

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

WORKSHOP HIGHLIGHTS

7:30 – 8:00

Registration, continental breakfast, visit exhibits

8:00 – 8:15

Welcome to the Solutions for Compliance workshop

8:15 – 9:45

Session 1 – Pollution Prevention for Vehicle Service Repair

If you operate an auto repair shop or fleet maintenance facility, there are opportunities to save money, conserve resources, reduce emissions, and help meet compliance with environmental rules by making simple changes in your shop practices. This session will show you how.

and

Session 2 – Meet Your Regulators

Do you want to know what your environmental regulators look for and what they see when they are inspecting your facility? Come to this session and find out how your facility is viewed through their eyes.

9:45 – 10:15

Visit exhibits

10:15 – 11:45

Session 3 – Universal Waste and Upcoming Manifest Changes

conditionally-batteries except September 5, standardized generators.

Discussion on universal waste requirements that apply to not only large quantity generators but exempt small quantity generators as well as households. These include fluorescent tubes, all lead acid, thermometers, mercury-containing wastes, electronic wastes, and more. Beginning 2006, manifests as we know them in California will be gone. USEPA is requiring all manifests be for consistency. This will cover the major manifest revisions that will apply to all hazardous waste

and

Session 4 – Stormwater Requirements

Learn about Stormwater Pollution Prevention Planning (SWPPP) for Industrial and Commercial Facilities to address source control Best Management Practices (BMP). Receive general guidance for selecting and implementing Best Management Practices (BMPs) to reduce the discharge of pollutants in runoff from industrial facilities and selected commercial businesses. The emphasis of these programs is to promote preventing pollution at the source, before it can cause environmental problems. Meet the City of Stockton's new Stormwater Program Manager and get an overview of the City's NPDES Stormwater Regulations.

11:45 – 12:00

Visit exhibits, raffle winners posted

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch, student winners, and Keynote Speaker

Be sure to request a Certificate of Completion (at the Registration Table) if you would like one mailed to you following the workshop.

Targeted Opportunities to Prevent Pollution in San Joaquin County (TOPPS) coordinates this information-packed day. TOPPS is a one-of-a-kind organization in the State of California. Representatives from business, government, and civic organizations form TOPPS, whose mission is to inform, educate, and support San Joaquin County business, industry, and agriculture in their efforts to better the environment and improve financial performance by minimizing pollution to our air, water, and land. TOPPS' activities include the following:

- Sponsor of annual Solutions for Compliance--A Pollution Prevention Workshop (since 1994)
- Facilitator of annual Awards of Environmental Excellence in San Joaquin County (since 1994)
- Instituted Good Business Partner Program (since 1999)
- Implemented Proposition 204 Stormwater Control Grant program directed to automotive and restaurant/food-handling businesses
- Participate in special events, such as Stockton Ag Expo, Earth Day, Stormwater Workshops

TOPPS is proud to be the recipient of an Honorable Mention for a 2001 Regional Excellence Award presented by the San Joaquin Council of Governments.



Carrie McNeil

Carrie McNeil, DVM, Deltakeeper, brings both a science and policy background to her advocacy work as the leader of the Central Valley Chapter of Baykeeper. A Phi Beta Kappa biology student at UC San Diego, McNeil first came to Sacramento as a Jesse Unruh Fellow in the California State Assembly. Interested in bringing a scientific perspective to public policy issues, McNeil attended UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine, graduating with an emphasis on ecosystem health. She has served at the Capitol as a consultant to the State Senate Natural Resources and Wildlife Committee, analyzing and developing legislation. After consulting on international environmental lawsuits last year, she recently returned to California as the new Deltakeeper—continuing the program's strong legacy of advocacy, litigation and education.

WHAT IS TOPPS?