

Dear Environmental Health Directors/Supervisors,

The EGLE Onsite Wastewater Management (OWM) Unit is seeking to consistently provide soil training classes annually to local health departments. **Macomb County Health Department** has offered to host a class and we are in the process of scheduling the details for the training. The following class is currently being offered:

EGLE OWM Program Soils Training

Day 1

September 18, 2024

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Classroom workshop including lecture material and soils lab
Macomb County Verkuilen Building
21885 Dunham Road
Clinton Twp, Michigan 48036
586-469-5236

Day 2

September 19, 2024

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Field Day with backhoe excavations and soil analysis
Clinton Twp, Macomb County
Address to be provided upon registration

Included in the class we will have different samples of soils for Environmental Health staff to texture and identify. The field component will give your staff the opportunity for “real time” soil analysis with an overview of texturing native soils and verifying mottling and seasonal high-water table.

Please respond back with your interest via the [Microsoft Forms Survey Link](#) by September 1, 2024. If any issues are encountered with the survey link or you have questions, please email Marisa Faraldo at FaraldoM@Michigan.gov. There is limited space for this class (30 spaces). Registrations will be taken on a first come, first serve basis. There is no registration fee for the class.

Additionally, for spring and fall 2025 we are seeking a class and a field site for additional soil trainings. Environmental Health Directors or Managers **willing to host** a training are welcome to contact EGLE OWM Unit staff to discuss potential dates. We look forward to working with your departments now and in the future.

Thank you,

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