

James T. Hutton, LEP, of GZA GeoEnvironmental Earns LEED Professional Accreditation



BLOOMFIELD CT AND NORWOOD MA...ISSUED MAY 20, 2009... James T. Hutton, Licensed Environmental Professional (LEP) and a Project Manager at GZA GeoEnvironmental's Hartford CT 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 Hartford, Hutton has been a project manager at GZA for two years. He has over 10 years of experience in the environmental field working on a wide range of projects including ground, water, mold, moisture, lead and asbestos investigations. A native of Washington D.C. Hutton earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Geology and Geophysics from the University of Connecticut. He is licensed for asbestos work and as a project designer in the state of Connecticut.

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.

"We congratulate Jim 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 geo-civil engineering, environmental remediation, 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 550 employees and operates 25 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. For additional information on the Providence office please contact John P. Hartley at 401-421-4140.