

## BLOOMINGTON PEAK OIL TASK FORCE MEMBERS

**Dave Rollo (Chair)** received a Bachelor of Science in Biology at Michigan State University, and a Master's degree in Plant Sciences from Indiana University. Since 1995, Dave has been a Research Associate in the IU Department of Biology, working on a variety of projects in molecular and microbiology. He currently works on a project for bio-solar energy production.

Dave has served on the Bloomington City Council since 2003, where he presided as president in 2007. He has also served on a number of City boards and commissions, including The Environmental Commission and the Sustainability Commission, which he created by resolution in 2005. He co-founded Bloomingpeak (<http://bloomingpeak.org/>), a local peak oil awareness group in 2005 and sponsored legislation recognizing peak oil and creating the Peak Oil Task Force. Since 2003, Dave has given over 50 presentations on the subject of peak oil.

**Peter Bane** is publisher of *Permaculture Activist* magazine ([www.permacultureactivist.net](http://www.permacultureactivist.net)), a Visiting Professor at Paul Smith's College (NY), and has been a consultant to Indiana University on permaculture design and to Slippery Rock University (PA) on curriculum for sustainability. An advisor to the Ecovillage Training Center in Tennessee, he also helped to found and design Earthaven Ecovillage, an intentional community in the North Carolina mountains. Peter holds the Diploma of Permaculture Design from the British Permaculture Academy.

**Gary Charbonneau** is Systems Librarian at Indiana University Libraries in Bloomington and a member of the Libraries' Green Team. He has been "peak oil aware" since the oil shocks of the 1970s.

**Clay Fuqua** is a Professor of Biology at Indiana University, with expertise in microbiology and molecular biology, and significant research interests in environmental microbiology. Professor Fuqua has authored over 70 peer-reviewed research publications, as well as pieces for the wider community. He has served as IU Microbiology Program Director and is currently Associate Chair for Research and Facilities in the Biology Department. Professor Fuqua has resided in Bloomington for over 10 years, over which he has cultivated interests in community environmental issues and Bloomington's resilience in the face of changing resource availability.

**Christine Glaser** is a partner in GreenFire Consulting Group, LLC. She received the equivalent of an M.A. in Economics from Mainz University in Germany and a Ph.D. in Public Affairs from Munich University. For over 20 years, she has worked as a researcher, college teacher, consultant and advocate at the intersection of environmental and economic issues. She has served on various Bloomington boards, commissions and councils, and has given numerous public talks, lectures, and workshops.

**Stephanie Kimball** is a former Professor of Education and is currently a homeschooling mother of two with a vision for healthy, sustainable community life. She works with Earth Care and other local non-profits fighting climate change. Stephanie has organized a number of community events in Bloomington, including two Step It Up events (2007), the Earth Summit (2008) and two Cool Earth Relays (2008 & 2009).

**Jim Silberstein** is an entrepreneur who spends his time on a variety of things. He owns a commercial and residential real estate company with properties in downtown Bloomington. Jim also teaches Business Development at Ivy Tech Community College and works as a Business Advisor for the Indiana Small Business Development Center in Bloomington. Previously, Jim created, owned, operated and sold two well-known food businesses, Tina's Cuisine and the Encore Café, both in Bloomington. He also has served the City of Bloomington as a member of both the Board of Zoning Appeals and the Municipal Facilities Corporation. Within the community, Jim has served as President of the Bloomington Downtown Commission and is in his twelfth year of service as a member of the board of the Wonderlab Museum. Jim has a B.A. in Economics and Business from Macalester College and an M.B.A. in Marketing and Finance from the J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management at Northwestern University.

**Gregory Travis** has been a Monroe County resident for thirty-five years. A previous life as a free-lance writer for various aviation publications, particularly focused on future aviation fuels availability, helped him become aware of the petroleum industry and infrastructure and the phenomenon of "peak oil" -- once a friend who works for Chevron explained that, that was what he meant by "field maturity." In addition to the Bloomington Peak Oil Task Force, Mr. Travis serves on the Monroe County Economic Development Commission, the Monroe County Historic Review Board, the Bloomington Professional Council at Indiana University, and is a board member for Mother Hubbard's Cupboard. He lives with his wife, son, and several animals on a farm just large enough to grow his own food and fuel, should that become necessary.