

FLAGGER TRAINING

ATTSA Certified Flagger Course

This course is designed to **train novice flagger personnel** to provide safe passage of traffic through and around work areas and to minimize confusion through knowledge and implementation of standard flagging procedures.

It is recommended for personnel who close traffic lanes for construction work and/or perform emergency lane closures and is also recommended **as a refresher course** for experienced flaggers in both one-and two-person flagging operations on standard flagging procedures and practices. In some states, course qualifies for CEU or PDH hours.

Classroom Summary:

A flagger's job is to protect construction zone workers and the traveling public from each other. Class participants will learn:

- A thorough understanding of flagging procedures and proper use of required equipment
- Improved flagging skills from hands-on training, classroom activities and a flagging skills test
- Increased ability to coordinate traffic movement through the work zone

By the completion of the course, students will be able to demonstrate proficiency in the following areas:

- How to stop, slow and release traffic using a stop paddle and how to control traffic using a flag if needed
- Controlling traffic on a two-way road and how to use different methods to communicate with other flaggers
- How to set up and handle night flagging
- Understand why proper flagger operations are important
- Learn the standard skillset of a good flagger
- Apply standard flagger control references
- Identify proper flagging signals and procedures
- Learn standard flagger practices for various situations

