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Workshop Locations:

**Captain's Corner
Restaurant**

201 Stockyard Road
Vidalia, GA 30474
912-537-8484

Weir Center

(Youth Center Room)
200 C South Madison Avenue
Douglas, GA 31533
912-383-0309

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**Georgia Dirt & Gravel Road
Workshops**

**Captain's Corner Restaurant
Vidalia, GA**

**Wednesday, February 17, 2016
9:00AM—3:00PM**

Weir Center

Douglas, GA

**Thursday, February 18, 2016
9:00AM—3:00PM**



“Driving home the point of clean water”

Georgia Dirt & Gravel Road Workshop

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Attendance

All county/city administrators, engineers, public works directors, road supervisors, equipment operators and other county/city officials responsible for the maintenance of unpaved roads are encouraged to attend. The workshop is designed to teach new concepts for maintaining unpaved roads with an emphasis on protecting water quality.

Course Instructors

- Ms. Beverly Fontenot has over twenty years of training /employee development experience. She has been with the Georgia Department of Transportation LTAP office for over 14 years, where she was previously the Training Coordinator before assuming her current role as Program Director. Some of her jobs include, course developer, leadership & management instructor, career counselor, training manager, functional manager, and director of training.
- Richard “Donnie” Bradshaw is a 1975 graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University with a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Agronomy, Soil Science option. He started his career as a soil scientist with the NRCS in Virginia as part of a soil mapping detail. He was a soil scientist with Union Camp Corporation for 25 years and then a senior soil scientist for International Paper Corporation for 5 years. In 2005 he started his own consulting business Bradshaw Environmental Soil Technology, Incorporated.
- Mr. John Hopkins has over 40 years experience providing road maintenance training to county governments in 35 states. His major areas of expertise include design, construction, and maintenance of low volume roads; developing and conducting technology transfer programs for local officials; roadway, bridge, and plant construction; and materials analysis.

Registration

There is no charge for registration/lunch, however space is limited to 50 students per class on a first-come basis. Registration forms can be downloaded at www.tworiversrcd.org or by calling 706-885-0101. **Registration forms must be returned before February 10, 2016.**

Special Needs

If you have special dietary needs or physical needs, you must call (706-885-0101) no later than February 10, 2016.

8:30AM	Participant Check-In	
9:00AM	Welcome/Purpose	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vidalia Workshop	Rahn Milligan, Exec. Dir. Pine Country RC&D
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Douglas Workshop	Eugene Dyal, Exec. Dir. Seven Rivers SWCD
9:10AM	GDOT Training Assistance and Services	Beverly Fontenot GDOT-LTAP Director
9:25AM	Soils Considerations for Dirt & Gravel Roads	Donnie Bradshaw Certified Soil Scientist
10:25AM	Dirt & Gravel Road Challenges	John Hopkins LTAP Trainer
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Road Surface Conditions• Maintenance Operations• Drainage Considerations• Stabilization & Erosion Control• Materials & Additives	
12:00Noon	Lunch (Provided)	Two Rivers RC&D
1:00PM	Dirt & Gravel Road Challenges	John Hopkins LTAP Trainer
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Drainage Considerations• Stabilization & Erosion Control• Materials & Additives	
2:30PM	Summary / Wrap-up	
3:00PM	Adjourn	