



### **Speaker Biographies:**

Workshop: Drivers of Change: Clean(er) Fuel and Vehicle Technologies

Location: Life Stage

#### **Sam Spofforth**

Sam Spofforth has served as Executive Director of Clean Fuels Ohio since the organization's founding in 2002. Under Spofforth's leadership, Clean Fuels Ohio has become the "go to" resource in Ohio for cleaner fuels, vehicles and energy-saving transportation technologies that reduce pollution, increase American energy security and strengthen Ohio's economy. He plays a leadership role in Ohio and nationally in the field of transportation energy deployment. Spofforth was named the U.S. Department of Energy's national Clean Cities Coordinator of the Year in 2007 and Midwest Clean Cities Coordinator of the Year in 2004. He serves on numerous committees including the Ohio Environmental Education Fund Advisory Council and Columbus Mayor Michael Coleman "Green Team." Spofforth holds a Bachelor's degree from Hiram College and a Masters in Public Administration from the University of Pennsylvania.

#### **Erin Russell-Story**

Erin Russell-Story is the regional Clean Cities project manager for the Mid-Atlantic and Great Lakes region and is the point of contact for Clean Cities' coalitions in *Delaware, the District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin*. Her responsibilities include facilitating the efforts of the Clean Cities coalitions to increase the use of alternative fuels and vehicles through the development of public-private partnerships. In addition to traditional project management duties, Russell-Story facilitates technology deployment strategies, evaluates proper alternative fuel technologies, determines resource availability, provides technical assistance, contributes areas of expertise, and supports transportation market transformation activities.

#### **David Mayfield**

David Mayfield is Principal for Sustainable Transportation Strategies, a consulting firm focusing on transportation and land use initiatives that address environmental impacts such as global warming. For the past three years he has been at the center of the State of Oregon's electric vehicle rollout by preparing electric vehicle infrastructure policy recommendations, charging station deployment guidelines, and regional deployment plans. Over the past year he helped site hundreds of charging stations in Western Oregon. David has served on Governor Kulongoski's Transportation Electrification Executive Council and on the technical subcommittee of Oregon's Global Warming Commission.