



**September 14, 2010
Meeting Announcement
Gulf Coast Chapter**

Speaker: **Gindi Eckel Vincent, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP**

Topic: *Uncertain Times -- What to do about EPA's Permit Objections*

Time: **11:00 a.m.** -- Sign-In and Networking
11:30 a.m. -- Lunch with presentation immediately following

Location: **Brady's Landing Restaurant**
8505 Cypress St.
Houston, TX 77012
Located on the Houston Ship Channel
(713) 928-9921

Cost:

Luncheon Costs	PayPal	At door
A&WMA Intl./GCC Members	\$25	\$30
Non-Members	\$35	\$40
Regulators and Full-Time Students	\$20	\$25
Full-Time Environmental Students	Free for 1st 10	

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no later than 12 noon on **Monday, September 13, 2010.**



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About the Speakers and Presentation

Gindi Eckel Vincent is an air attorney with the law firm of Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman. Ms. Vincent advises clients in the energy industry here in Texas and across the country on a variety of air permitting, regulatory, compliance and enforcement issues. She is currently working with clients to resolve uncertainties arising from the highly publicized EPA SIP disapprovals of TCEQ's air permitting rules. In 2010, she was named Houston Outstanding Young Lawyer and Pillsbury's Working Mother of the Year. The focus of her environmental practice includes:

Regulatory – Ms. Vincent has an active regulatory practice, successfully representing clients in the energy industry in front of numerous state and federal agencies on complex permitting and enforcement matters.

Transactional – Ms. Vincent has served as the environmental team leader on a number of multimillion-dollar transactions, handling both the due diligence and contractual process for all environmental aspects of the mergers and acquisitions.

Litigation – Having started her career as a litigator, Ms. Vincent has won several trials and continues to assist in federal and state environmental litigation matters. In 2007, her work includes winning a Title V permit challenge lawsuit in NJ.

Air Regulations Advice – As a member of the firm's Climate Change & Sustainability practice, Ms. Vincent counsels clients on air permits, initiatives and emissions programs.

Directions to Brady's Landing

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From 610, take 225 West to Broadway. Take a right on Broadway and continue north (~ 0.5 miles). Take a right on Cypress and Brady's Landing will be on the left.

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Next Meeting

We are confirming arrangements for our October meeting, and we will circulate an announcement once plans are finalized.

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