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## ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, LAND USE, ENERGY AND LITIGATION PROGRAM AGENDA:

### **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2015**

3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

***Registration***

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

***Stormwater, TMDLS and a Little Bit of Wetlands: Changing Rules and Recent Cases***

- **Timothy R. Henderson**, Rich & Henderson PC, Annapolis, MD

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

***Pipelines, Plentiful Natural Gas and Oil in North America, and Its Impact on Energy Prices, Use and Development***

- **Jonathan Schneider**, Stinson, Morrison Hecker, Washington, DC

### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 2015**

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

***Energy-Related Rights, Duties and Liabilities in Condominiums, PUDs, Cooperatives, and other Common Interest Developments***

- **Mary Goodhue Deutsch**, Deutsch & Associates, Escondido, CA

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

***Top Ten Considerations in Technical Evaluation of Health Risks from Contaminated Lands, and Assessing Opportunities for Land Use***

- **Yvette Lowney**, Exponent Inc., Boulder, CO

4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

***Plenary Session - An Ethical Afternoon at the Movies***

- **Larry J. Cohen, Ph.D., J.D.**, Cohen's Counsel, Bethel, VT

6:30 p.m.

***Wine Reception***

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**FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 2015**

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

***Tax Tips for Real Estate Owners, Developers, Tree Huggers, and Other Land Lovers***

- **Jack Sawyer**, Alston & Bird LLP, Atlanta, GA

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

***Making (Some) Sense of Recent Federal Conservation Contribution Rulings and IRS Guidance***

- **Stefan Nagel**, Of Counsel, Law Office of Stephen J. Small, P.C., Newton, MA

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

***Practice Pointers in the Context of Exactions in the Land Use/Development Process***

- **Brian Connolly**, Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti PC, Denver, CO

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

***The Top Ten Land Use Law Decisions of 2014***

- **Dwight Merriam**, Robinson & Cole LLP, Hartford, CT

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**SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 2015**

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

***Due Diligence for the Evaluation and Purchase of Brownfield Sites***

- **Frank Chmelik**, Chmelik Sitkin & Davis PS, Bellingham, WA

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

***Renewable Energy Development, Including on Brownfield Properties***

- **Polly Jessen**, Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell LLP, Denver, CO

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

***Legal Limits of Land Use Control: The Regulatory Taking Doctrine***

- **Gregor I. McGregor**, McGregor & Associates PC, Boston, MA

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

***How Climate Change is Affecting the Law Beyond the Clean Air Act***

- **John Putnam**, Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell LLP, Denver, CO

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**SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 2015**

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

***Plenary Session - The Times They Are A-Changin': Social Media Discovery, The Proper Use of Social Media, and Ethical Considerations***

- **Erin Eiselein**, Davis Graham & Stubbs LLP, Denver, CO

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

**Plenary Session - Cloud-y, with a Chance of Data Leakage**

- Charles Luce, Jr., Moye White LLP, Denver, CO

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