



**2007 Statewide Clean Cities Conference
Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel New Orleans
Wednesday, January 24 – Friday, January 26, 2007**

Wednesday, January 24, 2007

8:00 am – 3:00 pm
Grand Ballroom D

Registration/ Exhibitors' set-up

9:00 am – 11:00 am

New Orleans Disaster Tour (which will include the Holy Cross Neighborhood, Preservation Resource Center, and the Lower Ninth Ward)
Canal Street – Hotard Coaches (in front of hotel)

12:00 pm – 12:30 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Welcome

Paula Ridgeway, Louisiana Department of Natural Resources
Marnie Winter, Jefferson Parish Department of Environmental Affairs
Wynecta Fisher, New Orleans Mayor's Office
Cedric Richmond, Louisiana State Senator

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Louisiana's Clean Cities' Past, Present and Future

Brief updates from coordinators on activities in their coalitions.

Moderator: Harvey Landry, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Vicki Cappel, New Orleans Coordinator
Tammy Morgan, Baton Rouge Coordinator
Wes Wyche, Shreveport Coordinator
Harold Moise, Louisiana's Coordinators' Liaison

1:30 pm – 1:45 pm

BREAK

1:45 pm – 3:45 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Alternative Fuels Overview

Discussion and overview of EPA Act recognized alternative fuels.

Moderator: Bryan Crouch, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Al Ebron and Scott Martin
National Alternative Fuels Training Consortium
West Virginia University

3:45 pm – 4:00 pm

BREAK

4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Grand Ballroom C

The State of Alternative Fuels in the State of Louisiana

Examples of alternative fuels and advanced technologies being used in various applications in the State of Louisiana.

Moderator: Tangular Jones, La. Department of Natural Resources

Biodiesel in Transit – Monroe Transit System

Presenter: Joseph Comerford
Monroe Transit System
Monroe, Louisiana

New Orleans Streetcars before and after Katrina

Presenter: Pat Judge
New Orleans Regional Transit Authority
New Orleans, Louisiana

Alternative Fuels in the Military

Presenter: Gregory Nabors
Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana

Idle Reduction at Truck Stops

Presenter: Carol Doty
IdleAire
Hammond, Louisiana

Compressed Natural Gas in Transit Fleets

Presenter: Karen Denman
Capital Area Transit System
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Biodiesel and Hybrid Electric Transit Buses

Presenter: Gene Eddy
Sportrans
Shreveport, La.

5:45 pm - 8:00 pm

Vehicle Expo

Louis Armstrong Park
Canal Street

Thursday, January 25, 2007

7:30 am – 11:30 am
Grand Ballroom Gallery

Registration

7:30 am – 8:00 am
Grand Ballroom C

Continental Breakfast

8:00 am – 9:30 am
Grand Ballroom C

Heavy Duty Applications

Alternative fuel and advanced technology options for use in the heavy duty vehicle market.

Moderator: Darrell Winters, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Jim Moore, Emission Solutions, Inc.
David Lynch, Cummins Westport
Cinnamon Bednarz, CleanFuel USA
Mike Hennessy, ISE Corporation

9:30 am – 9:45 am

BREAK

9:45 am – 11:30 am
Grand Ballroom C

Biofuels

A look at the market for biofuels in the State of Louisiana.

Moderator: Bryan Crouch, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Fred Henderson – National Biodiesel Board
David Shiflett, World Energy
Luke Theriot, La. Department of Agriculture
Mark Zappi, University of Louisiana-Lafayette

9:45 am – Noon
Bourbon Room

NGV Breakout Session

Roundtable sponsored by the La. Gas Association for open discussion on NGV market and technology.

Invited to Participate: Rich Kolodziej, NGV America
Tom Sewell, TGT
Jimmy Ramsey, Clean Energy Fuels
Cinnamon Bednarz, Cleanfuel USA
Dave Loper, BAF Technologies
Jim Moore, Emission Solutions, Inc.
Al Ebron and Scott Martin, NAFTC

11:30 am – Noon
Grand Ballroom C

Idle Reduction

A look at cabin idle reduction technologies and various applications for the technology.

Moderator: Bryan Crouch, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenter: Carol Doty, IdleAire

12:00 Noon – 1:00 pm
Grand Ballroom D

LUNCH

1:00 pm – 1:30 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Plug-In Hybrids

An overview of the potential market for plug-in hybrids and the effort to get automakers to provide vehicles.

Moderator: Darrell Winters, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenter: Mark Kapner, Austin Energy

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Light Duty Vehicle Line-Up

An overview from automakers of light duty vehicles available for fleets and the general public.

Moderator: Claude Phipps, Entergy Corporation

Presenters: David Burroughs, General Motors
Don Fontenot, La. Division of Administration

2:30 pm – 2:45 pm

BREAK

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Light Duty Vehicle Line-Up (continued)

Presenters: Mike Badeaux, Team Honda
Dave Loper, BAF Technologies

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm
Grand Ballroom C

Alternative Fuel Infrastructure

Information on the various options for alternative fuel infrastructure.

Moderator: Tangular Jones, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Jimmy Ramsey, Clean Energy
Cinnamon Bednarz, CleanFuel USA
Tom Sewell, Tulsa Gas Technologies

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Grand Ballroom D

Reception
Vendor Exhibition Area
Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel

Friday, January 26, 2007

7:30 am – 8:00 am
Grand Ballroom C

Continental Breakfast

8:00 am – 10:15 am
Grand Ballroom C

Show Me the Money

Overview of various programs that are sources for funding for alternative fuel projects.

Moderator: Louis McArthur, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenters: Jeff Nolan, La. Department of Environmental Quality
Jamie Setze, Federal Highway Administration
Wes McQuiddy, Environmental Protection Agency

10:15 am – 10:30 am

BREAK

10:30 am – Noon
Grand Ballroom C

Writing Grants that Get Funded

Moderator: Tangular Jones, La. Department of Natural Resources

Presenter: Bob Bradley, La. State University

Noon

Conference Ends

Noon – 1:30 pm

Greater New Orleans Clean Cities Coalition Meeting Stakeholders

*Presentations will be available on DNR's website next week
(http://dnr.louisiana.gov/sec/execdiv/techasmt/about_us/division_calendar.htm)*