

# 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Environmental Professionals' Conference

February 26, 2025 Pelham Civic Complex

# AGENDA

8:00 – 8:15 Welcome and Introduction Robert R. Bailey, PG, LaBella Associates (Birmingham) John Milledge, Esq, PG (Birmingham)

# 8:15 – 8:45 Carbon Management Technologies and the National Carbon Capture Center

John Carroll, Southern Company (Birmingham)

# 8:45 – 9:45 Waters of the U.S., Endangered Species, and Wetlands Mitigation Update

Kory Armstrong, CWB, WSP USA (Birmingham) Casey Rigsby, Westervelt Ecological Services (Tuscaloosa) Leslie Turney, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Birmingham) Kate Cosnahan, Terracon Consultants, Moderator (Birmingham)

# BREAK

**10:00 – 10:45** Federal and State Environmental Legal Update Leland P. Frost, Esq, Kazmarek Mowrey Cloud Laseter (Birmingham) Delaney L. Beier, Esq, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings (Birmingham)

10:45 – 11:45 Ethics for Environmental Professionals: Legal, Ethical and Moral Constraints on Business Behavior

Edward F. Loewenstein, PhD, Auburn University College of Foresty, Wildlife, and Environment (Auburn)

#### LUNCH PROVIDED ON-SITE

#### 12:30 – 1:00 Report from the Alabama Environmental Council's New Resilience Center: Mitigating the Impact of Alabama's Extreme Weather Roald Hazelhoff, Alabama Environmental Council (Birmingham)

1:00 – 2:00 State of Alabama Regulatory Update and Report from ADEM

Stephen A. Cobb, PE, CPM, ADEM Land Division (Montgomery) Scott Ramsey, PE, ADEM Industrial Section (Montgomery) Aubrey H. White, PE, ADEM Air Division (Montgomery) Phillip Davis, PE, LaBella Associates, Moderator (Birmingham)

### 2:00 – 2:30 Understanding the New Alabama Brownfield Redevelopment Districts

Douglas A. Bullock, Bullock Environmental (Birmingham)

#### BREAK

**3:00 – 3:30 Environmental Justice: A Practical Perspective** James L. Noles, Jr, Esq, Auburn University College of Foresty, Wildlife, and Environment (Auburn)

#### 3:30 – 4:45 PFAS Sampling: Legal, Technical, and Analytical Issues

Lindsay L. Boone, Pace Analytical (Huntsville) Robert P. Fowler, Esq, Adams and Reese (Birmingham) Joe Patrick, PE, PG, PPM Consultants (Irondale) John Milledge, Esq, PG, Moderator (Birmingham)

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#### VENUE

The **Pelham Civic Complex** (205 - 620 – 6449) is located at 500 Amphitheater Road, Pelham, AL 35124

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