

## Clifford K. Bell, CPG of GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. Earns LEED Professional Accreditation



MANHATTAN NY AND NORWOOD MA...ISSUED JULY 6, 2009... Clifford K. Bell, CPG, a Senior Project Manager at GZA GeoEnvironmental's New York City regional office, has recently earned Professional Accreditation from the U.S. Green Building Council's (USGBC) Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Green Building Rating System (LEED). LEED is the nationally accepted benchmark for the design, construction and operation of environmentally sustainable buildings.

A resident of Cornwall NY, Bell has been a Senior Project Manager at GZA since January of 2008. He has 24 years of experience in the environmental and construction industry specializing in geothermal technology evaluations and site redevelopment. He is a hydrogeologist with professional experience in bedrock, soil and groundwater investigation and remedial design. He has conducted and supervised contaminated soil and groundwater investigations at RCRA sites, Superfund Sites, government sites and Industrial sites and has managed and conducted oversight for numerous contaminated soil and groundwater remediation projects. He also has significant experience as a land development manager including managing the infrastructure construction of water, sanitary, storm water, and road systems and residential building construction for several large communities.

Bell earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Geology from the State University of New York at Binghamton and a Master of Science degree in Environmental Resource Engineering from the College of Environmental Science and Forestry at Syracuse. He is a member of the American Institute of Professional Geologists.

GZA's areas of expertise in Brownfield Development, Wetlands Delineation, Water and Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy, and Indoor Environmental Quality serve as possible criteria for new construction LEED points. GZA has LEED accredited professionals on their team who can coordinate efforts for specific LEED points for the services they provide on projects.

"Clifford joins a growing number of our team members who are LEED accredited professionals. This important industry designation We congratulate Cliff on earning this important industry designation. He joins our growing number of team members who are LEED accredited professionals," said William R. Beloff, President and CEO of GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. "Many of our clients are looking to green building and we remain committed to finding the appropriate environmental solutions for all of their projects."

### About GZA

Founded in 1964, GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. is a multi-disciplined firm providing environmental consulting, geotechnical and civil engineering, environmental remediation contracting, regulatory compliance, litigation support, air quality, solid waste services, specialty construction, occupational health and safety, and site development services. GZA maintains corporate offices at One Edgewater Drive, Norwood, MA 02062. The firm has more than 550 employees and operates 24 offices, in the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic and Great Lakes Regions of the United States. For additional information, please call William R. Beloff, CEO at 781-278-3801 or visit the company's website at [www.gza.com](http://www.gza.com).