



**Mt. Diablo Peace & Justice Center**  
*invites you to an informational*

## ***Forum on the BP Oil Disaster*** *with*

**Terry Hazen and James McClain**

**Wednesday, June 23 at 7:00 PM**

**Mt. Diablo Unitarian Universalist Church, 55 Eckley Lane, Walnut Creek, CA 94596**

*Co-sponsored by Green Committee of the Mt. Diablo Unitarian Universalist Church*



**Terry Hazen, Ph.D.**, is Head of the Ecology Department, Center for Environmental Biotechnology, Microbial Communities Department of the Joint BioEnergy Institute, co-director of the Virtual Institute for Microbial Stress and Survival and the Microbial Enhanced Hydrocarbon Recovery Program of the Energy Biosciences Institute at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory. He is a fellow of the American Academy of Microbiology and has authored more than 210 scientific publications.

Dr. Hazen Terry Hazen will discuss when it's best to resort to engineered bioremediation of contaminated sites, and when it's best to rely on natural attenuation. Implications for the Gulf Coast will be considered.

**James McClain** is a Professor of Geophysics and Oceanography in the Department of Geology at the University of California in Davis. He has a PhD in geophysics and Oceanography and did his post-doc at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography. McClain is a seismologist whose primary research interest is the ocean crust. To conduct this research, he places remote-controlled instruments on the sea floor and then analyzes the faint signals they pick up from distant earthquakes and explosions. He has studied mid-ocean ridges, and his deep-sea work has included geophysical surveys to the bottom of the ocean and the use of Remotely Operated Vehicles (ROVs). Dr. McClain and his colleagues have examined the volcanic and hydrothermal processes occurring as the seafloor spreads.



More speakers may be added to the panel before June 23.

***Suggested donation: \$12 General (\$10 members), \$5 Students***

**(No one turned away for lack of funds)**

**Wheel chair accessible**

**Please bring nonperishable food items and/or large size children's disposable diapers for the Monument Crisis Center.**

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