

SPEAKER BIOS AND PRESENTATIONS

Dealing With Dirt ♦ September 23, 2004 ♦ Palmetto Expo Center ♦ Greenville, SC

8:00 REGISTRATION

8:30 WELCOME

Brad Wyche
Upstate Forever
[Bio](#) [Welcome](#)

8:45 KEYNOTE

Ben Dysart
Dysart and Associates
[Bio](#) [Keynote](#) [Background](#)

PLENARY SESSIONS

Perspectives on the Impact and Control of Erosion in the Upstate

9:30 **Erosion and Upstate Soils**

The Geological and Historical Perspective

Bill Ranson
Furman University
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Steve O'Neill
Furman University
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

10:15 BREAK

10:30 **Sediment in Our Streams**

The Environmental Resource Perspective

Jim Lewis
Natural Resources Conservation Service
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Mitch Turner
SJWD Water District
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

11:15 **The Control of Erosion**

The Regulatory Agency Perspective

Dwayne Creel
SC Dept of Health and Env. Control
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Amanda Bauknight
Pickens County SWCD
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Dennis Bauknight
Greenville County District Conservationist
[Bio](#)

12:00 LUNCH

John Sitton
Owner, Pendleton Oil Mill
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Joe Barron
The Fletcher Group
[Bio](#)

1:15 **Minimizing Losses**

The Builder's Perspective

Jeff Randolph
The Randolph Group
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

John Darrohn

Seamon, Whiteside and Associates, Inc.
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

2:00 **Sediment in the City**

The Municipal Management Perspective

Larry Smith
Greenwood County
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Bob Klute
City of Spartanburg
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

2:45 BREAK

CONCURRENT INTERACTIVE SESSIONS

Innovative Strategies for Dealing with Dirt (select one).

Each speaker will be followed by a panel and audience discussion.

3:00 **Dirt in Real Time**

Evaluating and Improving Erosion Control Strategies—in the Field and on the Fly

Speaker:
Jennifer Patterson
Reynolds Plantation, GA
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#) [Additional Info](#)

The Realities of Integration

Developing a Joint City-County Approach to Stormwater and Sediment Management

Speaker:
Steve Gucciardi
City of Charlotte
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

Builders for the Rivers

Changing Local Ordinances to Make Low-Impact Development More Profitable

Speaker:
Ben Dysart
Dysart and Associates
[Bio](#) [Presentation](#)

4:30 CLOSING REMARKS

Jason Van Driesche
Upstate Forever
[Bio](#)

