

Elevation Certificate Virtual Workshop

How to Complete the FEMA EC Correctly for Everyone

When: Friday, October 23, 2020
9:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Where: VIRTUAL

Register online at

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once you register for the class.

CEC/CEU: 6 - CFM, Building Official/Inspector (MA)

*Depending on state/agency reciprocity:
6 - PE, PLS; 0.6 - ICC*

Instructor: Del Schwalls, PE, CFM
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Cost: \$80 - Massachusetts Community Officials
\$120 - Other Registrants

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 an EC.
- review the EC and provide guidance on implementation and use.
- 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 the local official's role in reviewing ECs for accuracy and compliance purposes.
- 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.
- Learn how to avoid errors that are causing many communities to miss the mandatory CRS EC prerequisites.

Reference Materials:

Please download and review prior to class.

[FEMA EC & Instructions](#)

[FEMA EC FPM Bulletin](#)



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Registration is limited to the first 50 registrants.