2026-2027 Statewide Technical Training Course Schedule
Consultants

Oct. 5, 2026

Technical Training Course Description

Registration process:

Contact the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) directly to register at:

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ACEC website
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Registration fee: The non-refundable course fee is due at the time of registration and must be received by the registration deadline to participate in the class.

Registration Deadline Date: The deadline for all courses is one (1) week prior to the class start date, except for the Computerized Office Technician (COT) & Computerized Office Technician-Recertification (COT-Recert) Exam courses. The deadline is two (2) weeks. Confirmation notice will be emailed when registration closes.

Computerized Office Technician Recertification (COT-Recert) Exam Class requires submission of an active COT Certification. Submit a copy of the active certification document for each attendee to MDOT-TechTraining@Michigan.gov, with "Technical Training" in the subject line.

Disclaimer

To avoid unnecessarily repeating Technical Training courses, please keep your course certification and information in a safe place. It is important to know when these official documentations will expire. Replacement certificates will no longer be issued nor does OOD retain historical records of previous class attendance.

ADA/reasonable accommodation request

Accommodations can be made for persons who require mobility, visual, hearing, written or other assistance for participation. Large print materials, auxiliary aids or the services of interpreters, signers or readers are available upon request. Contact Orlando Curry at 517-335-4381 or complete Form 2658 for American Sign Language (ASL) interpreting requests. Requests should be made at least five days prior to the meeting date. Reasonable efforts will be made to provide the requested accommodation or an effective alternative but accommodations may not be guaranteed.

Course location	Address
MDOT Aeronautics Auditorium (near Lansing Airport)	2700 Port Lansing Road, Lansing, MI 48906
MDOT Bay Region Office	5859 Sherman Rd., Saginaw, MI 48604
MDOT Construction Field Services (CFS) C&T Training Room, Room 100	8885 Ricks Road, Dimondale, MI 48917
MDOT Detroit Transportation Service Center	1060 W. Fort St., Detroit, MI 48226
MDOT Horatio S. Earle Learning (HSEL) Center	7575 Crowner Drive, Dimondale, MI 48821
Ferris State University	1201 South State St., Big Rapids, MI 49307
The Inn At Harbor Shores	800 Whitwam Dr., Saint Joseph, MI 49085
DoubleTree by Hilton – Port Huron (for hotel use code “FMD”)	800 Harker St., Port Huron, MI 48060

Courses

Bridge Construction/Rehabilitation Inspection & Bridge Paint

Date	Time	Location
Feb. 22, 2027 Feb. 23-25, 2027 Feb. 26, 2027	12:30 p.m.-4 p.m. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	HSEL Center
March 1, 2027 March 2-4, 2027 March 5, 2027	12:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	HSEL Center

Computerized Office Technician (COT)

(Course requirement: Class Participants are **required** to bring a laptop computer with laptop power cord for WIFI access for this class; a calculator; and the MDOT 2020 Standard Specifications for Construction book for use.)

Note: MDOT expects full commitment to attendance and participation in this class/course. Certifications and certificates of completion will not be issued for participants who fail to attend and/or participate. If the student does not pass the exam, the full course must be retaken. There will be no retests.

Lunch will be provided only for the first 2 days of class.

Date	Time	Location
Dec. 14-15, 2026 Dec. 16, 2026	8 a.m.-5 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	Detroit TSC
Jan. 4-5, 2027 Jan. 6, 2027	8 a.m.-5 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	HSEL Center
Jan. 11-12, 2027 Jan. 13, 2027	8 a.m.-5 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	HSEL Center
Feb. 8-9, 2027 Feb. 10, 2027	8 a.m.-5 p.m. 8 a.m.-Noon	HSEL Center

Computerized Office Technician-Recertification (COT-Recert) Exam

(Course requirement: Class Participants are **required** to bring a laptop computer with laptop power cord for WIFI access for this class; a calculator; and the MDOT 2020 Standard Specifications for Construction book for use.)

Note: Must have previously passed the COT course. Proof of non-expired COT certification is required prior to registering for this exam. If the student does not pass the exam, the full course must be retaken. There will be no retests.

Date	Time	Location
Dec 16, 2026	1 p.m.-5 p.m.	Detroit TSC
Jan. 6, 2027	1 p.m.-5 p.m.	HSEL Center
Jan. 13, 2027	1 p.m.-5 p.m.	HSEL Center
Feb. 10, 2027	1 p.m.-5 p.m.	HSEL Center

Concrete Paving Inspection Training

(This course is strongly encouraged for technicians inspecting concrete paving and concrete pavement restoration projects, and for quality control and quality assurance concrete testing technicians.)

Note: To receive a certificate of completion for this course, you must attend the four-day course followed by a written quiz.

Date	Time	Location
Jan. 12-15, 2027	8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Bay Region Office
Feb. 2-5, 2027	8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	C&T Training Room
March 9-12, 2027	8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Detroit TSC

Density Certification Training

(Go to the Ferris State University (FSU) website to register: Ferris.edu/ICET.)

Questions? Contact ICET@Ferris.edu or Justin Foster at FosterJ7@Michigan.gov.

Additional courses will be added based on demand and instructor availability over the course of the 2026-2027 Technical Training winter season.

Date	How to register	Time	Location
Various	Ferris.edu/ICET	*Check out the FSU website for course time.	FSU

Drilled Shaft Inspectors Training

Date	Time	Location
Dec. 16, 2026	8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Aeronautics Auditorium

Hot-Mix Asphalt Paving Operations

(Local agencies, go to FSU website to register: Ferris.edu/ICET.)

Note: All classes are in-person. Participants must first register on FSU's website at Ferris.edu/ICET, as there are some required online prework (quizzes) that you must complete before the in-person class dates.

Pre-Coursework: You cannot attend the in-person class if you do not register on the FSU website first at Ferris.edu/ICET. Once registered, all participants will be emailed with further instructions needed to complete the required online prework on FSU's E-Learning system. We recommend that you register at least two weeks in advance to allow time to complete this process.

Questions? Contact ICET@Ferris.edu.

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Date	Time	Location
Dec. 7-9, 2026	Class starts at 8:30 a.m. on the first day.	Saint Joseph
Dec. 15-17, 2026	Class starts at 8:30 a.m. on the first day.	Port Huron
March 1-3, 2027	Class starts at 8:30 a.m. on the first day.	CFS Training Room

Hot Mix Asphalt Paving Operations-Recertification

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Note: All classes are in-person. Participants must first register on FSU's website at Ferris.edu/ICET, as there are some required online prework (quizzes) that you must complete before the in-person class dates.

Pre-Coursework: You cannot attend the in-person class if you do not register on the FS website first at Ferris.edu/ICET. Once registered, all participants will be emailed with further instructions needed to complete the required online prework on FSU's E-Learning system. We recommend that you register at least two weeks in advance to allow time to complete this process.

Questions? Contact ICET@Ferris.edu.

Additional courses will be added based on demand and instructor availability over the course of the 2026-27 Technical Training winter season.

Date	Time	Location
March 4-5, 2027	Class starts at 8 a.m. on the first day.	CFS Training Room

MDOT Superpave Asphalt Mix Designers Certification Training

Note: Consultants, email tmurphy@murphypavetech.com to register.

Date	Time	Location
March 8, 2027 March 9-12, 2027	1 p.m.-5 p.m. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.	HSEL Center

Pavement Historical Database (PHD) Full Training

Note: Certificates of attendance will be provided to consultants who attend the entire training session.

Date	Time	Location
Nov. 9, 2026	8 a.m.-Noon	Microsoft Teams
Jan. 4, 2027	8 a.m.-Noon	Microsoft Teams

Pavement Historical Database (PHD) Refresher Training

Note: Certificates of attendance will be provided to consultants who attend the entire training session.

Date	Time	Location
Nov. 10, 2026	10 a.m.-Noon	Microsoft Teams
Jan. 5, 2027	10 a.m.-Noon	Microsoft Teams

Prevailing Wage Training

Note: To receive a certificate of completion for this course, you must attend both half-day training sessions consecutively (attend the afternoon virtual session first, followed by the morning session).

Date	How to register	Time	Location
Jan. 12-13, 2027	SOMLC	1-4 p.m. and 8-11 a.m.	Microsoft Teams
Feb. 9-10, 2027	SOMLC	1-4 p.m. and 8-11 a.m.	Microsoft Teams
March 9-10, 2027	SOMLC	1-4 p.m. and 8-11 a.m.	Microsoft Teams
April 13-14, 2027	SOMLC	1-4 p.m. and 8-11 a.m.	Microsoft Teams

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