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Ewing Completes Annual Round of Educational Workshops

April 23, 2007, Phoenix, AZ—Ewing Irrigation Golf & Industrial, in partnership with Hunter Industries, recently completed their annual round of Irrigation Educational Workshops. More than 3,000 green industry professionals from across the country took advantage of the 49 seminars held in 14 states and 36 cities nationwide.

“From attending these workshops, customers developed unique on-site solutions to irrigation problems that will streamline field practices, which in turn will save time and money,” said Jim Borneman, Vice President of Education Services.

Contractors, irrigation technicians, designers, landscape architects and other professionals from across the country fine-tuned their irrigation skills this past off season by attending the one-day Irrigation Troubleshooting Seminar, or the two-day Design, Installation, and Troubleshooting Workshop.

Heidi Farrell, a landscape architect from Utah, attended the two-day workshop in Salt Lake City and was able to walk away and immediately apply the information she learned about irrigation system design.

“Every bit of information I learned was extremely beneficial,” Farrell said. “Both instructors had very different, but equally effective teaching styles, and taught in a way that was appropriate for all skill levels and professions.”

In addition to irrigation system design, attendees learned about hydraulics, installation techniques, irrigation system scheduling, water management techniques, PVC piping systems layout, and pumps, among other topics.

“Any industry professional should attend these workshops because the content comes straight from the field,” Borneman said. “Our instructors spend time in the field year-round learning about the most important irrigation problems so they are better equipped to train our customers. Attendees’ real-time problems become the central focus at the workshops which enhances the educational value. Each year, we are reevaluating our course topics to tap into new issues.”

The 2007-2008 workshops, which will be conducted in both English and Spanish, will begin this October and support the Irrigation Association’s certification programs. Information for the next round of workshops, including schedules, class descriptions, and registration services, will be available this August at www.ewingeducation.com.

Established in 1922, Ewing Irrigation offers commercial and residential irrigation supplies, landscape and agronomic products, water management solutions, low-voltage lighting, erosion control, water features and industrial plastics to

professionals serving the landscaping, turf, golf, and industrial industries. Ewing offers more than 170 convenient locations from coast to coast.

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