BASIC ELECTRICAL SKILLS

September 17-22, 2017

Training Syllabus



William Penn Mott Jr. Training Center



Memorandum

Date: August 29, 2017

- To: Supervisor
- From: Debbie L. Fredricks, Chief Training Section California State Parks
- Subject: Employee Attendance at Formal Training Basic Electrical Skills Group 26

An employee from your office will soon be attending the formal training program described in the attachment. Please ensure that the employee is fully prepared to attend the session and that the groundwork is laid for the employee's implementation of the training upon returning to work. You can assist with capturing the full value of the training by taking the following steps:

Prior to Training

- 1. Make sure that **specific** employee needs are identified and, if necessary, called immediately to the attention of the Training Specialist.
- 2. Review with the employee the reason for the employee's attendance.
- 3. Review objectives and agenda with the employee.
- 4. Discuss objectives and performance expected after the training.

Immediately Following Attendance

- 1. Discuss what was learned and intended uses of the training.
- 2. Review the employee's assessment of the training program for its impact at the workplace.
- 3. Support the employee's use of the training at the work place.

Three Months Following Training

1. Supervisor evaluates the effectiveness of the training on the employee's job performance and meets with employee to discuss the evaluation.

Thank you for your assistance in seeing that the full benefit of training is realized.

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Debbie L. Fredricks Training Section Chief

Attachment cc: Participant

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Mission Statement Training Section

The mission of the Training Section is to provide knowledge, empowerment, and inspiration through collaboration, consulting, and the delivery of exceptional training programs.

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FORMAL TRAINING GUIDELINES

Welcome to formal training, an essential component in your career development.

Since 1969, our Department has been providing a continuously changing number of diverse training programs at its main training facility, the William Penn Mott Jr. Training Center, and other locations including Marconi Conference Center. The Department strives to enhance your learning and job performance with formal training of the highest quality.

Our Department's dedication to training is only one aspect of its commitment to you and to the public. This commitment is costly and represents an important investment in you and your career. You and the Department realize a return on that investment by your positive participation in formal training itself and post training follow-through.

The program you will be participating in is described in this training syllabus, which outlines what you can expect from this training and what is expected of you. This syllabus details what you should do before you leave for training; what to do when you arrive; what you will be doing while in training; and, importantly, what you should be able to do when you return to your work site. Specifically:

- 1. SYLLABUS: The syllabus is now accessible on the Employee Training Management System (ETMS) and on the California State Parks website under the Learning/Training Section. Your copy of this syllabus is an important part of your training experience and should be brought with you to training. Read it before you arrive and review it following the program along with material you received at training.
- PRE-TRAINING ASSIGNMENTS: Your completion of pre-training assignments is essential to the success of your training. You are responsible for all reading assignments in preparation for classroom sessions. Time will be provided during working hours to accomplish any assignments which involve either individual or group efforts and resources.
- 3. TRAVEL: Arrange your travel to and from the training through your District or Office. (No reimbursement for travel expense including per diem costs will be

approved for travel not specifically authorized in advance by the District Superintendent.) Individuals may claim reimbursement for incidental expenses incurred as outlined in DAM 0410.6. The Mott Training Center does not have the capability to provide transportation to/from Monterey airport.

The cost of your travel (airfare, mileage, rental car, etc.) is paid by your District or Office **to** and **from** the location of the training.

4. HOUSING: Housing will be assigned to you on a shared-room basis and will be available from 3:00 p.m. on the date of arrival to 12:00 noon on the date of departure. The Department provides your room and board expenses at the Mott Training Center only. No per diem allowance will be authorized for living off-grounds. This does not preclude living off-grounds at your own expense. Advise the Department Training Consultant no later than two weeks before your scheduled arrival if you plan to live off-grounds. No animals are permitted in Asilomar housing. In the event of an emergency, staff must know your room assignment; therefore, you may not switch rooms without staff approval. Overnight guests are not allowed in the buildings unless registered beforehand at the front desk in Asilomar's Administration Building. Quiet hour for lodge living areas is 10:00 p.m.

<u>Note</u>: You may be assigned a room at a motel while attending training. If so you may be asked to present a valid credit or debit card while checking in to your room. Many motels require a credit card to cover charges incurred such as telephone calls, damages to rooms and/or furnishings, fees to clean rooms that have been smoked in that are not designated as smoking rooms, etc. Be prepared to handle this appropriately.

5. <u>ENROLLMENT OR HOUSING CANCELLATION POLICY</u>: To cancel participation in a course, the participant must have their District Superintendent or Section/Office Manager send an email to the Training Consultant assigned to the course requesting to remove the participant. If you do not need lodging or must change or cancel your reservation for lodging, you must contact the Mott Training Center or Training Consultant assigned to the course at least 2 weeks prior to your date of arrival. Lodging, registration, and associated fees will be charged to the employee's District or Section/Office if a training cancellation is received with less than two weeks' notice.

The Training Section is committed to ensuring that the reservation that has been made for you is accurate and needed.

6. OFF-GROUNDS ACCOMMODATIONS: When authorized to stay off-grounds by the Department Training Consultant, the Mott Training Center will absorb the cost of your room and meals at the current CSP Asilomar rate. If you stay off-grounds

and have meals on grounds, the Mott Training Center will authorize only what the Department pays Asilomar for lodging.

7. MEALS: Meals will be provided, semi-cafeteria style, from dinner on the date of arrival through lunch on the date of departure. Meals will be served at 7:15 a.m. for breakfast, 12:00 noon for lunch, and 6:00 p.m. for dinner. Hot or box lunches may be provided on some days. If you require a special diet, contact the Training Consultant Jeff Beach to request the Asilomar Dietary Restriction form no later than two weeks prior to the course start date. The Training Consultant will forward the form to the appropriate Asilomar Conference Grounds staff.

In order to assist participants with limited mobility, Asilomar provides a shuttle to and from the dining hall. Contact either Asilomar staff upon check-in, or Mott Training Center staff upon your arrival, for instructions on arranging a transport.

8. CLOTHING: Field uniforms as found in "Description of Required Field Uniforms", DOM Chapter 2300, Uniform Handbooks, will be worn daily by all uniformed employees during formal training sessions <u>unless otherwise specified in the</u> <u>Program Attendance Checklist</u>. Non-uniformed employees shall wear apparel normally worn on the job. Appropriate attire includes apparel suitable for professional office dress. It does not include such items as shorts, t-shirts, tank tops, or sandals.

Because we are on the conference grounds with many other groups, and the image we project as State Park employees is important not only during working hours but off duty hours as well, your informal sportswear should be appropriate.

- 9. ROOM SAFES: Two safes have been installed in each of the lodge rooms used by the Mott Training Center (Live Oak, Tree Tops, and Deer Lodge). These safes are a type that allows the user to input their own combination of numbers to facilitate opening and closing. The Mott Training Center has a master key for emergency entry. Safes are to be left in the open position when checking out of your room.
- 10. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: Participants shall not possess or consume alcoholic beverages in common areas (living room) while on the Asilomar Conference Grounds unless provided and hosted by Concessionaire ARAMARK.
- 11. SMOKING: Smoking is not permitted in the Mott Training Center or in any lodge or guest room on the Asilomar Conference Grounds.
- 12. TRAINING CENTER: The Mott Training Center is located on Asilomar Conference Grounds, part of Asilomar State Beach. The Conference Grounds are operated for our Department by a concessionaire, and all lodging and food services are provided to us by employees of the concessionaire. Constant efforts are made to maintain a sound, harmonious working relationship between the Department and

concessionaire. None of us can expect preferential treatment for any reason and, as a departmental employee you will be expected to join in our continuing effort toward an effective relationship with each Asilomar concession staff member. On occasion, non-departmental groups may be staying in the same lodges. It is imperative that you represent the Department well on and off duty.

- 13. REGISTRATION: When you arrive at Asilomar Conference Grounds, proceed directly to the front desk at the Asilomar Administration Building for your room key and dining room ticket. If you require vegetarian meals, notify the front desk representative and your meal ticket will be marked accordingly.
- 14. COURSE LEADERS: The formal training you will attend is developed and, for the most part, conducted by experienced State Park employees in field and staff positions. Some courses will be conducted by qualified instructors from other agencies and educational institutions. Your course leaders have proven their ability and knowledge in their profession, and provide a level of expertise difficult to match.
- 15. TRAINING SECTION STAFF: Jeff Beach is your Training Consultant and has been assigned the responsibility for your training group. That staff member usually serves as a Course Leader as well as a Coordinator. During the program, you may be asked to assist Training Section Staff in the logistics of your training program (organizing field trip transportation, supervising classroom breaks, etc.). Training Section Staff will do all within their power to make your training experience pleasant and meaningful.
- 16. TRAINING MATERIALS: May be made available to you at both your unit and the Mott Training Center. Handout materials issued at your unit should be brought to training for possible use. A conference binder or notebook will be issued to you at the training session for note taking and convenience in handling materials. Bring your own pens and pencils.
- 17. ATTENDANCE: Regular attendance is a critical course requirement and your participation is important to the success of this training. An absence of more than 10% of the course hours constitutes grounds for dropping a participant from the course. The Department Training Consultant may modify this requirement based upon participant knowledge level and/or the portion of the course missed. All absences, except those of an emergency nature, must be approved in advance by the Training Consultant.
- 18. VEHICLES: All vehicles should be parked in the lots adjacent to the Mott Training Center. Any questions regarding use of a State vehicle while at the Mott Training Center should be discussed with your supervisor prior to your departure for training, or with your Program Coordinator while at the Mott Training Center.

- 19. BICYCLES: If you bring your bicycle, store it in the bicycle shed next to the Mott Training Center (acquire combo from the staff). Bicycles shall not be brought into any building nor chained to lamp posts, trees, etc.
- 20. MAIL: Mail forwarded to you during your time at the Center should be addressed to you in care of:

California State Parks WILLIAM PENN MOTT JR. TRAINING CENTER PO Box 699, Pacific Grove, CA 93950

- 21. CELL PHONES: As a courtesy to your fellow participants and course leaders ensure that your cell phone is turned off during classes. Participants should not receive or make cell phone calls during class time. Limit those calls to your breaks.
- 22. FAX: The Mott Training Center's FAX number is (831) 649-2824.
- 23. TELEPHONE: Limit phone calls during classroom hours to urgent business or emergencies. Anyone wishing to contact you by telephone during working hours should call the Center at (831) 649-2954. Calls after 5:00 p.m. or during weekends should be made to (831) 372-8016, Asilomar Conference Grounds, and the caller should tell the switchboard operator you are with a California State Parks training group. Note: There are no longer pay telephones outside of the Mott Training Center. There are pay telephones located at the Asilomar Administration Building.
- 24. RECREATION: Facilities available on grounds include a heated swimming pool, pool tables, and a volleyball court. The Monterey area offers horseback riding, golf, tennis, racquetball, deep sea fishing, and many historical landmarks and scenic sights to explore.
- 25. POST-TRAINING ASSIGNMENTS: In connection with formal training are to be completed under the direction of your supervisor.
- 26. COFFEE BREAK REFRESHMENTS: Will be available throughout each session. You will be asked to contribute to the "Hospitality Fund" to defray expenses. <u>Bring</u> your own coffee cup.

PROGRAM ATTENDANCE CHECKLIST

To assist you in your preparation for formal training session at the William Penn Mott Jr. Training Center, the following list is provided:

- ____1. Read and understand the Basic Electrical Skills Program syllabus prior to your arrival at the Training Center.
- _____2. Arrange your travel through your Unit/Office.
- _____3. Complete the following pre-training assignments:
 - □ Review and complete the Basic Electrical Skills pre-training assignment and the excerpts from *"Ultimate Guide to Wiring"* included with your syllabus. Bring them with you to training.
 - Discuss the Basic Electrical Skills program with your supervisor. What specific changes in your abilities and performance are expected from your attending this training? List these expectations along with your own under "Expectations" on the back of the "Equipment Check Sheet."
 - If possible, bring with you a hand held, 120VAC, ≤ 15 amp., portable power tool with a cord set that is in need of repair/replacement. We will use these tools for our small appliance repair segment of the training and attempt to return them to a safe operable condition.
 - Discuss the projects you will be assigned in the next twelve months, which will utilize the skills developed during the training program.
 - Make arrangements with your supervisor to demonstrate your ability to safely use the items listed on the Equipment Check Sheet. <u>All items must</u> <u>be initialed by your supervisor, or your supervisor's representative, and</u> <u>signed by your District Maintenance Chief for you to participate in the</u> <u>practical portion of the training program</u>.

NOTE: The pre-training assignment (Equipment Check Sheet and Expectations) will be collected during the program orientation on **September 18, 2017**. Completion of the pre-training assignment and bringing your personal safety gear is mandatory and will count for 20% of your program grade. If you have questions or need assistance, contact Training Specialist Jeff Beach at (831) 901-5864 or **Jeffrey.Beach@parks.ca.gov**.

- _____4. Bring the following with you to training:
 - Program syllabus and workbook.
 - Personal safety equipment (eye, ear, and hand protection).
 - Coveralls or appropriate work clothing.
 - Proper field uniform, see Formal Training Guidelines 8.
 - □ Coffee cup, pens, and pencils.

POST-TRAINING ASSIGNMENT

Prior to ninety days after the completion of this program, the employee and his/her supervisor should discuss the impact and assess the effectiveness this program has had on the employee.

The post-training evaluation process is intended to provide a bridge between classroom instruction and the on-the-job application of training. The information obtained through this process will assist the employee, supervisor, and Training Section in providing a return on the training investment to the Department.

BASIC ELECTRICAL SKILLS GROUP 26– A G E N D A September 17-22, 2017

Mott Training Center Training Specialist: Jeff Beach Lead Instructor and Program Coordinator: Bill Dall Assistant Program Coordinators: Lorrie Thomas-Dossett, Angel Alba, and Ernie Rivas

Special Notice: This program will be conducted at the Mott Training Center Shop Annex, 2211 Garden Road, Building C, Monterey, California. Vans are available to transport you to and from the Shop Annex. Vans will leave the Mott Training Center promptly at 0800 daily and return by 1700.

Sunday

September 17

1500	REGISTRATION: Check-in at the Asilomar	All
	Administration Building.	

Monday September 18

<u>September 10</u>		
0800-0830	Travel to Shop Annex	All
0830-0930	Orientation/Pre-Training Check-in	Beach
0930-1030	Expectations	Dall
1030-1200	Electrical Theory/Application	Dall
1200-1300	Lunch	
1300-1330	Task Hazard Analysis	Beach
1330-1430	Continuity Tester Project	All
1430-1500	Introduction to Electrical Circuits/Load Calculations	Dall
1500-1630	Introduction to Wiring	Dall
1630-1700	Return to Mott Training Center	All

Tuesday

September 19

0800-0830	Travel to Shop Annex	All
0830-1000	Review/Quiz / Pre-Training Assignment	All
1000-1100	Wiring Project Demonstration	Dall
1100-1200	Wiring Project (Lab)	All
1200-1300	Lunch	
1300-1530	Wiring Project (Lab)	All
1530-1630	Study Guide Session	All
1630-1700	Return to Mott Training Center	All

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Wednesday

September 20

Travel to Shop Annex	All
Review/Quiz	All
Wiring Project (Lab)	All
Lunch	
Wiring Project (Lab)	All
Study Guide Review	All
Return to Mott Training Center	All
Travel to Shop Annex	All
Review/Quiz	Dall
Wiring Project Group Application (Lab)	All
Lunch	
Small Appliance Repair	All
Performance (Practical) Exam	All
Return to Mott Training Center	All
	Review/Quiz Wiring Project (Lab) Lunch Wiring Project (Lab) Study Guide Review Return to Mott Training Center Travel to Shop Annex Review/Quiz Wiring Project Group Application (Lab) Lunch Small Appliance Repair Performance (Practical) Exam

0800-0830	Travel to Shop Annex	All
0830-0930	Final Exam	Dall
0930-1030	Exam Review	All
1030-1130	Material Handling and Storage	All
1130-1200	Program Summary and Evaluation, and Post Training Assignments	Beach
1200	Departure	All

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36 HOURS

PROGRAM OUTLINE

Program Orientation and Overview		1.0
Electrical Systems		4.5
Electrical Wiring	1	0.0
Examination and Labs	2	20.0
Program Summary and Evaluation		.5
	Total Hours 3	6.0

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

PROGRAM ORIENTATION

<u>Purpose</u>: Participants will meet one another, the program coordinator, and facilitator. The group will share expectations for the training program. Program content will be reviewed.

Performance Objectives: By the close of the session the participant will

- 1. Review program content, procedure, and evaluation processes.
- 2. Share and record expectations with group members.
- 3. Adhere to all Training Center guidelines.

INTRODUCTION TO ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS

<u>Purpose</u>: To develop an understanding of electrical circuits and systems, which will enable the park maintenance worker to safely repair park structures, and small appliances.

Performance Objectives: By the close of the session the participant will

- 1. Identify the basic components of typical residential electrical systems.
- 2. Describe the function of components in a typical residential electrical system.
- 3. Demonstrate safe working practices when working with electricity.

INTRODUCTION TO WIRING

<u>Purpose</u>: To familiarize park maintenance workers with the materials, tools, and techniques used in residential electrical circuits and small appliance wiring.

Performance Objectives: By the close of the session the participant will

- 1. Recognize electrical devices and loads commonly found in residential electrical circuits.
- 2. Demonstrate the correct use of electrical tools and test equipment.
- 3. Identify the correct application of electrical materials.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

SHOP APPLICATIONS

<u>Purpose</u>: To provide the participant with hands-on instruction and opportunity to practice acquired electrical knowledge and skills.

Performance Objectives: By the close of the session the participant will

- 1. Perform basic troubleshooting on residential electrical systems and small appliances.
- 2. Make basic repairs to residential electrical systems and small appliances.
- 3. Demonstrate the ability to work effectively, safely, and harmoniously with other class participants in a simulated work environment.

