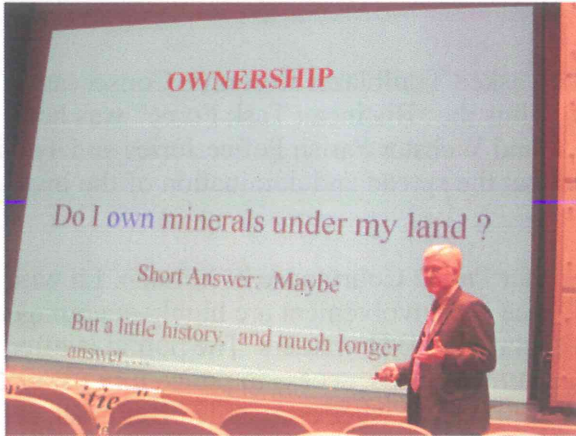


LANDOWNER'S WORKSHOP



Trailblazer Rural Conservation and Development in cooperation with the Bossier Parish Police Jury facilitated a Landowner's workshop on August 29th at the Bossier Parish Community College which was designed to help landowners understand mineral rights and oil and gas leasing considerations. Attorney Paul Spillers was the presenter for this workshop.

Spillers has conducted workshops across the state and helps answer landowner questions



including how to value mineral rights, how to understand mineral rights contract negotiations, the environmental impact and land value impact from extraction of mineral deposits and other mineral rights considerations. Spillers also addresses divided property and forestry issues.

We would like to give special thanks to Paul Spillers for continuing working with us in putting on these workshops! He always does an excellent job and gets great ratings and comments on meeting evaluation surveys taken up at the end of the workshop!

ALSO we would like to give special recognition of **Dr. Rick Bateman, Jr.**, Chancellor of Bossier Parish Community College for allowing the use of the facilities as well as helping set up for this program and **Billy Montgomery**, Bossier Parish Police Jury, for his assistance and involvement!

***Would you like to plan a (special topic) workshop in your community in 2016? Please let us know! Contact Ellzey Simmons @ Ellzey@trailblazer.org.*



From Left: Paul Spillers, Billy Montgomery, Dr. Rick Bateman, Jr.