

June 23rd – 25th, 2009
July 21st & August 25th (One Day Refreshers)

What is Inland Waterways Spill Responder Training?

Wakota CAER annually sponsors Inland Waterways Spill Responder Training, the first training course offered in Minnesota for response to oil spills on water. “Boom School” teaches local responders how to contain and recover petroleum on moving water. This training is valuable for individuals who lack experience using oil spill response equipment.



What does Boom School cover?

Industry and regulatory personnel with experience responding to oil spills on water instruct the course, which includes a combination of classroom and hands-on instruction. Wakota CAER members provide the boats and booming equipment. If they choose, attendees may use their own equipment during the training.

A one-day watercraft operation/safety course will be offered on the day preceding the two-day inland waterways spill responder training sessions in June and July.

One one-day (8-hour) refresher courses will be offered in August

Course Agenda

<u>Day 1</u>	<u>Day 2</u>	<u>Day 3</u>
<i>Boat Handling and Safety</i>		
0800 Intro/Plan for Day	0800 Intro/Plan for Day	0800 Intro/Plan for day
0830 USCG Boat Handling and Safety	0830 Inland Sensitivity Atlas Mapping and Response Strategies	0820 Case Studies
0915 Break	0915 Break	0900 Break
0930 Continue USCG Presentation	0930 Spill Containment Techniques	0915 Strategic Response Issues
1100 Lunch	1100 Radios/Communications	0945 Safety Briefing and Plan for River
1145 Boat Handling	1130 Lunch	1045 River - Functional Table Top Exercise
1230 Safety Briefing and Plan for PM	1215 Safety Brief & Plan for PM	1200 Lunch
1245 River – Hands on Instruction	1230 River – Hands on Instruction	1300 Continue Exercise
1530 Return from River	1530 Return from River	1530 Return from River
1600 Critique and Review	1600 Critique and Review	1600 Wrap up / Evaluation

How do I register for training?

Course fee is \$300 per person for the 3-day and \$100 per person for the 1-day refresher. Obtain registration form online at www.wakotacaer.org, or by contacting the Wakota CAER office @ email: info@wakotacaer.com or phone: 651-458-0645

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