

## **FREE Winter Deicing Applicator Trainings**

In the winter, we use salts to deice hard surfaces like sidewalks, roads, and driveways. However, it only takes about 1 teaspoon of salt to permanently pollute five gallons of water. Because we have evidence of chloride pollution in several waterways in Scott County, the Scott Watershed Management Organization (SWMO) has partnered with the Board of Water & Soil Resources (BWSR) through the Clean Water Land & Legacy Amendment to offer FREE training events that teach snow and ice best management practices that can save money and save our water. Scott County is hosting a series of free workshops on best management practices for managing snow and ice on parking lots, sidewalks and roadways. An optional test will be offered at the end of the workshop to earn Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) Level I or Level II Certification in Snow & Ice Control Best Practices. Certified individuals are listed on the MPCA website.

### Winter Parking Lots/Sidewalks Training

This class is most appropriate for private maintenance companies, property managers, schools, non-profits, and staff & volunteers who maintain parking lots & sidewalks. At the end of class there is an optional state certification exam through the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA). It provides individual certification for those that choose to take the optional test after the class and pass it. Individuals who take and pass the test would earn the Level 1 Certification in Snow & Ice Control Best Practices. Certified individuals are listed on the MPCA website.

### Winter Roads Training – Level I

This class is most appropriate for City, County, State street and highway crews & private companies hired for township road snow removal. This is a state certification course through the MPCA. It provides individual certification for those that pass the test.

### Level 2 Winter Maintenance Training

This class is focused on winter maintenance leadership. We highly encourage you to take the Level I class before taking this class. It will prepare leaders to get their organization Level 2 MPCA certified.

**Pre-registration is required. Email [mbokman@co.scott.mn.us](mailto:mbokman@co.scott.mn.us) or call 952-496-8887 to register.**

### **Workshop dates & locations:**

#### ***Parking Lots & Sidewalks***

Wednesday, January 16, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Spring Lake Township Hall  
20381 Fairlawn Avenue  
Prior Lake, MN

**IF** we have to cancel Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> due to a snow storm, the backup date for this training is:

Wednesday, January 23, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Scott County Law Enforcement Center  
301 Fuller Street S., Room LEC 240  
Shakopee, MN

***Winter Roads – Level II***

Wednesday, March 20, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Prior Lake City Hall  
4646 Dakota Street SE  
Prior Lake, MN

***Parking Lots & Sidewalks***

Friday, August 23, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Shakopee Community Center  
1255 Fuller Street  
Shakopee, MN

***Winter Roads – Level I***

Thursday, September 26, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Spring Lake Township Hall  
20381 Fairlawn Avenue  
Prior Lake, MN

***Parking Lots & Sidewalks***

Tuesday, October 22, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
SCALE Regional Training Facility  
17706 Valley View Drive  
Jordan, MN

***Winter Roads – Level I***

Monday, November 4, 2019  
8:00am – 1:00pm (check-in 7:30am – 8:00am)  
Shakopee Community Center  
1255 Fuller Street  
Shakopee, MN



Funding for the workshops is provided by the Board of Water & Soil Resources through the Clean Water Land & Legacy Amendment

