

# SOIL EROSION POLLUTION AWARENESS (SEPA)

The SEPA program of the Lower Rio Grande Valley  
TPDES Storm Water Task Force present:

## “How to Inspect and Enforce a TPDES Stormwater Program at Construction Sites”

----- up to 8 PDUs available-----  
-----4 CECs available-----

*The TCEQ reissued the TPDES Construction General Permit TXR150000 on February 27, 2023. This course incorporates the renewed regulations and will designate you as “qualified personnel” as defined by this permit.*

This course was developed by A&M system professionals funded in part by the IBWC and Clean Rivers program. The program is customized for the Lower Rio Grande Valley and delivered by instructors from TAMU’s Texas Transportation Institute, home of the largest Soil Erosion research laboratory in Texas. The course introduces current issues related to TPDES storm water regulations, the TCEQ MS4 TPDES Program, SWP3 development, TXR150000, TXR05000 and TXR040000, soil erosion prevention BMPs, and enforcement and inspection methodologies. This course is beneficial to designers, engineers, flood plain managers, architects, contractors, project managers, superintendents, inspectors, foremen, homebuilders, MS4 operators, utility contractors, stormwater professionals, planners & general contractors.

LRGV TPDES Storm Water Task Force Representative (\$195.00)  
Employee from a Task Force Member (\$195.00)  
All Others (\$295)

Registration Fees due by May 6, 2023

Add \$100 - Late Registration (after May 6 \$395)



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**South Padre Island Convention Center**  
**7355 Padre Blvd.**  
**South Padre Island, TX**



**May 21, 2023**  
**8:30 am – 5:00 pm**

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# The Lower Rio Grande Valley TPDES Storm Water Task Force in partnership with Texas Transportation Institute (College Station)

invites you to register for a course developed specifically for  
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**Register at:** <https://lrgv-tdpes-stormwater-task-force.square.site/courses>

(Sponsor information also available.)