



*The Superior California Chapter of the
Association of Environmental Professionals Presents:*

CEQA ALTERNATIVES CAN BE YOUR FRIENDS

Thursday, October 30, 2008, 11:30am to 1:00pm

**Presenter: Brian D. Boxer, AICP, Vice President and Senior Division Manager
California Sciences and Planning Division of PBS&J/EIP**

Topic: Brian Boxer will discuss current events in the murky world of CEQA alternatives, answering such piercing questions as: "What have the courts had to say about alternatives recently?", "Is there a way to make those off-site alternatives easier and more relevant?", and "Can an alternatives analysis actually be useful?" And, if time allows, Mr. Boxer will address the nearly metaphysical question: "Is three alternatives really a magic number?" ***This program will be worth 1 AICP-CM credit.***

Speaker Biography: Brian D. Boxer, AICP, is a Vice President of PBS&J and serves as the Senior Division Manager for the California & Southwest Science and Planning division of PBS&J, overseeing a 100-person environmental planning, natural resources management, and community planning practice throughout California, Nevada, and Arizona. Mr. Boxer specializes in the management of planning and environmental studies related to General Plans, Specific Plans, and Redevelopment Plans, and major development projects for educational institutions, private developers, and public agencies. He brings a creative problem-solving approach to his role as a liaison between the various participants in the planning and project development process, including the project sponsors, engineers, attorneys, lead and responsible agencies, and concerned community groups. Mr. Boxer recently served as Project Manager for the Sacramento Railyards Specific Plan EIR, which evaluated the environmental effects of the largest urban infill project in the country. During the early part of this decade, he served as Managing Principal of the Merced County University Community Plan and EIR, and as Program Manager for a series of joint studies for Merced County at the University of California related to the planning and development of UC Merced and the adjacent University Community. Mr. Boxer holds a M.A. in Public Affairs and Urban and Regional Planning from the Woodrow Wilson School of Public Affairs, Princeton University, and a B.A. in History from the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Location: Please Note: The restaurant location has changed. This luncheon seminar will be held at the 4th Street Grille, located at 400 L Street in Sacramento. Phone: (916) 448-2847.

RSVP: Please RSVP online by Thursday, October 24, 2008 by visiting www.superioraep.org/oct302008rsvp.php. Cost is \$20 for AEP members, \$25 for non-members (\$2 discount for pre-paying online). Payment will also be accepted at the door. Please make checks payable to AEP. Contact Jennifer Donovan at jdonovan@rbf.com or Kristie Ehrhardt at kehrhardt@wildlandsinc.com if you have any questions.

Please choose one of the following lunch options:

1. Grilled Wild Salmon Filet with Lemon Chive Beurre Blanc
2. Grilled Free Range Chicken Breast with Mushroom Marsala Cream Sauce
3. Chef's Choice Vegetarian Entrée

Lunch includes an organic baby lettuces salad, sautéed seasonal vegetables, and Chef's selection of starch