

GeoEnviroLogic Professional Development

3rd Annual Risk Assessment Symposium

SPEAK UP! On Soil Vapour and Other Risk Assessment Challenges

June 6, 2008 in Burnaby BC

- 8:00 Refreshments and Introductions**
- 8:15 Overview of the Day – BC Risk Forum Update (Beth Power)**
- 8:30-11:30 Presentations on Key Issues (including refreshment break)**
- Soil Vapour (Lead: Ian Hers and Reidar Zapf-Gilje)
 - How to navigate the soil vapour guidance including use of risk assessment (Ian Hers and Reidar Zapf-Gilje)
 - Next steps on soil vapour guidance and air concentration criteria (Colm Condon)
 - Ecological Risk Assessment Guidance and Policies (Lead: Beth Power and Gary Lawrence)
 - Recent Developments in Detailed Ecological Risk Assessment (Beth Power and Gary Lawrence)
 - Iron in EcoRA (Lee Nikl)
 - Update on Toxicity Reference Values (Blair McDonald and Patrick Allard)
 - Human Health Risk Assessment Issues (Lead: Ross Wilson, Trish Miller and Megan Roushorne)
 - VPH/LEPH v CCME fractions (Trish Miller)
 - New guidance on drinking water protection (Peggy Evans)
 - Cancer amortization, birth defects and other toxicity issues (Sanya Petrovic)
- 11:30–1:45 Break-out Sessions (including lunch)**
- Three topics to be selected (one from each part above)
 - Join the group of your choice and help develop ideas, solutions and recommendations
- 1:45-3:15 SPEAK-UP! Debate on TOP 3 Topics**
- Build on findings from Break-out session
 - Explore issues, generate solutions and develop recommendations
- 3:15-3:30 Refreshment Break**
- 3:30-4:00 CSAP and SAB Update for Risk Assessors**
- 4:00-5:00 Networking**
- Get to know your PEERS over munchies and cash bar