

Biography

Robert E. Fronczak

Association of American Railroads

"Mr. Fronczak is currently Assistant Vice President Environment & Hazardous Materials for the Association of American Railroads in Washington, DC. His responsibilities include the development and coordination of railroad industry environmental policy. He has been involved in several vegetation control issues since joining AAR including the negotiations on the label restrictions for Sulfometuron Methyl (SMM) and the efforts by the State of Wisconsin to place limitations on the use of herbicides. He has also been involved in the re-registration of creosote for crossties and the current efforts by EPA to change how used creosote treated wood is classified which would make burning them for cogeneration no longer cost effective. Before joining AAR, he was a Senior Program Manager with Radian Corporation in Milwaukee, WI. He spent six years with the Milwaukee Road Railroad in Chicago, IL as Director of Environmental Engineering. He has a B.S. in Civil Engineering from Valparaiso, University, and a Masters in Business Administration from DePaul University. He is a registered professional engineer in the State of Illinois.