

Update on the Sedimentation Education Program

Workshops

The Fall 2008 Erosion and Sedimentation Control Planning and Design Workshops were held October 21-22, 2008 at the Holiday Inn Select in Hickory and November 5-6, 2008 at the Sheraton in New Bern.

Attendance was down, with about 100 people in Hickory and 80 in New Bern. The presentations from Hickory and New Bern are available on-line at:

http://www.ncsu.edu/wrri/events/esc_workshops/fall08/index.html

The 2009 Workshop for Local Programs will take place on January 27 - 28, 2009, at the Mid Pines Inn & Golf Resort in Southern Pines, NC.

The first Spring 2009 Erosion and Sedimentation Control Planning and Design Workshop will be held in Raleigh at the McKimmon Center on Wednesday and Thursday, February 25 and 26, 2009.

The Southeast Chapter of the International Erosion Control Association (IECA) Workshop will be held in May 11-13, 2009 in North Carolina.

Budget

At the August 2008 SCC meeting, \$68,840.00 budgeted for sediment education remained unencumbered. These funds were lost when NC DENR had to reduce its budget by 5 percent this fiscal year.