



## FALL ONSITE SOIL EVALUATION WORKSHOP

“Anthropogenic Soils of the Foothills Region“

Thursday October 3, 2013 from 8:30AM until 4:00PM

**Location: Sink Farm, 2533 Deyerle Knob Rd., Rocky Mount VA 24151**

**Directions:** From town center of Rocky Mount to the site take US 220 North Business to Rt 919 Grassy Hill Rd, (by the KFC Restaurant) go 3 miles then left on 641 Callaway Rd (about a quarter mile past Old Kingerey’s Store) go 3 miles on Callaway Rd then turn left onto Rt 743 Carolina Springs Rd, go a half-mile, bear right at the “Y” onto Rt 737 Hickman Rd (at the Virginia/Carolina Select Sires Cattle-Breeding Center), go another half-mile, then turn left over the one-lane bridge and immediately turn right onto Rt 737 Deyerle Knob Rd, go a little over one mile and turn right on a private gravel drive, 2533 Deyerle Knob Rd (metal mailbox on a metal 10 Gallon milk can, and steel post)

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| 8:30 – 9:00AM  | Registration at site  |
| 9:00- 9:15AM   | Welcome and Instructions for the day  |
| 9:15AM -12Noon | Soil Pit Evaluations: Permeability, Development of Soil Structure, and Identifying Depth to Seasonal Water Table. |
| Noon – 1:00PM  | LUNCH AT SITE ( <i>Bring your own lunch!</i> )  |
| 1:00-4:00PM    | Discussion of Soil Pit Evaluations. Could we use these sites?<br>How would we use these sites?                    |
| 4:00-4:30PM    | Wrap Up and Adjourn   |

**Workshop Fee: VEHA Members: \$30 Non-Members: \$50, due at sign-in.**  
Please bring exact change or pay by check at the registration site.

Please pre-register with: [Amy.Pemberton@vdh.virginia.gov](mailto:Amy.Pemberton@vdh.virginia.gov)

**LUNCH NOT PROVIDED, PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN!** In order to maximize the value of the training and award additional CPE credit, there will not be time for travel at the Noon break. Please bring a lunch. Bottled water and some light snacks will be provided.

***Workshop will be held rain or shine (Please dress appropriately and come prepared.)***

Participants will enter and describe backhoe pits and identify soil horizons, restrictions, etc. Attendees should bring the necessary equipment and tools needed to conduct an evaluation of a backhoe pit for onsite sewage disposal. Be sure to review and bring reference materials related to describing soil structure and redoximorphic features. (Soil Profile Description Manual by Dr. Edmonds, VT and USDA Fieldbook for Describing and Sampling Soils)

USDA Fieldbook for Describing and Sampling Soils at <http://soils.usda.gov/technical/fieldbook/>  
***Please bring copies of the Soil Profile Evaluation Form to be sent to registrants.***

**6.0 hours CPE towards DPOR recertification will be granted for full participation**



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**RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

*I, the undersigned, waive and release myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators and assume the risk of physical injury or death from participating in this event and waive all rights and claims for damages, demands and any other actions whatsoever, which I may have against the Virginia Environmental Health Association, all participating sponsors and supporters of those entities, successors, representatives and assigns, arising out of my participation in this event. I certify that I am in proper physical condition to participate in this activity.*

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(Print Name)

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