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## THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 2014

**8:00 – 8:35** REGISTRATION/CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST – “Strawberry Alarm Clock”  
**8:35 – 9:00** OPENING REMARKS – “Talking Heads”  
**Jeff Civins**, Texas Environmental Superconference  
**Michael Nasi**, Environmental and Natural Resources Law Section, State Bar of Texas  
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**MODERATOR:** **Christina Wisdom**, Gardere Wynne Sewell, LLP

**9:00 – 9:30** CASE LAW UPDATE – “Earth, Wind and Fire”  
**Edward Grauman**, Beveridge & Diamond, PC

**9:30 – 10:00** ENVIRONMENTAL FEDERALISM – “Led Zeppelin”  
**David Adelman**, Professor, University of Texas School of Law

**10:00 – 10:30** VIEW FROM THE COMPTROLLER – ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT  
 ISSUES CONFRONTING THE STATE – “The Byrds”  
**Susan Combs**, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts

**10:30 – 10:45** BREAK – Sponsored by Terracon



**MODERATOR:** **Brad Castleberry**, Lloyd, Gosselink, Rochelle & Townsend, P.C.

**10:45 – 12:00** WATER PANEL – “Creedence Clearwater Revival”  
**Paulina Williams**, Baker Botts L.L.P.  
**Sue Snyder**, Vinson & Elkins LLP  
**Lowell Rothschild**, Bracewell & Giuliani LLP  
**Wes Strickland**, Jackson Walker L.L.P.

**12:00 – 1:15** LUNCH – “Red Hot Chili Peppers” – Sponsored by ERM

**MODERATOR:** **Gindi E. Vincent**, Exxon Mobil Corporation

**1:15 – 2:00** JOINT TALK ON WATER ISSUES – “The Beach Boys”  
**Zak Covar**, Commissioner, TCEQ  
**Carlos Rubinstein**, Chairman, Texas Water Development Board

**2:00 – 3:30** AIR QUALITY PANEL – “Aerosmith”  
**Susana Hildebrand**, EFH  
**Mike Barr**, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP  
**Terry Salem**, Staff Attorney, TCEQ  
**Jean M. Flores**, Guida, Slavich & Flores, P.C.  
**Rebecca Rentz**, Winstead PC



**3:30 – 3:45** BREAK – Sponsored by Geosyntec

**MODERATOR:** **Clara Poffenberger**, Bingham McCutchen LLP

**3:45 – 4:15** VIEW FROM THE TCEQ ED – “Big Star”  
**Richard Hyde**, Executive Director, TCEQ

**4:15 – 4:45** VIEW FROM DC – “AC/DC”  
**Avi Garbow**, General Counsel, EPA DC

**4:45 – 5:15** THE PROPERTY ASSESSED CLEAN ENERGY ACT – Innovative financing for sustainable development – “Nirvana”  
**Scott Jarman**, Austin Energy

**5:15 – 6:00** RECEPTION-“ZZ Tapas” – Sponsored by Cirrus Associates, LLC

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 2014

**8:00 – 8:25** CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST – “Pearl Jam”

**8:25 – 8:30** OPENING REMARKS – “Bon Jovi”



**MODERATOR:** **Debra Baker**, Connelly Baker Wotring, LLP

**8:30 – 9:00** SCIENCE AND RULEMAKING – A Toxicological Review of the Ozone NAAQS – “The Spinners”  
**Michael E. Honeycutt**, Ph.D., Director, Toxicology Division, TCEQ

**9:00 – 9:30** LITIGATION AGAINST THE TCEQ – “Dire Straits”  
**Steve Morton**, Moltz, Morton & Glenn, L.L.P.  
**Anthony Grigsby**, Assistant Attorney General, Environmental Protection Division

**9:30 – 10:00** VAPOR INTRUSION/AAI/ASTM STANDARD – “Air Supply”  
**Cindy Bishop**, C Bishop Law PC  
**Robert Ettinger**, Geosyntec

**10:00 – 10:15** BREAK – Sponsored by Pastor, Behling & Wheeler



**MODERATOR:** **Eddie Lewis**, Norton Rose Fulbright LLP

**10:15 – 12:00** OIL & GAS ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES – “Blood, Sweat and Tears”  
 Regulation (30 min)  
**Leslie Savage**, Chief Geologist, Railroad Commission of Texas  
 Litigation (30 min.)  
**Lisa Molofsky**, GSI Environmental, Inc.  
 Transactions (45 min.)  
**Mary Mendoza**, Haynes and Boone, LLP  
**Jim Morriss**, Thompson & Knight  
**Bill Spence**, Environmental Resources Management

**12:00 – 1:15** LUNCH -- “Black Eyed Peas” – Sponsored by CH2M Hill

**1:15 – 1:30** SBOT ENRLS Meeting – “U2”

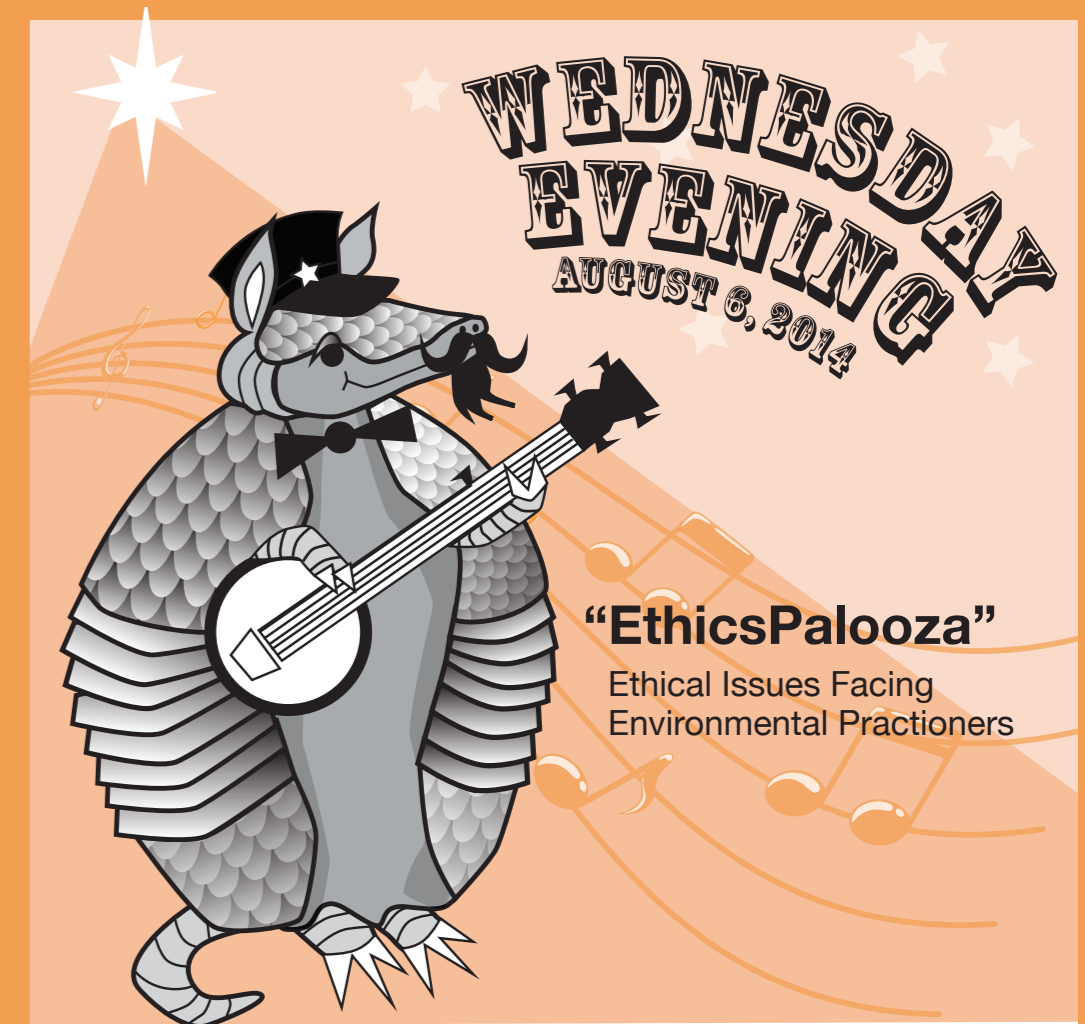


**MODERATOR:** **Peter Gregg**, Fritz, Byrne, Head & Harrison, PLLC

**1:30 – 2:15** JOINT TALK ON EPA/TCEQ RELATIONS – “The Chieftains”  
**Bryan Shaw**, Chairman, TCEQ  
**Ron Curry**, Regional Administrator, EPA Region 6

**2:15 – 3:15** AGENCY-RELATED ETHICS ISSUES – “The Police”  
**Booker Harrison**, Senior Attorney/Air, TCEQ  
**John Moore**, Director of Enforcement, Texas Ethics Commission  
**Whit Swift**, Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP

**3:15** ADJOURN – “The Doors”  
**Sundaes** – “Coldplay” – Sponsored by RPS



**6:00 – 8:00** Moderator: **Daniella Landers**, Sutherland Asbill & Brennan LLP

**SPEAKERS:** **Steve Cook**, Cook- Joyce, Inc.  
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**Tim Wilkins**, Bracewell & Giuliani LLP

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