



Iowa Chapter

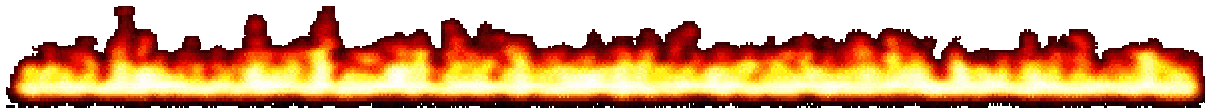
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November 2004

IDNR Rocks the House!

The November meeting held on November 9 at the Amana Holiday Inn featured the annual air workshop. The PowerPoint slides should be up on the chapter website for those who could not attend. Topics covered included: 8 HR Ozone/PM2.5; CAIR, Utility Mercury Rule, BART, NSR Reform, AFO Workgroup, Grain Elevators, Dispersion Modeling Update. Also included were a SPARS update, Enforcement developments, Title V issues, Construction Permitting and small source inventories. Dave Phelps from IDNR and Mick Durham from Stanley Consultants also provided a presentation on a “Kaizen” event aimed at reducing the cycle time for permitting. Such efforts have effectively streamlined some of the processes.

The evening speaker, Art Spratlin, Director, Air, RCRA, and Toxics Division, provided an entertaining update on AWMA and developments in EPA. It looks like CAIR and the Utility Mercury Rule will continue to remain as priorities in 2005. On the AWMA front, he urged companies to take advantage of the AWMA membership that covers a company and a set number of employees. This new membership level has many advantages (go to the AWMA web site for details...awma.org).



...NO meeting in December, but.... **Fire up for January!**

January 11, 2005 AWMA MEETING AGENDA

When	Where	Agenda
TOPIC – AIR QUALITY WORKSHOP		
Tuesday, January 11, 2005	Ox Yoke - Amana, Iowa (Tentative – stay tuned) I-80 at Amana Colonies Exit 225 (See included map on page 4)	5:00 – Social Hour 6:00 – Dinner 7:00 – Homeland Security – Implications for Environmental Management - <i>Spkr</i> TBA

If you intend to come to the dinner, please RSVP to Paul Crosser at pcrosser@bandag.com by Friday, January 7 so that reservations can be made at the Ox Yoke for dinner. The cost is \$15 for AWMA members and \$18 for nonmembers.

SPCC - Sound Off!



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FR 9-20-04 SPCC
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Thanks to Joanne Howard from Deere for the above documents. Note that the EPA is considering a tiered approach proposal for SPCC and another approach for agriculture.

Why is this important?

Our chapter has done a great job of getting the word out on SPCC over the years. With February fast approaching, we need to either tailor the SPCC program to your needs or move on to another topic. It seems pointless to plow over the regulations again, so perhaps we should go back to a technical program that shows you how to make the physical changes needed to comply. ... **OR** we could put on a program around **VOC Measurement**. What do you think? Let John Brimeyer jfbrimeyer@terracon.com or Paul Crosser pcrosser@bandag.com know what you would like to see.

FUTURE MEETINGS

Please don't forget that there will not be an Iowa Chapter meeting in December. This is the time for the holiday break. We will resume regular monthly meetings on January 11, 2005. Please see the Future Meeting Schedule below.

FUTURE MEETING SCHEDULE

DATE	TOPIC	LOCATION
December 2004	HOLIDAY BREAK – No Meeting	-----
January 11, 2005	Homeland Security – Implications for Env. Mgmt.	Amana
February 8, 2005	SPCC or VOC Measurement	Amana
March 8, 2005	State of the Environment – Observations on Key Issues - Professor Jerry Schnoor Climate change Mercury Environmental Performance & the “Bottom Line” Water Quality	Amana

If you have questions for Professor Schnoor, please send them to Paul Crosser or Rick Ney. We will get them to Jerry and he can adapt his presentation to include your questions.

ANNUAL DUES

Thanks to those who have been stepping up on dues payment! The dues are now \$15. Local dues are included in the annual dues for national members.....become a national member today and take advantage of the new company category!

NEWSLETTER SUGGESTIONS

If any of you have suggestions for the Newsletter, please don't hesitate to submit them. In the interest of being informative and getting the best use of this monthly circulation, any good idea will be considered. Any topics or suggestions that will benefit the Chapter should be submitted to: pcrosser@bandag.com

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Please use this form to submit your questions for the March 8 Environmental issues presentation

QUESTIONS FOR PROFESSOR SCHNOOR

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