

November Section Meeting: Rocky Mountain Crude Oil Market Dynamic: The Producers Perspective

Presently, the United States is importing over 60% of the oil required to meet the country's demand. Recent markets have set all-time-highs for the prices received per barrel. The domestic oil and gas producers have responded to these higher prices with increased emphasis on exploration and exploitation efforts. Although total domestic oil production is on the decline, oil production in the Williston Basin of Montana and North Dakota is increasing. Production has increased to the point where there has been insufficient pipeline capacity to export the production out of the basin. Jim provides the perspective from the producer's point of view.

Jim Brown grew up in a small town on the eastern plains of Wyoming. He began his career in the oil and gas business with Shell Oil Company in Houston, Texas. In addition to Shell, Mr. Brown has held numerous engineering and supervisory positions at American Quasar Petroleum, BP and Whiting working most L48 Basins and Alaska. Jim joined Whiting in 1995 as a consulting engineer, held the position of Vice President, Operations from 2000 until May, 2007 when he was promoted to Senior Vice President. Jim earned a bachelors degree in civil engineering from the University of Wyoming in 1974 and holds an MBA from the University of Denver.

November Section Meeting

Topic: Rocky Mountain Crude Oil Market Dynamic: The Producers Perspective

Speaker: James Brown, Senior Vice President Whiting

Date: Tuesday, November 13th

Time: 6:00 – 7:00 Social
7:00 – 8:00 Dinner
8:00 – 9:00 Presentation

Location: Golden Hotel
800 11th Avenue, Golden

Menu: On the Bayou: Southern Style Fried Chicken, BBQ Pork Ribs, Potato Salad, Fresh Corn on the Cob, Jalapeno Corn Bread and Watermelon

Cost: Members: \$20
(w/RSVP)* Non-Members: \$25
Students & Unemployed: \$10

Please RSVP by **Friday, November 8th** (early RSVPs are greatly appreciated!) indicating your name, phone number, and number of attendees. Please RSVP to Craig Turchi by voicemail at 303-874-8285 or email at rockyaiche@yahoo.com.

*Add \$5 for attending meeting without RSVP

Note: Payment will be requested from no-shows (unless reservation is cancelled by RSVP deadline)

AICHE ROCKY MOUNTAIN SECTION WEBSITE UPGRADED

The Rocky Mountain AIChE section has recently upgraded our website location to be part of the National AIChE website. Check out our new site at www.aiche.org/rockymtn. Any updates or additions can be sent to Laura Moes at lauramoes@msn.com.



NEW MEXICO CORNER

If you'd like to volunteer to speak at a future meeting or if you have any meeting/activity ideas, please let me know! Participation in the Albuquerque area has increased over the last year and I'd like to keep this trend going! Again, a warm "Thank You" to all of the AIChE-NM members for making our little sub-section a great one! See you soon!

Kerrie Greenfelder, New Mexico Liaison

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Coronado, CA

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New Orleans, LA

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Development
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Hancock, MA

Sept 7-11 2008 Ammonia
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San Antonio, TX

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Philadelphia, PA

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MEETING SCHEDULE

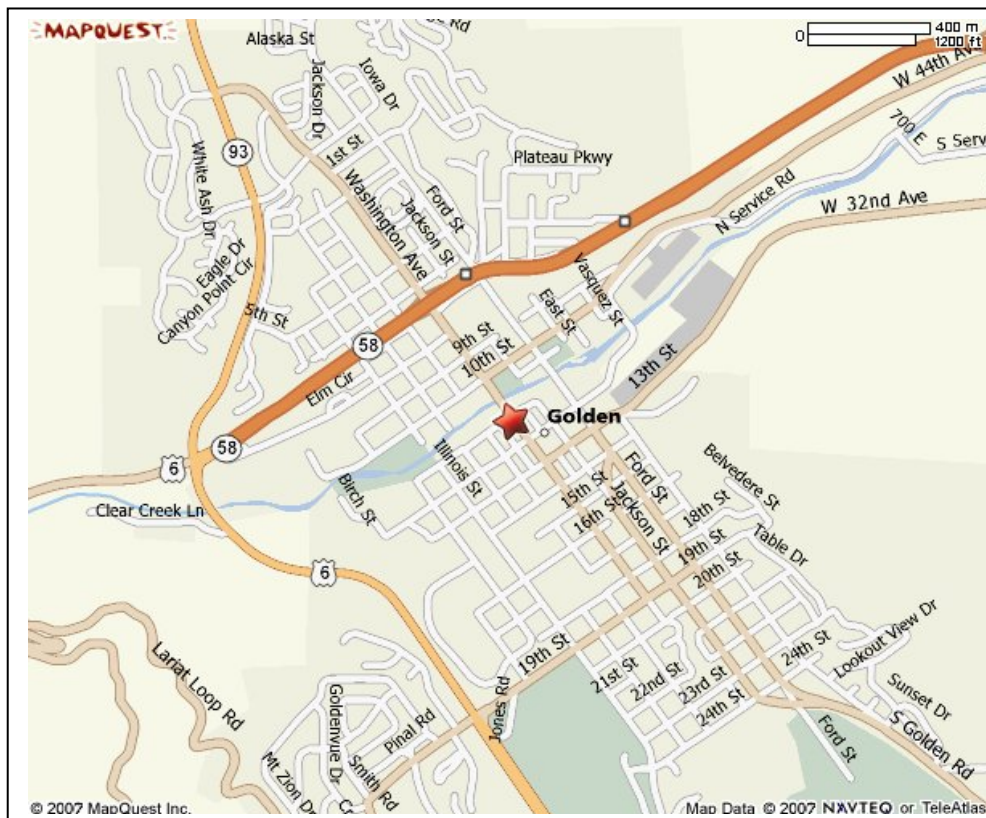
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