes, energy efficient programs, asbestos regulations, OSHA consultation and national resource reviews. JWCC is one of only four locations statewide to host the workshop.

For more information, contact the JWCC Workforce Development Center at 217.641.4971 or wdc@jwcc.edu. Directions are available at <http://www.jwcc.edu/about/wdc.asp>.

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