



**Tuesday September 19, 2017**

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Palms, 2353 Perry Rd. Plainfield Indiana 46168

Register for this event at:

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**Description:**

This one day workshop will lead to a better understanding of environmental risk management for businesses and how to reduce those risks with pollution prevention techniques. Although all medias will be covered, there will be an emphasis on wastewater treatment risks and mitigation. The day will combine lecture with hands on exercises to lead the group towards identification of specific practices they can undertake at their facilities to reduce risk.



**Thomas Vinson** — Thomas is the founder of the Zero Waste Network has worked on projects that have helped companies identify ways to save over \$1.3 million, while reducing nearly seven million tons of waste, three million gallons of water use, over a million kWh of electricity use and other reductions in pollution. He has worked for the University of Texas, the US Environmental Protection Agency and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. He helped develop the Pollution Prevention Planner and over 500 approaches for source reduction. Vinson has completed ISO 14001 lead auditor training.

Currently Thomas is an Instructor for the University of Texas at Arlington, and annually trains over 150 people, and speaks at workshops and trainings throughout the world. Courses on sustainability, environmental management systems, risk management, pollution prevention and lean manufacturing are a few of the topics he uses to help businesses connect environmental performance to their business mission.



**Bruce Taylor** — Bruce is a professional engineer with 27 years of experience in the fields of water conservation, energy efficiency, pollution prevention, Toxics Use Reduction, and treatment process design. He is the founder and President of Enviro-Stewards Inc., an engineering firm and Certified B Corporation that helps clients increase their profits, sustain the environment and compellingly benefit society.

Mr. Taylor has received the highest awards in the field of pollution prevention in both Canada (JDM P2 Visionary Award) and in the USA (MVP2). Enviro-Stewards has been selected as one of the Best Companies for the World and several of its projects have received national sustainability awards. Mr. Taylor's international development work includes earthquake relief in El Salvador, cleaner production training in Laos, and establishing sustainable safe water project social ventures in Africa.

**For more information about the workshop, including registration.**

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