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**Hawthorne Cat Announces Level 1 Operator Training**

*Classroom and Stick-Time Training for Entry-Level Equipment Operators*

**San Diego, CA** – Hawthorne Cat, the exclusive Cat® equipment dealer in San Diego and the Pacific Region, announces Level 1 Operator training courses for entry-level equipment operators. Through January 2015, Ron Lyons, Hawthorne Cat Certified Dealer Instructor, will be teaching level one training courses on new and current models of Cat Backhoe Loaders, Skid Steer Loaders, Telehandlers, and Motor Graders.

Courses include classroom and stick-time training. Participants will learn how to safely operate and maintain their equipment. Upon successful completion of the training course, graduates will receive a certificate of completion and a verification card. The certification ensures they meet their safety officer's requirements to work on government jobs and construction projects.

Ron Lyons says, "Knowing how to operate your equipment properly can help boost your productivity and save you money. Participants will learn safety tips, how to conduct complete walkaround inspections, and locate operator controls and identify warning levels." Lyons concludes, "Best of all, class curriculum and schedules can be customized to meet your needs. Don't wait to register. Courses are limited to six participants per session."

For a complete list of courses offered, visit the Hawthorne Cat website. Contact Ron Lyons at 858.674.7047 or [rl Lyons@hawthornecat.com](mailto:rl Lyons@hawthornecat.com) for more information.

**About Hawthorne Cat**

Hawthorne Cat is the authorized dealer for Cat construction and power equipment in San Diego, Hawaii, Guam, Saipan and American Samoa. Hawthorne sells, rents, provides parts and service, training and emission solutions to various industries including general building construction, landscaping, marine, paving and power generation. For more on Hawthorne Cat, visit <http://www.hawthornecat.com>.

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