

DETAILED AGENDA

2005 Northeast Environmental Summit:

Holiday Inn Downtown in Providence, RI

Wednesday, September 28, 2005

8:00 - 9:00	Registration & Continental Breakfast	<i>Foyer</i>
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9:00 - 9:40	OPENING REMARKS & WELCOME	<i>North Rosemoor Ballroom</i>
	Terrence Gray, RI DEM, Assistant Director for Air, Waste, & Compliance	
	Ira Leighton, EPA Region 1-New England, Deputy Regional Administrator	

9:40 - 10:15 **SESSION 1** **OPENING PLENARY** *North Rosemoor Ballroom*

Keynote Address: Will Rapp, CEO, Gardeners Supply Company

10:15 - 10:30 **BREAK & EXHIBITS** *Location: Foyer*

10:30 - 12:00 SESSION 2 CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SESSION 2A The Next Generation of Green Purchasing: Concerns & Strategies

<i>Moderator:</i>	<i>Rob Guillemin, EPA Region 1-NE</i>	<i>Location: Williams Room</i>
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- Greening the Supply Chain Through Toxics in Packaging Legislation
Speaker: Sharon Yergeau, NH DES
- Using Solid Waste Contracts as a Tool to Increase Recycling & Reduce Waste
Speaker: Julia Wolfe, MA DEP
- Purchasing Green Computers with the Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool
Speaker: Eric Friedman, MA EOE

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 2B **Reducing Mercury Releases from Dental Offices**
Moderator: *Sarah Weinstein, MA DEP* *Location: Hartwell Room*

- New Hampshire's Amalgam Separator Self-certification Program
Speaker: Paul Lockwood, NH DES
- Waste Dental Amalgam Management in Massachusetts: Carrots and Sticks?
Speaker: Sarah Weinstein, MA DEP
- Vermont's Dental Amalgam Separator Pilot Project
Speaker: Gary Gulka, VT DEC

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 2C Tools for Measuring Assistance Program Success

Moderator: John Fischer, MA DEP

Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

- Using the Latest Technology in Environmental Results Programs

Speaker: Ron Gagnon, RI DEM

- Workshops & Measurement: Is this Possible?

Speaker: Sara Johnson, NH DES

- Desk Top & Web-Based Tools for Assistance Program Measurement

Speaker: Terri Goldberg, NEWMOA

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

12:00 - 1:30

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Location: South Rosemoor Ballroom

Presentation: Tying the Last Ten Years Together: Tools for Maximum Behavior Change

Speaker: Anne Leiby, EPA Region 1-NE

1:30 - 3:00

SESSION 3 CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SESSION 3A Integration of Various Environmental Assistance Approaches

Moderator: Mary Dever, EPA Region 1-NE

Location: Williams Room

- E2=P2, Add Energy Efficiency to Your P2 Toolkit

Speaker: Peter Crawford, VT SBDC

- Vermont's Business Environmental Partnership: Making Low Hanging Fruit into Pie

Speaker: Chad Cliburn, VT DEC

- Working with Non-Profits & Business Towards Shared Environmental Goals

Speaker: Kim Trella, CT DEP

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 3B Greening the Supply Chain

Moderator: Linda Darveau, EPA Region 1-NE

Location: Hartwell Room

- Introduction to EPA's Greening the Supply Chain Programs

Speaker: Linda Darveau, EPA Region 1-NE

- EMS User Group

Speaker: Patti Carrier, NH BBB

- Successes of the NIST MEP Program

Speaker: Judy Wlodarczyk, ConnSTEP

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 3C Measuring Environmental Performance

Moderator: Alan Bookman, NJ DEP

Location: LaSalle Room

- Measuring Environmental Performance Using the Strategic Goals Program & Promoting Improvements

Speaker: Barry Wenskowicz, NBC

- New Developments in Practical Performance Measurement—Affordable, Feasible Practices You Can Adopt Now

Speaker: Shelley Metzenbaum, ECC

- What Ever Happened to Project XL? The Importance of Evaluation & Analysis

Speaker: George Frantz, EPA Region 1-NE

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 3D Providing States Credit for their ERP Work

Moderator: Sam Silverman, EPA Region 1-NE

Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

Speaker: Steven DeGabriele, MA DEP

Speaker: Caroline Petti, Director, OPPAC, EPA OECA

Speaker: Beth Termini, EPA Region 1-NE

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

3:00 – 3:15 BREAK & EXHIBITS

Location: Foyer

3:15 - 4:45 SESSION 4 CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SESSION 4A Contrasting the Effectiveness of Compliance Assistance, Certification, & Enforcement in Improving Compliance

Moderator: Helen Waldorf, MA DEP

Location: Williams Room

- Indiana's Auto Salvage Project: The Role of Compliance Assistance & Enforcement in Achieving Compliance

Speaker: Rosemary Cantwell, IN DEM

- Hazardous Waste Generator Self-Certification in Colorado

Speaker: Joyce Williams & Kathryn Stewart, CO DPHE

- Compliance Measurement

Speaker: Patrick O'Malley, New England Customs & Border Protection

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 4B Toxics Use Reduction for Trichloroethylene Use Reduction

Moderator: Jan Hutchins, MA TURI

Location: Hartwell Room

- Why Should You Change: Health Hazards of TCE/Chlorinated Solvents
Speaker: Heidi Wilcox, MA TURI
- Want to Know How to Change? Tools to Help You Find an Alternative to TCE/Chlorinated Solvents
Speaker: Jason Marshall, MA TURI
- What Keeps You From Changing? Barriers to TCE Reduction in Massachusetts
Speaker: Rich Bizzozero, MA OTA

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 4C Promoting & Measuring Compliance at Auto Salvage Yards

Moderator: Andy Bray, NEWMOA

Location: LaSalle Room

- Environmental Compliance & Technical Assistance for Auto Salvage Yards in RI
Speaker: Dave Aucoin, Narragansett Bay Commission
- NH Green Yards: Small Resources, Big Results
Speaker: Pam Sprague, NH DES

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 4D Innovations in Environmental Management Systems

Moderator: Tom D'Avanzo, EPA Region 1-NE

Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

- Implementing EMS at the NYS DEC – the Experience So Far
Speaker: Dan DeMicco, NYS DEC
- Promoting Environmental Excellence to New York Businesses
Speaker: John Vana, NYS DEC
- Promoting Municipal Environmental Stewardship
Speaker: Madeline Snow, UML

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

5:00 - 7:00 RECEPTION

Location: South Rosemoor Ballroom

Thursday, September 29, 2005

8:30 – 9:00 Registration & Continental Breakfast

Location: Foyer

9:00 – 10:30 SESSION 5 CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SESSION 5A Emerging Assistance Tools

Moderator: Stephanie D'Agostino, NH DES

Location: Williams Room

- Electronic Social Marketing
Speaker: Peter Cooke, ME DEP
- Integrating Emergency & P2 Planning
Speaker: Rick Reibstein, MA OTA
- Post Inspection Letter
Speaker: Maggie Theroux, EPA Region 1-NE

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 5B Green Chemistry

Moderator: Paul Richard, MA OTA

Location: Hartwell Room

- Green Chemistry
Speaker: John Warner, University of Massachusetts
- Green Chemistry & Forestry Products
Speaker: Dan Coughlin, SAPPI
- New England Green Chemistry Consortium
Speaker: Pam Cive, MA TURI

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 5C Tools for Improving Health Care Management

Moderator: Cynthia Greene, EPA Region 1-NE Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

- Demonstration of Healthcare Waste Management Tools Developed by H2E
Speaker: Mary Dever & Janet Bowen, EPA Region 1-NE
- Pharmaceutical Waste Management – Luring P2 into Compliance
Speaker: Sara Johnson, NH DES
- Region 2's Healthcare Compliance Initiative: Environmental Results from an Integrated Strategy
Speaker: John Gorman, EPA Region 2

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

10:30 – 10:45 BREAK & EXHIBITS

Location: Foyer

10:45 – 12:15 SESSION 6 CONCURRENT SESSIONS

SESSION 6A Reducing Building Hazards for Homeowners & Businesses

Moderator: Sharon Yergeau, NH DES

Location: Williams Room

- Exterior Lead Paint Removal Certification – The Time is Now
Speaker: Tom Armstrong, RI DEM
- Pollution Prevention for Homeowners: A State/Municipal/Business Partnership
Speaker: Paul Lockwood, NH DES
- Vermont's Lamp Recycling Strategies
Speaker: Karen Knaebel, VT DEC

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 6B Government, University, & Business Collaboration for P2 Technologies

Moderator: Lee Dillard Adams, MA DEP

Location: Hartwell Room

- A Regulatory Context for Innovative Solutions to Tough Technical Problems
Speaker: Lee Dillard Adams, MA DEP
- Cedar Bleed – Look for the “Holy Grail”
Speaker: Fred Churchill, Churchill Coatings
- We're From the Government & We're Here to Help You!
Speaker: Paul Richard, MA OTA
- Getting the Color Out
Speaker: Gus Ogunbameru, MA OTA
- Environmentally Benign Manufacturing in Massachusetts: Green Chemistry & Biotech Solutions
Speaker: Justin Whitfield, Univ. of MA Lowell
- How to Find Innovative Technologies
Speaker: Maggie Theroux, EPA Region 1-NE

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

SESSION 6C Pollution Prevention Measurement

Moderator: Tristan Gillespie, EPA Region 2 Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

- Trends Under New Jersey's Pollution Prevention Act

Speaker: Alan Bookman, NJ DEP

- Measuring Toxics Use Reduction Progress & the Effectiveness of Technical Assistance

Speaker: Rick Reibstein, MA OTA

- International Activities & Trends in Environmental Management Accounting

Speaker: Deborah Savage, EMARIC

GENERAL DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

12:15 – 1:30 Lunch & Closing Remarks Location: South Rosemoor Ballroom

1:30 – 3:30 SESSION 7 WORKSHOPS

7A Environmental Management Systems: What Are They? How Do They Promote Environmental Responsibility? A Hands-on Training

Workshop Leader: Madeline Snow, UML

Location: Williams Room

7B Everything You Ever Wanted To Know About Surface Cleaning But Were Afraid to Get Your Hands Dirty!

Workshop Leader: Jason Marshall, TURI

Location: Hartwell Room

7C Brainstorming Better Measures

Workshop Leader: Shelley Metzenbaum, ECC

Location: North Rosemoor Ballroom

7D Implementing Energy & Materials Flow & Cost Tracking

Workshop Leaders: Terri Goldberg, NEWMOA & Rick Reibstein, MA OTA

Location: LaSalle Room