



# Elevation Certificate Basics & CRS EC Requirements



- When:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015  
9 AM – 4 PM
- Where:** City of Ocala Utility Services  
T & D Ready Room  
1805 NE 30<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Building #400  
Ocala, FL 34470
- CECs:** 6 for CFM  
4 for PE  
4 for PLS
- Instructor:** Del Schwalls, P.E., CFM
- Cost:** \$50 – FFMA individual members  
\$150 – non-FFMA members

## Course Description:

This course will:

- provide detailed training on completing a FEMA Elevation Certificate (EC) accurately and in its entirety, allowing full compliance with any program that requires submission of a FEMA EC.
- cover EC requirements for surveying, foundation flood openings, and certification.
- review the Community Rating System (CRS) requirements for an EC and those portions that can differ from other programs.
- identify the portions of the EC instructions that should not be used, in order to achieve full compliance with all programs.
- include common errors and omissions, review of the various EC building diagrams, and real-world examples.

## Course Objectives:

- Learn to complete a FEMA EC in order to satisfy the requirements of any program.
- Understand the data needs for each individual EC section.
- Understand how the EC is used by CRS.
- Change attendee's approach to ECs from 'minimum needs' to 'best practice'.
- Avoid common mistakes that can invalidate the EC for certain programs.

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**Seating limited to first 30 paid attendees!**

## Reference Materials:

[FEMA EC & Instructions](#); [EC References](#)  
*Please download and review prior to class.*

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*Learn how to avoid errors that are causing many communities to miss the mandatory CRS EC prerequisites.*