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Road to 2004 Update: Baltimore Was a Success!

The **AWMA** 2002 International Annual Conference and Exhibition (ACE) was held in Baltimore, Maryland during June Despite the heat and humidity, conference attendees and exhibitors shared positive feedback regarding the timely technical world class guest topics, speakers and general conference structure. Since this conference will be held in Indianapolis in 2004 more than dozen Indiana attendees were asked to "keep their eyes and ears open" for ideas to share with the 2004 Local Host Committee. In addition, several of the Indy Committee Chairs were able attend the transition meeting held each year to download Baltimore planning experiences future to locations San Diego. Indianapolis and Minneapolis were all represented! Copious notes were taken and will be shared with those unable to attend.

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Compliance Testing and Monitoring Workshop Offered in Indianapolis August 22, 2002

The Indiana Chapter offering a full-day workshop on Compliance Testing and Monitoring. The sessions will have speakers from EPA's Office ofAir **Ouality** Planning and Standards (OAPQS), the EPA's Clean Division Air Markets (CAMD), IDEM's Office of Air Quality, testing and consulting representatives, the legal community, industry and academia. The basic elements of stack testing, as well as, the current trends in policy and rulemaking will be covered.

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See inside for agenda and Compliance Testing And Monitoring registration form.

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Design ideas requested! For those of you who haven't had the opportunity to attend AWMA Annual Conference and Exhibitions, each host committee designs a pin to hand out at the immediately preceding meeting (for Indianapolis that means San Diego in 2002) as a reminder for the next year. In the past the pins have included: the AWMA logo dovetailed into a locally recognized item (like a basket ball or race car), the theme of the conference (Indianapolis

hasn't established its theme yet), or some other artistic ideas. Please submit any ideas to Dave Hoffman

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Additional highlights included a baseball game at Camden Yards, tours of the aquarium, and technical tours of a state-of-the-art Portland cement plant and a Harley Davidson manufacturing facility among others.

Opportunities Available!

As the Indiana Local Host Committee moves forward in support the 2004 ACE there are many opportunities for YOUR involvement. Currently co-chair positions are available for media relations, local host booth/golf outing, tours and transportation and monitors/volunteers committees. Please contact either Anne Heighway at heighway anne r@lilly.com or Dave Hoffman at drhoffmand@aolcom for more information on any of these committees. In the future, activities involving the 2004 ACE planning will be available on the AWMA Indiana Chapter websites at inawma.com.

Articles Requested

Do you have an idea for an article that would be of interest to your fellow A&WMA members? Guest contributions are always welcome. Please contact Newsletter Editor Jim Hauck to discuss your idea. (317) 231-7509.

Compliance Testing and Monitoring Workshop offered in Indianapolis August 22, 2002, continued from page 1

Speakers will discuss permit conditions, regulatory program changes, and stack testing method information that every source should know.

Other speakers will share their insights and experiences regarding the "ins and outs" of stack testing. A registration form and agenda are included in this newsletter.

The Chapter hopes to continue offering workshops of this caliber that blend information from the national level and the specifics of activities in Indiana. This workshop will have two concurrent tracks in the afternoon. One track will discuss policy and the second track will discuss technical issues. Regarding national issues, our speaker from the EPA OAPQS, Mr. Peter Westlin, will discuss the work that the Emissions Measurement Branch is doing, including new test methods, policy changes and implementation of monitoring requirements. We will also have Ms. Gabrielle Stevens from EPA's Clean Air Markets Division that is involved with the allowance trading program and NO_x SIP CEM issues. Our speakers from IDEM include Mr. Dave Cline, Mr. Roger Letterman and Ms. Chris Pederson, who will discuss considerations that should be made before stack testing is performed, and rule and policy development regarding compliance monitoring. We will also hear from many experts on testing, logistics, and legal issues. This workshop provides an excellent opportunity to learn how to succeed with a compliance testing and monitoring program.

Compliance Testing and Monitoring: What You Need to Know to Get the Job Done

Thursday, August 22, 2002

Join the Indiana Chapter A&WMA for a reprise of the Crash Course in Stack Testing workshop! In addition to the technical topics related to emissions testing and continuous emissions monitoring, noted subject area experts will offer insights into policy issues surrounding emissions testing and compliance monitoring, including continuous emissions monitoring under cap-and-trade emissions reductions programs.

AGENDA

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast		
8:30 - 8:45 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions Dr. Valerian Simianu, Chair Indiana Chapter, A&WMA		
8:45 - 9:15 a.m.	Testing Conditions in Permits Mr. Kelly Carmichael, NiSource		
9:15 - 9:30 a.m.	Morning Break		
9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Stack Test Prerequisites Mr. Dave Cline, IDEM Office of Air Quality Dr. Robert Jacko, Purdue University		
11:00 – 11:30 a.m.	What to Expect During the Stack Testing Mr. Craig Chrispell, Lone Star Industries		
11:30 – 12:00 Noon	Addressing Potential Non-compliance Issues Mr. S. Andrew Bowman, Bingham-McHale		
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch / Vendor Exhibits available for viewing		

Concurrent Track #1: Technical Aspects of Stack Testing and Emissions Monitoring

1:15 – 2:45 p.m. Technical Aspects of Stack Testing

Mr. Peter Westlin, U.S. EPA OAQPS Mr. David West, Secor International

2:45 – 3:15 p.m. Afternoon Break / Vendor Exhibits available for viewing

3:15 - 4:30 p.m. Technical Update on Stack Testing and Monitoring

Mr. Peter Westlin, U.S. EPA OAQPS
Dr. John Cooper and/or Bruce Johnsen
Cooper Environmental Services

Concurrent Track #2: Policy Updates on Stack Testing and Emissions Monitoring

1:15 – 2:00 p.m. An Update on IDEM's Compliance Monitoring Program

Mr. Roger Letterman, IDEM – OAQ Ms. Chris Pederson, IDEM - OAQ

2:00 – 2:45 p.m. Policy Issues Associated with Testing and Monitoring

Mr. Peter Westlin, U.S. EPA OAQPS

2:45 – 3:15 p.m. Afternoon Break / Vendor Exhibits available for viewing

3:15 - 4:30 p.m. Continuous Emissions Monitoring

Mr. Timothy Zahn, Quality Data Systems, Inc. Ms. Gabrielle Stevens, U.S. EPA CAMD

Indiana Chapter, A&WMA presents

Compliance Testing and Monitoring: What You Need to Know to Get the Job Done

Place: Radisson Hotel, Indianapolis Airport

2500 South High School Road

Indianapolis, IN

Date: August 22, 2002

Registration Fees:

\$100.00 for Chapter members \$125.00 for Chapter non-members

Includes 1-year Chapter Associate Membership!!

\$75.00 for full-time students

Special Exhibit Opportunity:

Exhibit space will be available at the workshop for \$250 per booth.

Contact Ms. Kristen Belcredi, KERAMIDA Environmental, for more information, at (317) 685-6612!

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Specialty Conferences

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Environmental Security After 9-11

August 22-23, 2002 San Francisco, CA

Symposium on Air Quality Measurement Methods and Technology

November 13-15, 2002 San Francisco, CA

Energy and Environmental Implications of Sustainable North American Energy Policies

October 20-22, 2002 Banff, AB Canada

DOE-EPRI-U.S. EPA-A&WMA Combined Power Plant Air Pollutant Control Symposium -The Mega Symposium May 19-22, 2003 Washington, DC

Indoor Air Quality Problems and Engineering Solutions July 21-23, 2003 Research Triangle Park, NC

NSR 2002

A&WMA Fundamentals of New Source Review Workshop September 19-20, 2002 Albuquerque, NM

A&WMA Fundamentals of New Source Review Workshop October 3-4-, 2002 Hartford, CT

For further information on the Specialty Conferences or Workshops, visit the A&WMA's homepage at http://www.awma.org

Overview of the Proposed Reforms to New Source Review

by Jim Hauck, Barnes & Thornburg

Recently, EPA set out the changes it believes should be made to the New Source Review program. While some of the changes EPA suggests were proposed in 1996, no official action has been taken for finalizing any of the previously proposed amendments or formally proposing new changes. All of these proposals will be hotly debated and are likely to change before, and if, they are finalized. Here are brief outlines of some of the significant changes suggested by EPA:

- 1. Plantwide Applicability Limits (PALs)
 - Plantwide cap, valid for 10 years and based on actual emissions baseline (highest consecutive 2-year period of past 10 years)
 - Any change at the plant would be ok if emissions stay under the cap
- 2. Clean Unit Exclusion
 - For units that installed BACT, LAER or comparable since 1990
 - NSR would be triggered only if permitted allowables increase, regardless of actual emissions increases
- 3. Pollution Control and Prevention Projects
 - Exemption would apply if overall net impact is environmentally beneficial, regardless of primary purpose of project
 - Generally follows EPA Pollution Control & Prevention Project policy
 - No exemption if the project would cause a violation of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards
 - Exemption would not apply to complete replacement or reconstruction
- 4. Replacement of the actual-to-potential test in favor of the actual-to-projected-future actual test for applicability of NSR
 - This change was made for utilities in 1992
 - Recognizes that the Clean Air Act is concerned with increases in actual emissions
- 5. Routine Maintenance, Repair and Replacement Exemption
 - EPA would provide "safe harbors" for projects below certain cost thresholds, probably using the NSPS approach, which looks at capitalization guidelines and the IRS "annual asset guideline repair allowance percentages," which range between 1.5% and 15% of basis
 - Cost of pollution control equipment would not be considered for determining if cost threshold exceeded
 - Projects over threshold could still be determined to be routine on a case-by-case basis
 - "Like-kind" replacement would be considered routine
- 6. Non-aggregation
 - Projects would be considered related and aggregated for applicability purposes only if interdependent economically or technically, or there is intentional circumvention of the NSR rules by dividing a project to keep the smaller parts below the applicability thresholds
- 7. Debottlenecking
 - Emissions from upstream and downstream units would be considered only if permitted limit for those units is exceeded or increased

For more details of EPA's proposals, click on the "New Source Review" link on the home page of EPA's website: www.epa.gov

Calendar of Events

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