



Visual Assessment Training, Nashville, TN July 19, 2024 | 8:00AM – 4:00PM (CST)

TRAINING DESCRIPTION

Following large-scale disasters—such as tornadoes and earthquakes—there is a need to assess buildings for safe occupancy and continued use. Critical facilities (emergency operations centers, hospitals, shelters, etc.) are key to community recovery and must be inspected for safety quickly following a disaster. Likewise, individuals and business owners will want to return to home, school, or work and need to know if buildings are safe to occupy. Local jurisdictions may not have the resources to evaluate a large number of buildings in a short period of time.

TNSAVE is comprised of volunteer engineers, architects, building inspectors and other trained professionals. These volunteers can be called upon after a disaster to assist local jurisdictions in determining which buildings are safe to use and which should be evacuated. To qualify for conducting building evaluations with TNSAVE post-disaster, you are required to complete or to have completed the Visual Assessment Training session or an approved alternative within the past three years. We cordially invite you to join us for this training and become a member of our team!

TARGET AUDIENCE

Building officials, engineers, architects, building owners, facility managers, emergency managers, risk analysts, and other interested citizens and volunteers.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Time: 8:00AM to 4:00PM (CST)

Date: July 19, 2024

Location: Tennessee Emergency Management Agency
3041 Sidco Drive
Nashville, TN 37204

Cost: FREE (Space is limited so register today)

Other: PDH certificates for Engineers will be provided. AIA continuing education credits will be provided for Architects. For Building Code Officials, this training is accredited with the State Fire Marshall's Office.

REGISTRATION

To register for this event, please visit
<https://www.tnsave.org/training-calendar>

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