



**EBC New Hampshire Leadership Program
New Hampshire DES Divisional Leadership**

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AGENDA

9:30 a.m. Welcome: Robert Varney, Chair, EBC New Hampshire Chapter
President, Normandeau Associates, Inc.

Welcome to Eversource Energy: Joe Purington, President of NH Operations

Program Introduction, Overview and What You Will Learn

- Harry Stewart, Program Co-Chair
Senior Associate, Normandeau Associates, Inc.

9:45 a.m. New Hampshire DES Divisional Leadership Presentations

- Thomas O'Donovan, P.E., Director, Water Division
- Michael J. Wimsatt, P.G., Director, Waste Management Division
- Craig A. Wright, Director, Air Resources Division

10:45 a.m. Moderated Discussion with DES Leadership

Moderator: Muriel Robinette, Program Co-Chair, GZA Environmental, Inc.

Panel Members:

- Thomas O'Donovan, P.E., Water Division
- Michael J. Wimsatt, P.G., Waste Management Division
- Craig A. Wright, Air Resources Division

11:30 a.m. Adjourn

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Muriel S. Robinette, P.G. is a Senior Consultant with GZA GeoEnvironmental. She holds a B.S. in Geology from UNH and M.S in Engineering from Washington State University, as well as Ph.D. studies at the University of Idaho in mining engineering. She is a registered geologist in New Hampshire, New York and Maine. Muriel is responsible for technical strategy development and management of projects relating to cost allocation and remediation. She has served as a consultant to many PRP groups and as a testifying expert for numerous cases around the United States.

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Mr. Stewart is a Senior Associate at Normandeau Associates, Inc. where he is responsible for project management, permitting and compliance assistance and strategic consulting for energy, water supply, wastewater permitting and other environmental projects. He previously served for over 30 years with the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, the last 16 as Water Division Director and has also worked for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and as an environmental consultant. Mr. Stewart is a recognized leader regionally and nationally in drinking water and wastewater policy matters and has received regional and national awards for his distinguished career. Harry has an MBA from Northeastern University, an MS in Sanitary Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology and a BS in Civil Engineering from Tufts University and is a registered professional engineer.

SPEAKERS

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With over 33 years of public service, in positions of increasing responsibility, Tom has served as a commissioned officer in the US Army Corps of Engineers with tours worldwide including Afghanistan, a senior manager within the Department of Energy and as a Project Director in the construction industry. In 2018 he helped with Hurricane Marie recovery in Puerto Rico. His career highlights include leadership of the largest hydropower, and most advanced regulatory Districts in the Corps, responsible for major strategic changes at the Bonneville Power Administration, and delivery of a \$4 billion construction project in the Middle East. He is now the Director of the largest Division within DES, responsible for dams, drinking water, groundwater, wastewater, wetlands, and watersheds. His credentials include a Master's in Civil Engineering, registration as a Professional Engineer and certification as Project Management Professional. He is married with two children, and both are engineers.

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Mike has 30 years of experience with the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, including hazardous waste (RCRA) compliance and enforcement, emergency response/incident management, and waste site cleanup and redevelopment. He served as DES's brownfields program manager from 2000-2007, and was appointed Director of the Waste Management Division in 2007. As Director, Mike is responsible for solid and hazardous waste management, petroleum tanks compliance, hazardous materials/emergency response, state and federal waste site cleanup, DES's MTBE remediation program, and administration of the Drinking Water and Groundwater Trust Fund. He earned a B.S. in Chemistry from the State University of New York at Syracuse, and an M.S. in Civil Engineering from the University of New Hampshire.

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Craig A. Wright serves as the Director of the Air Resources Division at the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, a position he has held since September 2013. Craig has worked in the field of air pollution control at the Department for over 30 years. The Air Resources Division regulates air pollution from industrial and electric generating facilities, conducts programs to reduce air emissions from other sources, such as motor vehicles, to ensure that air quality in New Hampshire meets federal Clean Air Act standards. Craig holds a B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering from the University of New Hampshire.

UPCOMING EBC PROGRAMS

FEBRUARY 2020

February 12 – Rhode Island Program: Coastal Resiliency
February 14 – Seventh Annual Offshore Wind Conference
February 21 – Connecticut Dam Management and Removal Program
February 25 – Emerging Contaminants Conference: PFAS Life Cycle
February 28 – Climate Adaptation Forum – Insurance

MARCH 2020

March 4 – Annual “Talking Trash” Conference – Southern New England
March 5 – Site Remediation Program: Professional Life Lessons for the Ascending Professional
March 10 – NH TSCA Program: PCB Cleanup in the Northeast – Case Studies
March 11 – Water Resources Program: MS4 – Year Two and Lessons Learned
March 17 – Energy Resources Program: Update from MassDOER Leadership
March 18 – Dam Management Program: Construction Dewatering
March 19 – Connecticut Program: Contaminated Soils, Now What?
March 24 – Ocean & Coastal Resources: Coastal Construction Conference
March 25 – Infrastructure Program: Electrification of Mass Transit
March 26 – Evening Program: MassDEP Commissioner Martin Suuberg

APRIL 2020

April 3 – Water Resources Program: Challenges from a Changing Climate
April 10 – Annual “Talking Trash” Conference – Northern New England
April 17 – Rhode Island Program: Update from the CRMC Leadership Team
April 24 – Leadership Program with the CT DEEP and U.S. EPA Region One
April 27 – Leadership Program with the RI DEM and U.S. EPA Region One
April 29 – New Hampshire Stormwater Series – Part 2