

The Washington DC Section of SME proudly presents "DC Water's Clean Rivers Project" Presented by John F. Beesley Program Manager DC Water

Date: Tuesday, February 10, 2015.

Time: Social Hour 11:30 a.m. – Luncheon 12:00 noon.

Location: Clyde's Restaurant (Tyson's Corner) – 8332 Leesburg Pike, Vienna, VA 22182.

**Cost:** Chicken \$23 for members of the Section; \$28 for guests. Choice of chicken Marsala, salmon, or vegetarian ravioli.

**RSVP:** Please reply by email to Lee Bray at Ibray@usgs.gov by February 6 at 3:00 p.m.



## **About the Speaker**

John Beesley has been a member of SME since 1984. Originally from Utah, Beesley graduated from the University of Utah with a degree in Mining Engineering, and has worked in hard rock mining, and in both soft, and hard rock, tunneling. Prior to moving to Northern Virginia in 2009 to build the twin tunnels for the Silver Line just outside our window here, Beesley lived in Las Vegas where he was active in SME. In Nevada, Beesley served in all positions in the local section, and was Chairman of the Southern Nevada Section from 2007 to 2009. He currently works for DC Water as a Program Manager where he has been involved in the construction of six small diameter tunnels, and three larger tunnels with diameters of about 25 feet that vary in length from 3,000 to 25,000 feet. John will discuss the current status of tunneling in the District by DC Water.