

**Registration Form - BMP Training**  
Cost to attend is \$25.00. (Includes materials and lunch)  
Please make checks payable to **UF/IFAS Extension Alachua County**  
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Class Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PRE-REGISTER BY CALLING 352-337-6209 (VOICEMAIL)

Individuals must be pre-registered three working days before the class date.



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# Green Industries Best Management Practices Workshop



**2015**

## Upcoming Class Dates

**August 27, October 29, December 3**  
8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**UF/IFAS Extension**  
**Alachua County Office**  
**2800 NE 39th Avenue**  
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# Workshop Agenda

<b>8:30-8:45 a.m.</b>	<b>Introduction and Pre-Test</b>
<b>8:45-9:35 a.m.</b>	<b>Overview - Green Industries BMPs for Protection of Water Resources in FL</b> History, Background & Overview of the BMP Program & Local Ordinances. How to use the BMPs to protect water quality.
<b>9:35-9:45 a.m.</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>9:45-11:05 a.m.</b>	<b>Lawn and Landscape Cultural and Fertilization BMPs</b> Management practices for healthy lawns and landscapes. Includes mowing, pruning, fertilization & irrigation effects on plant health and ability to tolerate pest pressures.
<b>11:05-11:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>11:15-12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Irrigation BMPs</b> Irrigation amount & frequency to reduce disease & insect damage. Design, installation & proper management of irrigation.
<b>12:05-12:40 p.m.</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>12:40-1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Fertilizer BMPs</b> Fertilizer sources: comparisons and responses.
<b>1:30-1:40 p.m.</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>1:40-2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Pesticide BMPs</b> The use of IPM in a management program: Pesticide selection, storage, handling & disposal.
<b>2:30-2:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Review</b>
<b>2:45-3:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Post-Test and CEUs</b>
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>

# General Information

- ◆ This workshop is designed to provide training in Best Management Practices for anyone working in the lawn, landscape, pest control, or municipal grounds areas.
- ◆ Best Management Practices are focused on reducing non-point source pollution resulting from fertilization or pesticide application. In some areas, you need to be certified in the BMPs to be able to bid on jobs or have commercial customers. It may be mandatory throughout the state in the near future. Stay a step ahead of the new requirements.
- ◆ Following completion of this training you will be given a post-test to determine knowledge learned. If the post-test is successfully completed, you will be mailed a certificate of completion.
- ◆ Make sure that at the end of the day, you turn in your post-test, your evaluation, and your attendance record.
- ◆ **Earn CEUs** for pesticide license holders. For CEUs, get form signed before you leave.
- ◆ (2) CORE, (2) Ornamental & Turf, Limited Commercial Landscape.

## Attendees Will Receive:

- ◆ Training in all major aspects of the BMP manual
- ◆ BMP manuals and summary guides
- ◆ Handouts of educational material
- ◆ Certificate of completion (mailed 3-4 weeks after training)
- ◆ Refreshments and Lunch will be provided.