

RECERTIFICATION AND WORKSHOP INFORMATION

- Farmers can attend a 3.5 hour Private Pesticide Applicator Workshop for recertification instead of taking a test. Testing (online or mail-in) remains an option.
- **New applicators** or those whose **certification has lapsed** (not currently certified) **must** take the test to become certified.
- The cost to recertify, either by attending a recertification workshop or testing, is **\$75**. **CHECKS ONLY made payable to the U of MN. NO CASH will be accepted.**
- Pre-registration is not required for recertification-only programs. Registration will be taken at the door.
- **When attending a recertification workshop you must bring an official photo identification card**, such as a driver's license, passport or some type of official document. Bringing your Private Pesticide Applicator Certification ID card or number can also assist in the registration process.
- Persons who do not have their Applicator's Card may obtain their applicator number on-line at the MDA website www.mda.state.mn.us or by contacting MDA via phone at 651-201-6633.
- Attending a recertification workshop renews your certification for 3 years.

The MN Department of Agriculture requires applicators to attend the entire workshop to receive recertification credit. Applicators who arrive more than 15 minutes late or leave early will not be allowed to receive recertification credit.

Workshop Topics Include:

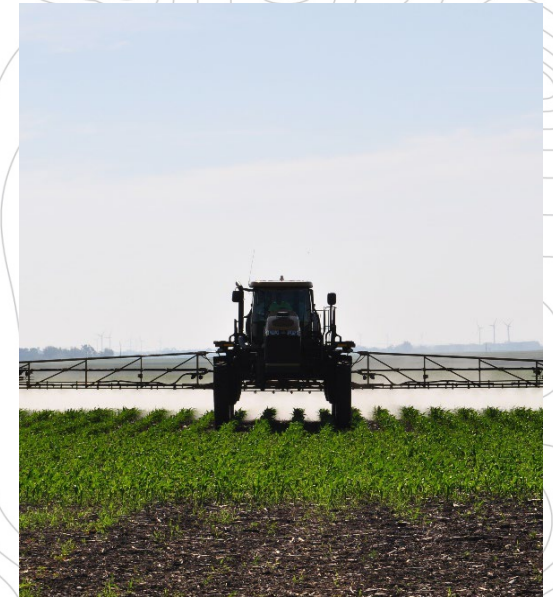
- Pesticide Laws and Regulations
- Transportation, Storage, and Emergencies
- Herbicide Residuals and Cover Crops
- Laundering Pesticide Contaminated Clothing
- Current Crop/Pest Issues & Integrated Pest Management

Nonprofit Org.
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit No. XX
XXXXXXXX MN

 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA | EXTENSION

Regional Office-Worthington
1527 Prairie Drive
Worthington MN 56187

2019 Private Pesticide Applicator Recertification Workshops



For more information about this program, visit the website:
www.extension.umn.edu/pesticides

SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
EXTENSION

You Need to Renew Your Private Pesticide Applicator Certification if You:

Apply pesticides to land or sites you own, rent or lease for the production of agriculture commodities

and

Plan to use Restricted Use Pesticides

and

Reside in the state of Minnesota

and

Your certification expires in 2019

There are Three Recertification Options (to be completed by March 1, 2019):

1. **Attend a Recertification Workshop** instead of retesting
2. **Complete the test as a home study course.** 19th Edition Manuals (\$10 if you need one) and tests are available at most county Extension Offices
3. **Complete the test on-line at www.pat.umn.edu**

For more information, contact:

Farm Information Line
(Also, key contact for weather-related updates!)
800-232-9077

Lizabeth Stahl—Worthington Regional Office
507-372-3900 ext 3912

Melissa Runck—Murray/Pipestone County
507-836-1143

2019 RECERTIFICATION WORKSHOP SCHEDULE SOUTHWESTERN MINNESOTA

Pipestone

January 29 12:30-4:00 pm

MN West Community & Technical College-Room 127
1314 N Hiawatha Ave, Pipestone, MN

Slayton

January 31 12:30-4:00 pm

Murray County 4-H Building - Exhibit Hall
3048 S Broadway Ave, Slayton, MN

Lafayette

February 1 9:00 am-12:30 pm

Lafayette Community Center
540 7th St, Lafayette, MN

Lamberton

February 4 12:30-4:00 pm

Southwest Research & Outreach Center
23669 130th St, Lamberton, MN

Sleepy Eye

February 6 12:30-4:00 pm

Sleepy Eye Event Center
110 12th Avenue NE, Sleepy Eye, MN

Renville

February 7 12:30-4:00 pm

Renville Community Center
221 N Main St, Renville, MN

Montevideo

February 8 12:30-4:00 pm

American Legion
613 Legion Dr, Montevideo, MN

Marshall

February 11 12:30-4:00 pm

Merit Center
1001 W Erie Rd, Marshall, MN

© 2019 Regents of the University of Minnesota. All rights reserved.
University of Minnesota Extension is an equal opportunity educator and employer. To request disability accommodations, please contact 507-372-3900.

Fairmont*

February 14 9 am-2:30 pm

Knights of Columbus
920 E 10th St, Fairmont, MN

***NOTE:** This location combines the “Strategic Farming – Maximizing Return on Investment (ROI)” program & Private Pesticide Applicator recertification. **PRIVATE APPLICATORS MUST ATTEND THE ENTIRE PROGRAM TO RECEIVE RECERTIFICATION.** Free lunch included, sponsored by the MN Soybean Research & Promotion Council. To guarantee a meal, **register by Feb 7 at: <https://z.umn.edu/strategic-farming>**

Jackson

February 15 12:30-4:00 pm

American Legion
411 1st St, Jackson, MN

Albert Lea

February 19 12:30-4:00 pm

Riverland Community College, Lecture Hall 124
2200 Riverland Dr, Albert Lea, MN

Olivia

February 25 12:30-4:00 pm

Renville County Government Building
105 5th St, Olivia, MN

Worthington

February 26 9:00 am-12:30 pm

Worthington Event Center
1447 Prairie Dr, Worthington, MN

North Mankato

February 28 6:00-9:30 pm

South Central College-Conference Center
1920 Lee Blvd, North Mankato, MN

For a complete listing of locations throughout MN, or in case of inclement weather, visit the website: www.extension.umn.edu/pesticides or call the Farm Information Line at 1-800-232-9077.