## **Advanced Eminent Domain and Valuation**

# Agenda

#### I. What You Need to Know NOW!

- 9:00 10:15, Gifford R. Hampshire
- A. Recent Developments/Current Trends in Your Jurisdiction
- B. Federal, State and Local Regulations Update, Rule/Procedure Changes
- C. Post Kelo vs. City of New London Debate: Has the Dust Settled, Yet?
- D. Advanced Application of Case Law to Complex Claims
- II. Appraiser Insights
  - 10:30 12:00, William C. Harvey II
  - A. Investigation Strategies
  - B. Valuation Techniques
  - C. Valuation Tips

## **III.** The Condemnor's Perspective

1:00 - 2:00, Sharon E. Pandak

- A. Proving the Taking is for Public Use, Public Interest and is Necessary
- B. Preparing the Condemnor's Case
- C. The Future of Eminent Domain with Cash-Strapped Governments and Recent Legislation and the Constitutional Amendment
- D. Strategies Used for Saving Time/Money

# IV. Sample Case Study: Practical Application of "Real-World" Litigation Strategies

- 2:00 3:30, Harry (Bud) P. Hart
- A. Advanced Discovery
- B. Negotiation and Settlement
- C. Managing the "Red Tape" Effectively
- D. Advanced Defense Strategies
- E. Voir Dire of Jury in Eminent Domain Cases
- F. Preparing Experts
- G. Cross/Direct Examination of Valuation Experts
- H. Getting Your Comps Into Evidence
- I. Demonstrative Evidence

#### V. Advanced Ethical Issues in Condemnation

3:30 - 4:30, Stephen C. Price

- A. Communication with Government Officials
- B. Communication with Unrepresented Parties
- C. Competence
- D. Candor Toward Tribunal