SALON A

Self-Reporting Violations, Common Pitfalls, and Compliance Assistance Principles

Did you know that you can self-report a violation and potentially receive immunity from civil penalties? This session will cover South Carolina Environmental Audit Privilege and Voluntary Disclosure Act and will include a panel discussion on common violations seen in hazardous waste, air quality and water.

Speakers: Curt Branham (BAQ), Adam Cannon (BOW), Lorria Caswell (BLWM), Rebecca Sproles (EA Admin)

SALON B

Concurrent Sessions 3:35 p.m.

NPDES Industrial Wastewater Permitting and Pre-Treatment

This session will provide an overview of industrial wastewater applications & forms in the ePermitting system. It will also include information on municipal industrial pretreatment industrial user compliance monitoring.

Speaker: Lori Baxley (BOW), Crystal Rippy (BOW)

SALON C

Recycling - South Carolina Smart Business: Recycling Makes Cents

This session will provide an overview of the Smart Business Recycling program - a free, confidential service offered by DHEC's Office of Solid Waste Reduction and Recycling, an explanation on how businesses can get involved, and a review of the 2018 Smart Business award recipients.

Speaker: Kayte Backman (BLWM)

4:15 p.m.

Adjourn

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- ATC Group Services
- Bunnell Lammons Engineering, Inc.
- Civil & Environmental Consultants
- Eastern Technical Associates
- ECS Southeast, LLP
- Edward Jones
- GEL Engineering, LLC
- HERR, Inc.
- HWI Environmental Technologies, Inc.
- LaBella Associates
- Leaf Environmental & Engineering PC
- Novesis, Inc.

- Passarella & Associates, Inc.
- Rogers & Callcott Environmental
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- SCHMELZER Environmental Technologies, Inc.
- Schnabel Engineering
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- Terracon Consultants, Inc.
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	GENERAL SESSION – SALON A
9 a.m.	Opening Remarks Rebecca Sproles
	Welcome & Introduction Myra Reece Director of Environmental Affairs, DHEC
	Keynote Speaker Dr. Rick Toomey Director, DHEC
9:30 a.m.	What "D-HEC" to Expect When an Emergency Occurs: Emergency Response 101
	DHEC's Bureau of Environmental Health Services (BEHS) presents a panel to discuss the importance of proper environmental planning for emergency situations and what an industrial facility should expect when state and local officials respond to an emergency.
	Speakers: Michele Horton (Bridgestone Americas, Inc. Aiken County PSR/LTR Plant), Denise Kwiatek (Pickens County Emergency Management), Paul Lee (BEHS), Charles Owens (BEHS)
10:45 a.m.	BREAK
	Exhibitor Open House
11:15 a.m.	Program Leadership Updates
	Brief updates from the Bureau of Air Quality (BAQ), Bureau of Land & Waste Management (BLWM), and the Bureau of Water (BOW) to include upcoming regulation changes for 2020 as well as a discussion on emerging contaminants.
	Speakers: Rhonda Thompson (BAQ), David Scaturo (BLWM), Mike Marcus (BOW)
12:00 p.m.	Lunch - Networking and Exhibits

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	Asbestos 101
	This session will introduce you to the world of asbestos. Included will be what is asbestos, how do I know if it's in my building, and what to do about it.
	Speaker: Jennifer Boryk (BAQ)
	SALON B
	eDMRs: What to Expect
Concurrent Sessions 1:00 p.m.	Beginning in December 2019, electronic NPDES data, including electronic discharge monitoring reports (eDMRs) will be submitted through our new e-Permitting system. This will session provide an overview of the electronic data submission requirements and a detailed look at the submission website.
	Speaker: Dale Stoudemire (BOW)
	SALON C
	Hazardous Waste Part 1 - Generator Improvement Rule
	This session will provide an overview of the major provisions adopted under the new Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements Rule, to include: generator categories, waste determinations, emergency planning, and container management.
	Speaker: Tom Richmond (BLWM)

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Concurrent Sessions 1:45 p.m.	What's Going on in the World of Air Permitting
	This session will cover topics including updates/revisions to our construction permit application forms, updates to guidance documents, and opportunities to improve applications to decrease the time to get a draft permit.
	Speaker: James Robinson, PE (BAQ)
	SALON B
	Stormwater Industrial Facilities & Activities by Sector Covered Under NPDES General Permit
	This session will provide an overview of the NPDES general permit and how it interacts with other NPDES permits, stormwater permits, and wastewater treatment operations.
	Speaker: Paul Quattlebaum (BOW)
	SALON C
	Hazardous Waste Part 2 - Generator Improvement Rule: Waste Assessments, Testing, & Recording Keeping
	This session will provide an overview of representative sampling, sample analysis plan and record keeping requirements for waste determinations.
	Speaker: Jeff Schrag (BLWM)
2:30 p.m.	BREAK
	Exhibitor Open House
Concurrent Sessions 2:50 p.m.	SALON A
	Public Participation as a Permitting Tool
	We all know that public participation is a regulatory requirement for some permits, but how can it be a useful and effective tool in the permitting process and beyond? Come join this session to learn about practical ways industries can engage with their community before, during, and after the permitting process to prevent costly delays and implement sustainable solutions.
	Speaker: Lawra Boyce (EA Admin)
	SALON B
	Wetlands and Coastal Zone Consistency Review Process
	This session will cover the general requirements for 401 water quality certification and the coastal zone consistency certification. It will also describe how staff members coordinate during the review process and how certifications are issued in compliance with specific regulations regarding the coordination.
	Speakers: Chuck Hightower (BOW), Chris Stout (Office of Ocean & Coastal Resource Management)
	SALON C
	Hazardous Waste Part 3 - Compliance Issues
	This session will address common pitfalls associated with the Hazardous Waste Generator Rule, including episodic generation, waste consolidation, and closure.