

## Michael Cozzi to speak at:

### 2007 TAPPA Conference

Hosted by Texas A&M International University (Laredo, TX)

The Texas Association of Physical Plant Administrators represent over 115 Texas educational organizations including junior and community colleges, 4-year colleges, and universities. They are a non-profit organization that promotes common interests, proficiency, and professionalism in college and university Physical Plant operations, which include planning, development, administration and maintenance operations. TAPPA fosters professional ideals, high standards, and strives to better serve the objectives of institutions of higher education.

The 2007 Annual Conference will be held April 22-24, on the campus of Texas A&M International University in Laredo, TX.

On Tuesday April 24, 2007 at 11:00am, Michael Cozzi of Cirro Energy Services will be delivering a presentation on Electric Procurement: Best Practices in a Volatile ERCOT Market.

Mr. Cozzi will present ways that Colleges and Universities in Texas can mitigate the risk of price volatility utilizing best practices including:

- Long-term power supply (over 5-years)
- Block power purchase approach
- Heat rates
- Exposure to market prices
- Balancing

### Conference Schedule

<b>Sunday April 22, 2007</b>	
11:00am-4:00pm	<b>Registration</b> at Embassy Suites
1:00pm	<b>Golf / Skeet</b> at Laredo Country Club
7:00pm	<b>Casino Night</b> at Embassy Suites
<b>Monday April 23, 2007</b>	
7:30am-9:30am	<b>Breakfast Business Meeting</b> at Embassy Suites
9:30am	Trade Show Opens
9:30am	Spouse Tour – Historic/Shopping Tour of Downtown

12:00pm	<b>Lunch</b>
2:00pm-3:15pm	Educational Session 1
3:30pm-4:45pm	Educational Session 2
7:00pm	Vendor Night / <b>Happy Hour</b> at Embassy Suites
<b>Tuesday April 24, 2007</b>	
7:30am-9:30am	<b>Breakfast</b> Business Meeting at Embassy Suites
9:30am-10:45am	Educational Session 3
11:00am-12:15am	<b>Michael Cozzi of Cirro Energy Services</b> presents "Electric Procurement: Best Practices in a Volatile ERCOT Market"
12:00pm	<b>Lunch</b> at Student Center Ballroom
2:00pm-3:15pm	Educational Session 5
3:30pm-4:45pm	Educational Session 6
7:00pm	<b>Mexican Fiesta</b> (Final Dinner)