

Connecticut Training & Technical Assistance Center

Training and Events

Electrical Safety and Working with Utilities

A CT Road Master Program *ELECTIVE Workshop*

This workshop is an introduction to potential electrical and utility based hazards associated with roadway maintenance. It will focus on working around downed wires, utility poles and buried utilities.

Special attention will be paid to storm cleanup and emergency situations but routine procedures and protocols will also be discussed.

Please note: These are socially distant sessions. All state and university COVID-19 precautions will be followed.

Who Should Attend

This program is designed for any public works professionals responsible for maintaining roads, responding to storm-related road emergencies and storm clean up. Foremen, Crew Leaders, Directors of Public Works and Highway Superintendents are also encouraged to attend.

Course Instructors

Warren Rogers is a Certified Safety Professional with over 20 years of experience in teaching electrical safety. He was a safety officer for Eversource for 18 years and has been teaching for the T2 Center for more than a decade.

Sean Morris is a Public Utilities Engineer in the Gas Pipeline Safety Unit at the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (CTDEEP). In that position, Sean provides education and outreach on the Call Before You Dig and gas pipeline safety programs.



Dates & Locations

June 28, 2022 Waterbury, CT

June 29, 2022 South Windsor, CT

Session is 8:30am—2:30pm (Registration begins at 8:00am) Lunch will be provided.

Learning Objectives

At the end of this session, participants will be able to:

- Recognize electrical equipment and hazards during storms and blue sky conditions.
- Understand general utility company protocols during storms and what "Dead and Grounded" means.
- Know what to do if an electrical emergency situation occurs.
- Describe Call Before You Dig Procedures and identify different utility markers.
- Discuss hazards associated with natural gas and general pipeline safety procedures.

Registration

- Please visit <u>www.cti.uconn.edu/cti/T2 Workshop Schedule.asp</u> to register for this class online.
- Please email any questions to <u>ctiadmin@uconn.edu</u>.
- Cost: (Includes lunch and course materials)
 - \$100—State and Municipal participants
 - \$200—Private-sector participants
- Cancellation/Refund Policy: The registration fee is refundable if notice of cancellation is received 48 hours prior to the start of the program. Registrants who are unable to attend and do not cancel in advance are subject to the registration fee. Substitutions may be made at any time. Please notify us of changes.
- If you require an accommodation to participate in this workshop, please contact us at ctiadmin@uconn.edu.
- If you have a dietary restriction, please notify us at the time of registration.
- Video/Photographs may be taken for promotional and training purposes. Please notify us during registration if you do not wish to be photographed/filmed.

