

MTAS CLASSROOMS ON VIDEO

Web-Based Video Course Energy Codes Training www.mtas.tennessee.edu

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This three-hour class will familiarize local government officials with the full opportunities of the "Tennessee Clean Energy Future Act of 2009." The class will cover a wide variety of changes that will occur with the implementation of this Act on July 1, 2010. This act makes one- and two-family homes subject to inspection by either the state or local government. It broadens the power of the Department of Commerce and Insurance to inspect homes for compliance with an energy code and gives them the authority to adopt rules and regulations that specify a code. In addition to energy, the act specifies that the International Residential Code shall be applied to one- and two-family homes, which entails other aspects of home construction that must be inspected. The class will discuss methods of complying with the statute and discuss the methods by which local governments may temporarily opt-out of the act for specific periods of time with renewal provisions. This class will cover three major points: the New State-wide Energy Code; one- and two-family dwellings are now covered by Codes; and how cities can enforce these codes and what options a city has in enforcement.

WHO SHOULD VIEW THIS COURSE: City managers, elected officials, fire department officials, building inspectors, planning directors, codes officials, city attorneys and other municipal officials who are responsible for the compliance with International Residence Code and the Tennessee Clean Energy Future Act of 2009.

COURSE COST: There is no cost for this course. This project is funded under an agreement with the state of Tennessee.

SOLUTION POINT

HOW TO ACCESS THE COURSE:
You will need to access the training through Solution Point.

Contact our office at (865) 974-0411 if you need log in and password assistance.

Use keywords: "Energy Codes Training" in Solution Point when searching for the course.

See the attached help guide to assist you in using Solution Point.

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