

Do you have a project coming to your community?

Do you need trained community members to increase local hire?

Are you planning to hire someone for a sanitation, emergency response, or other environmental job, but need them trained?

The 2022 Rural Alaska Community Environmental Job Training Program (RACEJT)

**Applications due
November 30th!!!**

Full Scholarships available

Applications are online at:
www.zendergroup.org/racejt.html

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Providing FREE environmental job training to support local hire in rural Alaska communities

STRUCTURE OF TRAINING PROGRAM: RACEJT is a 4-week, residential style training, two weeks on, two weeks off, two weeks on. To be accepted, Participants must commit to attend all 4 weeks of training.

TRAINING DATES: The training is held in Anchorage over two required sessions **March 22 – April 5 and April 19 – May 2, 2022.**

COURSES INCLUDE*:

- ◆ 40 Hr HAZWOPER*
- ◆ Confined Space*
- ◆ Emergency Spill Response
- ◆ Haz Materials Regulations
- ◆ 10 Hr Construction Safety
- ◆ Rural Alaska Landfill Operation*
- ◆ National Incident Management*
- ◆ GPS Mapping Basics
- ◆ Freon Removal*
- ◆ Forklift Operation
- ◆ CPR/First Aid
- ◆ AK-Soil & Erosion Control*
- ◆ Soil and Water Quality Sampling*
- ◆ Job Readiness Skills*
- ◆ Solid and Hazardous Waste Mgmt.*

COVID PLAN: The pandemic outlook will be assessed February 15th. RACEJT may switch to a remote Core Skills Program, teaching asterisked classes by phone, limited internet, and posted materials during half-days over the same time period.

EXPERIENCE GAINED: Graduates receive a Program Diploma and course certifications, qualifying them for many job positions, including Waste collector, Landfill operator, Contaminated site worker, Tank inspector, Brownfield technician, Recycling Center Manager, and many others.

COLLEGE CREDIT: Eight - ten UAF college credits earned towards the Occupational Endorsement as a Rural Waste Management & Spill Response Technician.

PLACEMENT: Job search and job retention skills taught; placement assistance provided.

ELIGIBILITY: RACEJT is open to under employed rural Alaska residents. Our goal is to place graduates in a local job position that helps to protect community environmental health. Applicants with strong potential to secure local or regional employment will receive priority program acceptance.