



INTERNATIONAL RIGHT OF WAY ASSOCIATION

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**Course 600:
Environmental Awareness**

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Course Description:

Become familiar with environmental issues and problems facing companies and agencies acquiring or managing real property and rights of way. Learn various environmental issues and the mitigating measures used to decrease environmental impacts. Gain increased awareness of environmental laws, regulations and associated regulatory agencies.

Basic principles of ecology, history of the environmental movement, a review of federal/state/local environmental legislation, the right of way professional's role in the environmental process, and mitigation of environmental impacts are discussed in this course.

Topics:

- Background on environmental movement environmental history, environmental disasters that lead to litigation and/or regulations, environmental legislation
- Environmental documents, environmental impact statement, environmental assessment, findings of no significant impact, categorical exclusion, record of decision
- Factors ensuring environmental compliance with the *National Environmental Policy Act*, state and local regulations; air, water and land regulations; land use control
- Right of way agent's definitive role in the environmental process, developing environmental "eyes"
- Defining environmental awareness, being part of an environmental process, scoping environmental documents, and project planning

**Course Tuition Includes:
Participant's Manual**

Who Should Take This Course:
This basic environmental course is recommended for private industry, public and regulatory agencies and right of way agents involved in acquiring or managing real property rights of way reclamation, including properties with environmental issues.

Last Name	First Name
Title	
Company Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip	
() -	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Phone	Member
Member ID Number	
Email Address	

If payment includes the fees for registrants other than yourself, check here:
 (Please submit names of other registrants on a separate paper along with this form)
 Will you also be attending? Yes No

Registration Deadlines	Member Tuition	Non-Member Tuition	Total Tuition Amount Due
Before 5/13/2010 :	\$265.00	\$330.00	\$ _____
After 5/13/2010 :	\$290.00	\$355.00	\$ _____

Total Member Registrants: _____
 Total Non-Member Registrants: _____

PRINT NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CARD: _____

Amex MC Visa Card #: _____ Exp: _____ 3-Digit CVV: _____

Signature: _____ Amount to be Charged: _____

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Sponsor: IRWA Chapter 36
Date: June 10, 2010
Time: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
City: Dallas, TX

Class Location:
 HDR
 17111 Preston Road, Suite 300
 Dallas, TX 75248
 Phone: (972) 960-4059

* Parking is available on the north and south sides of the building as well as the rear of the building. The north and rear parking areas are accessible by turning on McCallum off of Preston Road. The south surface parking is only accessible by entering from Preston Road. The garage parking is not available. *

Four Ways to Register:
Online: www.irwaonline.org
Fax: (866) 388-7419
Phone: (310) 538-0233, x138
Contact Coordinator

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Accommodations:
 Participants are responsible for securing their own hotel accommodations for this class.

Course Coordinator:
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**** PLEASE NOTE: Members of Chapter 36 are eligible for a \$50 tuition discount. This option is not available via online registration. To register with this discounted tuition, please contact Nikki Adams at IRWA Headquarters: adams@irwaonline.org ****

About the Facilitator:
W. "Kyle" Ray, P.E.: A native of Beaumont, Texas, Kyle received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from Texas A&M University in 1972. Upon graduation, he began his career with Texas Utilities (TXU) in the engineering department in Dallas, Texas. Kyle has held numerous supervisory and managerial positions at TXU including Project Engineering Manager and Land Minerals & Right of Way Manager and Facilities Manager for TXU Energy Trading. Kyle is a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Texas and a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE). Additionally, Kyle is an approved Texas Real Estate Commission (TREC) Instructor, a veteran IRWA Engineering and Environmental Course Facilitator, International Professional Development Committee Chair and past President of IRWA Chapter 36, the North Texas Chapter. TXU was acquired by Energy Future Holdings Company in November 2007 and reorganized. Kyle is now engaged in Real Estate and Business Development for Luminant Generation Company, LLC.