



Buffalo Bayou Chapter ACHMM Meeting Notice



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The Buffalo Bayou Chapter of the Academy of Certified Hazardous Materials Managers will hold its next meeting on **May 24th**. The meeting will begin at **6:30 pm** and will be held in the downtown **Spaghetti Warehouse** (901 Commerce Street – 77002). The cost of the meeting and dinner is **\$20.00 for Chapter Members and \$25 for Non-members**. The Chapter is obligated for all reservations. Please RSVP to Tina Bay Johnson by **May 19th**, by responding to this email, or calling Tina at 713 585-7012.

Link to Restaurant Information: [Spaghetti Warehouse](#)

**NEW meeting location!
Bring a friend...**

Speaker: Mark Kosiara
Senior Environmental/Sustainable Development Advisor
Shell International Exploration & Production Inc.

Topic: "Sustainable Development: What is it? Why should you be concerned with it? How has Shell E&P tried to integrate it into its business?"

In 1997, the Shell Group companies made a commitment to contribute to Sustainable Development in their respective companies. Since then, the Exploration & Production business has worked to live up to this commitment. Come to the May CHMM meeting and find out answers to the following questions.

- What is Sustainable Development?
- Why is Sustainable Development important for business?
- How might one try to integrate it into your business?

Mark Kosiara is currently a senior Environmental and Sustainable Development advisor with Shell International Exploration & Production Inc.. He has been with Shell for over 15 years and has held a variety of engineering and advisor roles. Included early in his career were a variety of subsurface engineering positions related to oil and gas field development in coastal Louisiana waters and in the Gulf of Mexico (Petrophysics, Geology, & Geophysics). Mark then made a significant career change and moved into the area of Health, Safety, and Environmental protection. In this capacity he has been an Environmental advisor in Gulf of Mexico operations, the global E&P Sustainable Development advisor, and most recently manages both roles for international projects portion of the E&P business.

Mark holds a Bachelor of Science degree in geological engineering from Michigan Technological University and a Master of Science in Environmental Engineering from Tulane University. He lives in Houston and loves cooking, entertaining family and friends and worldwide travel.

Mark certainly will present an interesting and timely topic. Many companies are striving to integrate the concepts of sustainable development into their business plans.

I hope to see all of you there. As always, non-members are welcome to RSVP and attend. I encourage and challenge each of you to bring a friend,

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