



PUGET SOUND CLEAN CITIES ANNUAL MEETING + BIODIESEL QUALITY WORKSHOP



We are just about one year away from the start date of Washington's Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS). If you are a fuel producer, distributor or retailer, the RFS has implications for your business. Come to this meeting to learn how to be prepared and understand the role you play in maintaining fuel quality throughout the supply chain. The meeting will cover the current status of the biofuels industry, what the State has done to make the RFS successful and where things may go from here. In addition, for those interested in all the latest information on alt fuels and advanced technology vehicles, the event will include a status report on PSCCC's efforts of the past year and future plans. Regional and national experts will be on hand to discuss and answer questions on the following topics.

PSCCC Annual Meeting

- Recent successes and future plans to promote alt fuels and advanced technology vehicles
- Latest technical and regulatory information on alt fuels and advanced technology vehicles

Biodiesel Quality Workshop

- Specifics on the RFS and the State's biofuel quality and labeling program
- How's & why's of maintaining biodiesel quality
- Recent results of the State's testing of biofuels

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 2007 // 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

NORTHWEST ROOMS AT SEATTLE CENTER // ATTENDANCE IS FREE

**THIS EVENT IS PRESENTED BY THE PUGET SOUND CLEAN CITIES COALITION
WITH SUPPORT FROM THE WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
NORTHWEST BIOFUELS ASSOCIATION, NATIONAL BIODIESEL FOUNDATION
AND THE MARYLAND ENERGY ADMINISTRATION.**

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Meeting Agenda

PSCCC Annual Meeting----- 8:30 – 11:30

Welcome **Mark Brady, PSCCC // 8:30 – 8:45**

State and Federal Alt Fuel Activities Update **Panel (see below) // 8:45 – 9:45**

Recent Legislation Recap *Tim Stearns, CTED Senior Energy Policy Specialist*

State Alt Fuel Activities Update *Peter Moulton, CTED Bioenergy Coordinator*

Federal Alt Fuel Activities Update *Ernie Oakes, US Department of Energy*

This panel will quickly bring you up to speed on all the important legislative information on alt fuels and advanced technology vehicles. First, you'll hear a brief summary of important recent legislation as well as a preview of what is likely to be debated in legislatures in the near future. Next, Peter Moulton, the new CTED Bioenergy Coordinator, will speak about current and future state plans and initiatives around alternative fuels and vehicles. Last, but not least, a US Dept. of Energy (DOE) expert will be on hand to talk about the latest DOE activities in this arena.

Coalition Update and Awards..... **Mark Brady, PSCCC // 9:45 – 10:30**

Mark Brady, Director of PSCCC, will give a brief update on Coalition activities of the past year as well as a look ahead to what's coming next year. Mark will also present the annual Coalition awards that are presented to an organization and an individual that have gone above and beyond the call of duty to show real leadership in the realm of alt fuels and advanced technology vehicles.

BREAK **10:30 – 10:45**

Green Fleets Website **Leslie Stanton, PS Clean Air // 10:45 – 11:15**

Regional Green Fleets Initiative **Mark Brady, PSCCC // 11:15 – 11:30**

PSCCC and the Puget Sound Clean Air Agency recently unveiled a green fleets website including a fleet emission calculator. In this session you'll see a demo of the site so that you understand its capabilities and how it can help you reduce your fleet's environmental impact. You'll also hear about future plans for the site and have a chance to provide input on what should be added to the site. Lastly, you'll hear the latest on King County's regional green fleet initiative that was announced at the County's recent Clean Vehicles Now! conference.

Lunch Break **11:30 – 12:30**



Meeting Agenda (cont.)

Biodiesel Quality Workshop ----- 12:30 – 4:30

Welcome **Mark Brady, PSCCC // 12:30 – 12:45**

Biodiesel Quality 101 **Hoon Ge, National Biodiesel Board // 12:45 – 1:15**

An expert from the National Biodiesel Board will be on hand to cover the highlights of what must be done to maintain biodiesel quality throughout the supply chain. This topic is extremely important and timely given Washington's upcoming renewable fuel standard (RFS) and recent legislative requirements for public agency's to use biodiesel in the near future. Hear what you need to know about buying, handling, storing, dispensing and using this fuel and get all your questions answered.

Washington Biodiesel Industry **Nikola Davidson, NWBA // 1:15 – 1:35**

The Director of the regional biofuels trade association will give an update on the status of the industry in Washington. She will also report the latest on in-state biodiesel production and growth of feedstocks as well as future directions for the industry.

Washington's RFS: Summary and Status **Jeff Canaan, WSDA // 1:35 – 1:55**

The Bioenergy Coordinator for the Washington Department of Agriculture (WSDA) will present the latest information on the state's RFS. Currently, the RFS is scheduled to begin Dec. 1, 2008. Learn what the state has been doing to prepare for the RFS, how the state will handle it once it is in effect and possible future plans for the RFS.

State Biofuels Quality and Labeling Program **Rebecca McAferty, WSDA**

Initial Biofuels' Sampling Results **Rebecca McAferty, WSDA // 1:55 – 2:15**

The Biofuels Standards Coordinator from WSDA's Weights and Measures Program will talk about the state's biofuels quality and labeling program. This program is designed to ensure the RFS is implemented seamlessly and clearly for consumers and all other parts of the fuel supply chain. In preparation for the RFS, Weights and Measures has conducted preliminary testing of biofuels quality and blend levels. You'll hear the latest results of these tests and implications for the RFS.

Q&A with first series of speakers..... **2:15 – 2:30**

BREAK **2:30 – 3:00**



Best Practices Breakout Sessions..... various // 3:00 – 3:45

*Two Concurrent Sessions: One for Distributors & Jobbers and one for retailers
Speakers include those listed above and industry representatives from
Laurelhurst Oil, Pacific Fluids, SeaPort Biofuels and Sound Refining*

These two breakout sessions will go into more depth on best practices for maintaining biodiesel quality. Besides the day's previous speakers, the panels will also include industry representatives who have been working with biodiesel for some time and know how to be successful with the fuel. The state's quality and labeling program will be covered in more depth as it applies to each of these sectors. If you are involved in fuel handling, these sessions will help you understand what will soon be expected of you and how to avoid problems. You'll also have a chance to get your questions answered in a smaller, less formal setting.

Recap & Extended Q&A Session..... all speakers // 3:45 – 4:30

This final session will bring the full group back together for a brief recap of the workshop including the highlights of the breakout sessions. There will also be an extended period of time for attendees to ask questions of all of the day's speakers.

Additional Information

Location Details

The meeting will be held in the [Northwest Rooms at Seattle Center](#). See the map on the attached page for details. The Northwest Rooms are roughly in the middle left portion of the map near the corner of Republican St. and 1st Avenue N and just north of Key Arena. The Lopez and Fidalgo rooms will be the rooms for this meeting.

Cost

Attendance is free. Lunch will be on your own. There are numerous options within Seattle Center and nearby in Lower Queen Anne.

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