COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

SDDOT BITUMINOUS TECHNOLOGY – ASPHALT CONCRETE MIX DESIGN AND PRODUCTION CONTROL

Monday, March 27, 2017 (1:00 P.M.) – Thursday, March 30, 2017 (5:00 P.M.) SDDOT Materials Laboratory, 104 S. Garfield, Pierre, SD

Asphalt Concrete Mix Design and Production Control is a Twenty-Eight (28) hour course for those who will be pursuing accreditation through the SDDOT QC/QA Asphalt Concrete Certification process for Marshall Method or Gyratory Controlled Mixtures (Superpave). The course concludes with a written test. Successful completion of the course and written test combined with Laboratory Performance (proficiency) test verification allows the participant to be certified for "Mix Design Submittal/Control" duties on hot mix for asphalt concrete pavement projects constructed under the SDDOT QC/QA specification. In addition, the course is open and encouraged for all construction professionals actively involved in asphalt concrete design, material production and paving outside the scope of QC/QA specification, as well.

Course Syllabus:

- Mixture Design
- Asphalt Concrete Sampling Procedures
- SDDOT Specimen Preparation (Marshall & Gyratory)
- SDDOT Mixture Specification and Testing Procedures (Marshall & Gyratory)
- Volumetric Parameter Determination for Asphalt Concrete
- SDDOT Test Procedure Demonstrations, Equipment & Calibration Overview
- SDDOT Mixture Specific Gravity Testing
- Calculating & Reporting Asphalt Concrete Mixture Properties
- Proctored written knowledge & skills test

Requirements:

- Basic Math Skills, Calculator, Pencil(s)
- It is recommended, but not mandatory, for all SDDOT QC/QA Asphalt Concrete Certification applicants to have completed **SDDOT Bituminous Technology Introduction to Asphal**t.
- For those with <u>entry-level</u> experience in bituminous technology and/or bituminous projects or who are new to the bituminous industry, course completion of the **Introduction to Asphalt** course is <u>strongly</u> recommended.
- SDDOT Bituminous Technology Asphalt Concrete Aggregate Testing is required.
- SDDOT Bituminous Technology Asphalt Concrete Hot Mix Testing is required.
- SDDOT Bituminous Technology Asphalt Concrete Roadway Inspection is required.
- Experience and knowledge of construction projects and processes.
- Materials testing experience should be obtained prior to completion of Laboratory Performance Testing.
 A strong background in mixture testing and analysis is recommended.

Cost: \$550.00/Student including all reference material, testing and certificate.

References

SDDOT Materials Testing Manual, SDDOT Materials Testing & Inspection Certification Program Manual, SDDOT Special Provisions for QC/QA (Marshall & Gyratory)

INSTRUCTORS: Ken Swedeen, DAPA; Mark Blow, AI; & SDDOT Materials Laboratory Staff

REGISTRATION FORM

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SDDOT Materials Laboratory 104 S. Garfield Pierre, South Dakota

NAME:	
ORGANIZATION:	
ADDRESS:	
CITY:	
STATE:	ZIP:
PHONE:	
FAX:	
E-MAIL:	

Attendee Registration Fee: \$550.00

To register, send registration form and fee to:
Dakota Asphalt Pavement Association Inc.
3030 Airport Road, Suite B
Pierre, SD 57501

Call DAPA at (605) 224-8500 or Fax to (605) 224-0134 or Email: Ken Swedeen at kswedeen@dakota-asphalt.org