



June 30, 2025

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RE: Assessment Evaluator I (AEI) Certification Granted

Dear Courtney Spence,

The Mississippi Education and Certification Program (MECP) Advisory Board has approved all Track II applications for advanced certification, including those applying for AEI Certification. On behalf of the Board, I have the privilege of notifying you that you were granted AEI Certification. Congratulations!

According to Section 27-3-52 of the *Mississippi Code* which was adopted by the Legislature in 1980, you may now qualify for a \$2,000 annual financial bonus.

When any tax assessor and/or his deputies or assistants attend and successfully complete all qualifications pursuant to the Mississippi Education and Certification Program and receive the certification level of Track II, Evaluator 1, they shall receive an additional Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) annually beginning the next fiscal year after completion.

The presentation of all Track II applications for advanced certification, including those applying for AE I Certification, will take place at the Mississippi Assessors and Collectors Fall Conference awards luncheon. The date of the fall conference, which will be held in Oxford, MS, is October 27-29, 2025. Please make plans to attend the conference so that you may be recognized at the presentation ceremony.

Please refer to The Red Book (13th Edition) for more information about the benefits associated with this advanced level of certification. The Advisory Board encourages you to continue your education by earning all levels of certification within the MECP. Should you have any questions regarding your status within the Mississippi Education and Certification Program, please feel free to contact me at (662) 325-3141 or e-mail jason.camp@msstate.edu and congratulations again on obtaining your AE I.

Sincerely,

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