

# Colorado Water Congress

## LEGAL ETHICS IN WATER & ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SEMINAR

Tuesday, December 15, 2009

CWC Conference Room  
1580 Logan Street, Suite 700 . Denver, Colorado

**8:15 a.m. REGISTRATION**

**8:30 a.m. Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct:  
Ethical Principles & Obligations  
for Water and Environmental Lawyers**  
*Stephen H. Leonhardt, Attorney & Partner  
Burns, Figa & Will, P.C.*

**9:30 a.m. Attorney Disciplinary Trends**  
*Jamie Sudler, Attorney  
Colorado Supreme Court  
Office of Attorney Regulation*

**10:00 a.m. Break**

**10:15 a.m. Conflicts of Interest in Water Law Practice**  
*Cynthia Covell, Attorney  
Alperstein and Covell, P.C.*

**11:00 a.m. A Panel on Hypothetical Problems**  
*Stephen H. Leonhardt and Cynthia Covell*

**Noon Lunch** (included in registration fee)

**12:30 p.m. Featured Luncheon Speakers:  
Colorado Supreme Court Justices  
Michael Bender and Greg Hobbs**

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- 1:30 p.m.**                    **Ethical Considerations for Attorneys in Case Management**  
*Jim Witwer, Attorney*  
*Trout, Raley, Montano, Witwer & Freeman, P.C.*
- 2:30 p.m.**                    **Attorneys Working with Expert Witnesses**  
*Jennifer Hunt, Attorney*  
*Hill & Robbins, P.C.*
- 3:30 p.m.**                    **Hot Topics and New Case Law in Attorney Ethics**  
*Julie Behrman, Attorney*  
*Burns, Figa & Will, P.C.*
- 4:15 p.m.**                    **Ethical Dilemmas for Non-Governmental Organizations: Stories from the Real World of Environmental Advocacy**  
*Melinda Kassen, Director, Western Water Project*  
*Trout Unlimited*
- 5:00 p.m.**                    **Adjourn Seminar**

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