

### **Advanced**

## **Air Quality Seminar**

## Science ~ Law ~ Regulations

Toxic Air Pollutants
Important and Timely Developments

1:00-5:00 April 18, 2016

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# World Trade Center Two Portland Oregon

#### 12:30-1:00 Registration & Refreshments

Welcome & Seminar Overview

Holly Duncan, Moderator

**Environmental Law Education Center** 

#### AIR QUALITY: Regulation, Enforcement and Public Health

#### 1:00-1:30 Air Quality Programs in Oregon

- Latest developments on Air Quality in Oregon
- Update on Air Toxics Monitoring & Rulemaking
- Next Steps

#### **Leah Feldon**

Manager, Office of Compliance and Enforcement Office of the Director Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

#### 1:30-2:00 Air Quality Protection in Lane County

- Working with local governments and community groups to achieve Clean Air Act goals and objectives
- "Community partners working together to ensure clean air for everyone."
   How is it done in Lane County?

#### Merlyn Hough, P.E., BCEE

Director

Lane Regional Air Protection Agency

#### 2:00-2:30 Air Quality, Science and Public Health

- Public health's role in environmental issues
- Interpreting environmental sampling data for health significance
- Update on public health's response to Portland air metals emissions

#### David Farrer, PhD

Public Health Toxicologist Oregon Health Authority

#### 2:30-3:00 Questions and Discussion

Speakers and Seminar Participants

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3:00-3:30 ~ BREAK

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#### AIR QUALITY: Technical, Legal & Regulatory Issues

#### 3:30-4:00 Technical Compliance

- What do Air Toxics Regulations mean to businesses and industries?
- Strategies to prepare for upcoming changes

#### Candice Hatch, P.E.

Bridgewater Group

#### 4:00-4:30 Legal Considerations - Scope of State and Federal Authority

- How are toxic air pollutants regulated now in Oregon?
- How does toxic air pollutant regulation in Oregon compare to other states?
- What lies ahead for the regulation of toxic air pollutants in Oregon?

#### **Thomas Wood**

Stoel Rives LLP

#### 4:30-5:00 Questions & Discussion

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