

Registration Form – Sign Retroreflectivity
(Please register by **August 12, 2009**)

I will attend: ____ **August 19 Rocky Hill**
_____ **August 20 East Lyme**

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Fax to: (860) 486-5718, or register on-line at
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Maintaining Traffic Sign Retroreflectivity

A Connecticut Road Master Program Elective Workshop



August 19, 2009 — Rocky Hill, CT
August 20, 2009 — East Lyme, CT

8:30 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.
(Lunch will be provided)

Course Description:

The second revision of the 2003 MUTCD introduces new language establishing minimum retroreflectivity levels that must be maintained for traffic signs.

This course provides an introduction to sign retro-reflectivity and an overview of the new national MUTCD requirements. It will focus on conducting visual sign retroreflectivity inspections and proper techniques for measuring the retroreflectivity of traffic signs.

Agencies have until January 2012 to establish and implement a sign assessment or management method to maintain minimum levels of sign retroreflectivity.

The compliance date for regulatory, warning and ground-mounted guide signs is January 2015. For overhead guide signs and street name signs, the compliance date is January 2018.

Instructor:

Edward Cole is a Transportation Safety Specialist with 3M Industries. Ed has 25 years of service with the Traffic Safety Systems Division of 3M Sales, Marketing and International Business Development.

Who Should Attend:

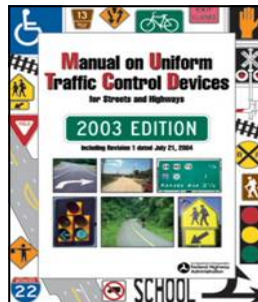
This course is designed for any state and municipal personnel who are responsible for the inspection, maintenance and management of traffic signs.

Crew Leaders, Foremen and Public Works Directors are encouraged to attend.



Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- ◆ Understand nighttime visibility concepts
- ◆ Summarize the new MUTCD minimum retroreflectivity requirements
- ◆ Describe retroreflectivity maintenance methods
- ◆ Understand sign inspection methods that can be used to evaluate retroreflectivity in compliance with the new requirements
- ◆ Identify traffic sign inspection techniques that can assess retroreflectivity



Registration Fees

The registration fee for State and Municipal participants is **\$65.00**; the registration fee for private sector participants is **\$130.00**. The registration fee includes refreshments, lunch and workshop handouts. Registration fees are due prior to the start of the workshop.

Participants from the Connecticut Department of Transportation must provide the ConnDOT workshop voucher number with the registration form and bring the original voucher to the workshop.

Refund Policy

The registration fee is refundable if notice of cancellation is received 48 hours prior to the start of the program. Registrants who are unable to attend and do not cancel in advance are subject to the registration fee.

Substitutions may be made at any time. Please notify us of changes.

Registration

Registration is closed one week prior to the day of the workshop. Please mail registration to address noted on the form or fax to (860) 486-5718.

You will receive a confirmation packet by mail containing travel directions and parking information prior to the training date.

Enrollment is Limited

Registrations will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis. Please register early for this workshop.