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Dear Assessor Training Participant,

We are glad that you have registered for the two day Emergency Management Accreditation Program (EMAP) Assessor Training course at the Emergency Management Institute (EMI). As part of EMAP's new training curriculum, we have redesigned the two day onsite course to include more hands on exercises and increased discussion concerning onsite assessments, documentation review and interpretation and application of the *Emergency Management Standard* by EMAP. In order to ensure appropriate time for the additions to the curriculum EMAP has removed much of its background and overview materials from the course. However, we recognize the importance of fully understanding how EMAP functions as an organization as well as grasping the full process the programs go through in order to eventually achieve EMAP accreditation. Therefore, EMAP has created two 30 minute online training modules that will introduce participants to the background, current endeavors and future projects of EMAP as an organization as well as the "EMAP Process" through which Emergency Management Programs develop their programs by the *Emergency Management Standard* by EMAP, use the online tool to conduct a self assessment and schedule and conduct an onsite peer review assessment. Both of these modules last less than 30 minutes and will help to prepare you for the two day onsite course.

The training modules can be found on EMAP's website under the [Assessor Resources/Assessor Training Tab](#). These modules are required as part of the Assessor Training curriculum and must be completed along with the onsite course and the Assessor Training Examination in order for you to be placed in the active assessor cadre. If you have any questions concerning the online training modules or the Assessor Training Course in general please contact Michael Collins at (859) 244-8210 or via email at mcollins@csg.org.

Sincerely,



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