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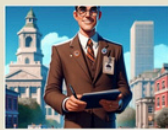
Located in Middleton, TN, the WET (Water Education and Training) Center is a state-of-the-art facility designed to educate, train, and inspire the next generation of water professionals and the communities they serve.

Through hands-on exhibits, heavy equipment simulators, and interactive classrooms, the WET Center offers real-world learning for engineers, operators, educators, students, and public officials—all in one groundbreaking space.

## WET Customers



Equipment Operators



Public Officials



Professionals



Emergency Responders



Students

## Potential Class Examples

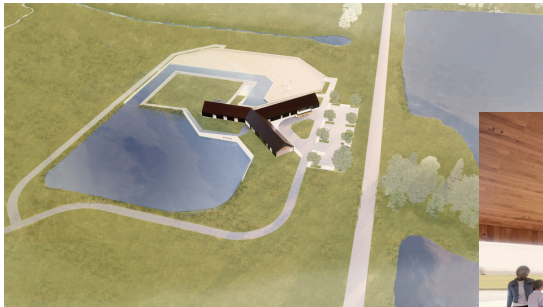
Course Title	Target Audience
Rivers and Roads	Highway and Road Maintenance Equipment Operators
Flood 101	Public Officials
Stream Survey Pre-Req	Surveyors and Stream Designers, Engineers, Regulators, Biologists
Stream Restoration I	Surveyors and Stream Designers, Engineers, Regulators, Biologists
Stream Restoration II	Surveyors and Stream Designers, Engineers, Regulators, Biologists
Stream Restoration III	Surveyors and Stream Designers, Engineers, Regulators, Biologists
SWIFT	Emergency Responders/Firefighters
Hydrology and Hydrolics	University Students
Rapid Response: Flooding & Roadway Management Simulation	Public Officials, Highway and Road Maintenance Equipment Operators, Emergency Responders, Public Works, Engineers
Watershed Survey & Modeling	Engineers
Watershed Hydrology	General Public
Safe Woody Debris Management	General Public, Flood Response Teams
Utility Conflict Management	Utility Employees
Trench Safety	Contractors, Emergency Responders
Water Control Structures - Agriculture	Farmers, General Public
Standard Practice Installation - TDOT	Contractors
Standard Practice Installation - NRCS	Contractors
Educator Outreach	Teachers
STEM Water Program	K-12
Stream Design	



Opening Summer 2027



## SITE PLAN



## Flooding and Stormwater Annual Costs Statewide

Presidential Flood Declarations, 1998-2017



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|--|---------------|
| 1. Average Flood Disaster Impact       | \$240M        |
| 2. Infrastructure Deferred Maintenance | \$316M        |
| 3. Utility Conflicts                   | \$ 31M        |
| <b>4. Total:</b>                       | <b>\$587M</b> |



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