

# **WILLIAM F. MARKUS**

## **Safety & Fire / Well Control Specialist**



### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

- NHMCC, AAS Paramedic, 1990
- Haz-Mat Certification: Responder Level
- H<sub>2</sub>S Safety Certified
- First Aid and CPR Trained
- OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120, 40-hr Training 1996 & 2000
- OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120, 8-hr Training Refresher Training, 2000
- OSHA 29 CFR 1910.146, Confined Space Training, 1998-2000
- OSHA and DOT Alcohol & Drug testing Training, 1998
- DOT Tank Car & Tank Truck Emergency Response, 1999
- Level "5" Incident Command System Training, 2000
- Risk Assessment Training, 1998
- Industrial Firefighting Training, 1999-2002
- Firefighting Command and Control, 2001
- Tank Car Fires, 2002
- Three Dimensional Fire Training, 2001
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### **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE**

2002 - Present Boots & Coots- Health, Safety and Environmental  
1998 - 2002 Boots & Coots Special Services - Emergency Response Manager  
1994 - 1998 Absolute Safety- Safety and Industrial Hygiene Consultant.  
1990 - 1994 Cypress Creek VFD - Paramedic/ Firefighter

### **HIGHLIGHTS OF WORK EXPERIENCE**

2003 - Safety Coordinator Iraqi oilwell firefighting efforts

Emergency Response Manager - Emergency Response Fire Team.

Project Manager - 18 Acre Three Dimensional Fire: Relieved Houston Fire Department to battle an 18 acre fire at a recycling facility

Project Manager - Plant Explosion and Fire: Relieved Houston Fire Department to battle a chemical plant fire in south Houston, Texas.

Emergency Response Manager - 1 Ton Chlorine Cylinder Destruction - Responded to Angola, Africa on behalf of an American Oil company to recover 25 year old chlorine cylinders left behind by Cuban nationalist.

Emergency Response Safety Manager: Responded and assisted management of Safety and Industrial Hygiene team on a H<sub>2</sub>S well control incident.