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Training Opportunities

(Woodland, CA) – The Yolo County Planning & Public Works Department Building Inspection Division is offering two training opportunities in December for contractors, homeowners, building inspectors, plans examiners, building officials and design professionals. Programs offered include: Disabled Access Compliance Training Part II on December 2; and Article 500 Hazardous Locations Electrical & Enhanced Vapor Recovery Training on December 16. Each course will be held at the Planning & Public Works Department at 292 West Beamer Street in Woodland. Registration fees are \$100/training and cover all instructions, handouts and refreshments. Attendees will receive a certificate of attendance and a course handout. Registration forms may be obtained from the Planning & Public Works Department or downloaded here: http://www.yolocounty.org/Index.aspx?page=1243. One may also register by calling (530) 666-8775.

Disabled Access Compliance Training Part II December 2, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

This training will address specific disabled access code sections and issues that relate mainly to site and building accessibility, highlighting the main 2007 California Building Code 11B code changes. Attendees will receive a certificate of attendance and a course handout. The training will address both compliance with the American with Disabilities Act Guidelines (ADAAG) and the California Code of Regulations (Title 24 CCR). This course will be taught by Gilda Puente-Peters, a registered architect with 27 years of broadly diversified experience in the architectural field, with a specialty in accessibility and Universal Design planning, education design and construction. Registration forms are due November 25.

Article 500 Hazardous Locations Electrical & Enhanced Vapor Recovery Training December 16, 8:30-4:00 p.m.

This training will break down the Articles in Chapter 5 of the California Electrical Code associated with Hazardous Classified Locations. Specific attention will be placed on Article 500 and its role in each subsequent Article. Focus will be on definitions from Article 100 in the California Electrical Code, underwriters, laboratories, International Association of Electrical Inspectors and the Appleton 2005 N.E.C. Code Review. The course will be taught by David Snyder, Creek Electric, Electrical Superintendent and Cindy Castronovo, California Air Resources Board. Registration forms are due December 9.