

# Backflow Prevention Assembly Testers Course Billings

October 22 - 27, 2012

## Course Instructors:

**Ray Hedglin** is retired from the city of Bozeman's distribution department where he worked for over 25 years. He's been a part of METC's backflow prevention program since 1993. Ray is an ABPA certified backflow prevention assembly tester.

**Barb Coffman**, METC Interim Director, has been a part of METC's backflow prevention program since 1994. She has been an APBA certified backflow prevention assembly tester since 1997.

## ABPA Certification Program:

The American Backflow Prevention Association's Certification Program, recognized by the state of Montana, assists the administrative authority in assuring that backflow prevention assembly testers are receiving proper training and can demonstrate their understanding of that training in a validated examination process. When a tester successfully completes a written and practical exam ABPA awards a certificate. Testers can present the certificate to employers to demonstrate their understanding of backflow prevention and cross-connection control and the ability to perform a field test of a backflow prevention assembly.



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Water & Wastewater utility operators and managers; plumbers; fire fighting personal, and others interested in backflow testing are invited. This Backflow Testers Course will provides the knowledge and training needed to protect the integrity water systems.

