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May 14, 2013, Meeting Notice

Date	Location
Tuesday, May 14th	Zio Fraedo's Restaurant 611 Gregory Lane, Pleasant Hill, CA. (925) 933-9091

Cost: \$15 NACE members \$25 non-members
\$10 Students and Retirees

Time: 5:30 PM No host bar • 7:00 PM Dinner • 7:45 PM Program
Please RSVP by **Friday, May 10th** by e-mail to **Dan Day** at danday94@pacbell.net, or by phone at (510) 507-0013.

Directions: Please see "Newsletter Back Page" attachment for map and directions.

Galvanize It!

Presented by Kevin Irving

Marketing Manager, Northern Operations, AZZ Galvanizing Services

Kevin Irving, Marketing Manager of Northern Operations for AZZ Galvanizing Services, is our May 14th speaker. Mr. Irving's presentation will provide a brief overview of iron and steel corrosion problems facing today's society and how zinc coatings, specifically hot-dip galvanizing (HDG), can protect these metals from corrosion. His talk will describe the HDG process, HDG coating characteristics, other zinc coatings, design and fabrication issues, and HDG specifications and inspection. Mr. Irving will address coating HDG, including galvanized surface preparation and the synergistic relationship between applied coatings and HDG. Initial galvanizing cost versus life cycle costs will be discussed. American Galvanizing Association (AGA) resources and services will be offered.

Kevin Irving is the Marketing Manager of Northern Operations for AZZ Galvanizing Services. He was the Vice President and General Manager for AAA Galvanizing until they were acquired by AZZ Galvanizing Services in April of 2008. Kevin is Graduate of Harischfeger Institute in Milwaukee, WI, and is a Dale Carnegie Graduate. He has spent over 20 years in the Hot Dip Galvanizing Industry and has over 25 years of experience in operations management. Mr. Irving is a certified presenter of the American Galvanizing Association (AGA) for the GalvanizeIt and Sustainable Development Seminars.

Kevin is a Former Board Member for the American Galvanizing Association, a Board Member for the Chemical Coaters Association International (CCAI), and Vice Chair of the NACE Committee on Hot Dip Galvanizing, TEG 428X. He has been a speaker at the International Bridge Conference for the last four consecutive years and has spoken at SSPC the last two years. He has given technical presentations at NACE Corrosion 2013, at the 2012 NACE Western Area Conference, and at the 2013 Southeast Bridge Preservation Partnership, TSP.2.

Kevin has been a member of NACE since 2008 and a member of SSPC since 2009.

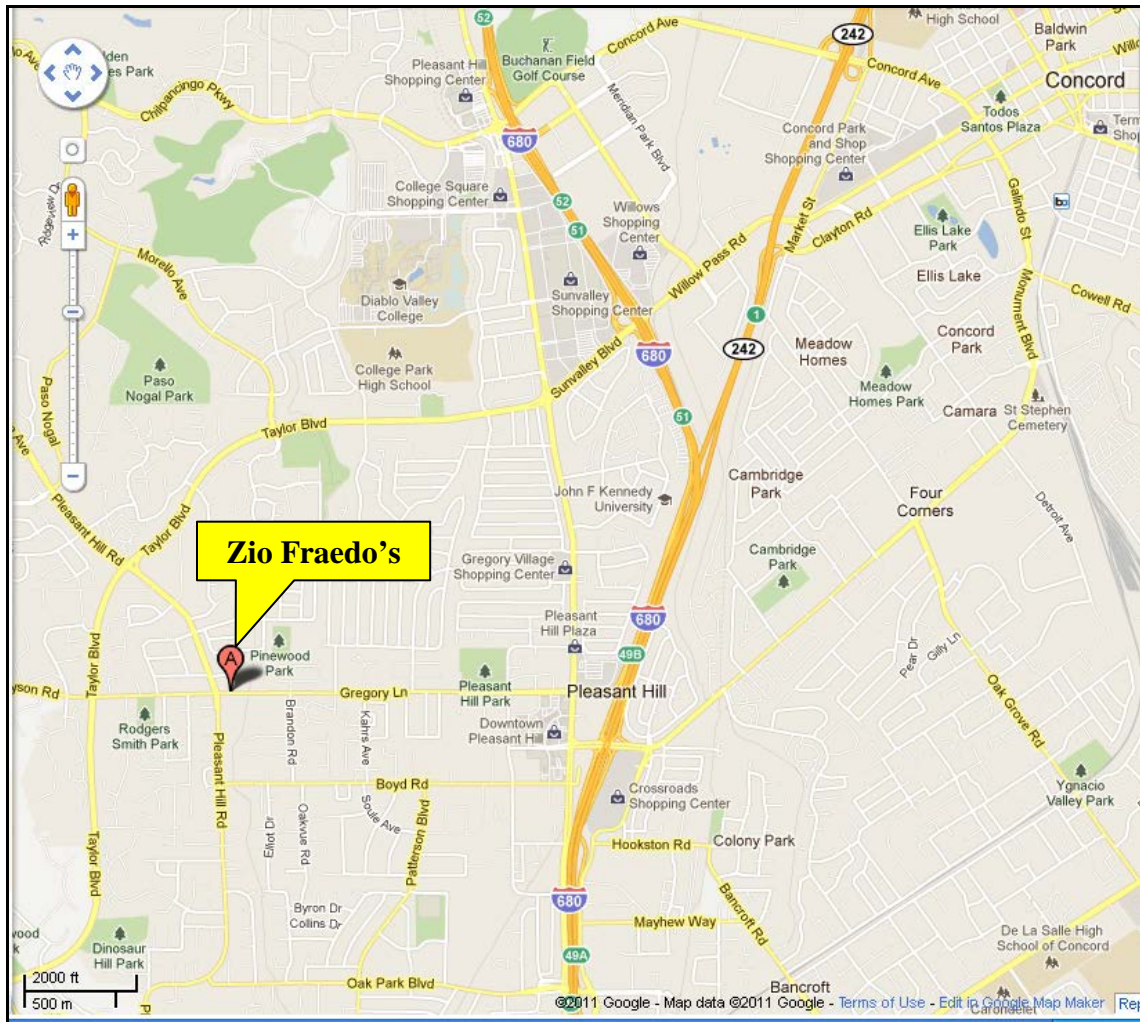


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Directions

- Take I-680 north to Contra Costa Blvd. Exit 49A in Pleasant Hill and drive north. Pass Monument Blvd. then turn left onto Gregory Lane. Pass Brandon Rd. on left in 1 mile. Look for Zio Fraedo's on the right just before Pleasant Hill Rd.
- Take I-680 south, exit at Sun Valley/Willow Pass Rd. Drive west and turn left on Contra Costa Blvd., then right on Gregory Lane. After 1 mile drive past Brandon Rd. on the left; Zio Fraedo's will be on the right before Pleasant Hill Rd. intersection.