



*Partners For Environmental Progress*

## NOVEMBER 2018 ISSUE • PEP MEMBER NEWS

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**Dear PEP Member,**

Thank you to all who participated, volunteered, sponsored and attended the [18th Annual Industrial Reverse Trade Show](#)! We had a great turnout! The exhibitors were pleased to have an opportunity to outline new bid procedures and the visitors were able to meet with the decision makers. Success! Please make sure you take a look at the [Photo Gallery](#) from the Reverse Trade Show in the article below.

I hope you all enjoyed our Luncheon with Mayor Stimpson on **Friday, November 9**. This was a PEP Member special opportunity to hear first-hand from Mayor Stimpson about many major developments in the City of Mobile.

Mark your calendars for three more events to round out 2018: [November Membership Breakfast](#) on November 15, [December Lunch and Learn](#) on December 4 and a **free Educational Seminar** on December 11, focused on *Employee Intrapreneurs* and featuring many corporate speakers. The seminar is open to the public, so help spread the word!

You can see all the details below and register to attend!

**Best Regards,**

**Jennifer Denson**  
**Executive Director**

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## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

**Last chance to Register!**

# **November Membership Breakfast**

***Thursday, November 15***

***featuring***

**Vince Calametti, Southwest Region Engineer**

**Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT)**

***“I-10 River Bridge and ALDOT Updates”***

***Registration 6:30am***

***Breakfast Meeting 7:00am***

***Heron Lakes Country Club***

***3851 Government Blvd, Mobile, AL 36693***

**Register**

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## **December Lunch and Learn**

***Tuesday, December 4***

***featuring***

**Jeff Marksberry, TVTC**

# *“The Value of Community Safety Councils”*

11:45 am - 1:00 pm

PEP Office

754 Downtowner Loop West, Mobile

[Register](#)

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## PEP Educational Seminar

***Employee Intrapreneurs:***

***Create a Culture of Internal Innovation to Stimulate  
Creativity, Efficiency and New Market Sales***

December 11, 2018

9:00a.m – 11:30a.m.

Thompson Engineering (tentative)

2970 Cottage Hill Rd #190, Mobile, AL 36606

*Employees are one of the best resources for new ideas and improvements within your company.*

*Are you creating a culture that encourages their creativity and supports their ideas?*

*Are you an employee with an idea but not sure how to turn it into a new service or product?*

*If you answer yes to either question, then PEP's upcoming seminar is for you!*

*Speakers from industry and academia and successful local intrapreneurs will share strategies on how to create that culture of creativity and innovation as well as provide tips, tools and lessons learned from their personal experiences.*

**Free and open to the Public. Seating is limited.**

Register in advance with Stacy at [stacy@pepmobile.org](mailto:stacy@pepmobile.org)

[View Agenda](#)

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## Membership Luncheon with Mayor Stimpson

PEP Members enjoyed a special Membership Luncheon with Mayor Sandy Stimpson on November 9, where the Mayor acknowledged PEP's vision for

changing the conversation on environmental issues, and urged leaders to stay engaged. "If the best is yet to come, it really is up to you and your corporate peers. Use your influence to speak to elected officials. We need your voice to continue to

take advantage of the opportunities we have before us in the city of Mobile," said Mayor Stimpson.

Thank you to all who attended our luncheon and special thanks to our generous sponsors!

**Event Sponsor**, Hargrove Engineering. **Corporate Sponsors** included: Wal-Tech Valve Inc., Volkert, Inc., Thompson Engineering, Spire Energy, Southern Earth Sciences, Inc., PPM Consultants, Mitsubishi Polysilicon, Marine and Industrial Supply, JESCO, Hill & Brooks Coffee and Tea Company, Express Employment Professionals, Alabama Power and Aaron Oil Company, Inc.

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## Reverse Trade Show Gallery

See all the photos from the event on the PEP website!



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## Bays + Bayous

Nov. 28 - 29

The Mobile Bay National Estuary Program is pleased to host the [2018 Bays and Bayous Symposium](#) at the Arthur R. Outlaw Convention Center in Mobile, AL. The Symposium is a biennial event held alternately in Mississippi and Alabama to provide an opportunity for the community to learn about the state of our coastal environment.







## U.S. Representative Bradley Byrne on Water Infrastructure

There are very few places in the United States that can boast the sort of diverse infrastructure we have here in Alabama. There are 11 interstates, over 3,000 miles of freight rail, 5 commercial airports, and more than 132,000 miles of rivers and stream channels in our state. [See the Full Article.](#)

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## Mobile Parks System Improvement Plan - Community Survey

The City of Mobile is engaging in a comprehensive parks improvement plan, and your help is needed. They have launched a community-wide survey. The survey asks respondents about their use of the city's parks and recreation facilities and programs, and community needs. It is available in an English version and a Spanish version - the links are below.

Survey - [English version](#)

Survey - [Spanish version](#)

Please share the links with your contacts, colleagues, friends, neighbors, family, etc. in order to gather the greatest feedback from the Mobile community. The links can be posted in e-mails, social media, websites. Should you have any questions, please contact Kina Andrews or Shayla Beaco with the City of Mobile.

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