ATSSA Flagger Certification Training

OSH 9180

4 Contact hours

5 CC10 hours

Do you control traffic through a work zone in Maryland? Is it your responsibility to provide safe passage through and around work zones? This certified flagger course is a must for the work zone flagger and will certify you in safe flagging techniques. Topics will include the standard skill set of a good flagger, standard flagger control references, flagging signals and procedures, and standard flagger practices for various situations. ATSSA is a nationally recognized training program taught by a certified ATSSA trainer. Participants successfully completing the training will receive a laminated flagger certification card.

1. Explain why proper flagger operations are important.

2. Demonstrate standard skills of a good flagger.

3. Apply standard flagger control references.

4. Identify proper flagging signals and procedures.

5. Demonstrate standard flagger practices for various situation.

8:00 am – 9:00 am: Stop, slow, and release traffic; how to use paddles

9:00 am – 9:30 am: How to spot different types of drivers and how to deal with them

9:30 am – 10:15 am: Controlling traffic on a two-way road; different methods to communicate with other flaggers

10:15 am – 10:30 am: Break

10:30 am – 11:00 am: Controlling traffic on haul roads or in other special situations

11:00 am – 11:30 am: Setup and handling of night flagging

11:30 am – 11:45 am: How to work with the public, supervisors, and co-workers

11:45 am – 12:15 pm: Exam