

2014 Small Business Environmental Training The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Asbestos and Small Business Ombudsman (ASBO)



National Training for EPA's Regional Small Business Liaisons, Small Business Ombudsman and the Small Business Environmental Assistance Programs

Day ONE – MONDAY, JUNE 2, 2014

3:00pm-5:00pm	NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE (NSC) MEETING (OPEN TO ALL NSC MEMBERS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY SBO/SBEAP REPRESENTATIVE, REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND ALTERNATES, SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRS, US EPA REPRESENTATIVES, AND NATIONAL COMPLIANCE ADVISORY PANEL MEMBERS)
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DAY TWO – TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014

8:00am-8:30am	Registration (Coffee provided)
8:30am-9:45am	Welcome and Keynote Address Welcome: Joan Rogers, EPA ASBO and Terry Polen, Chair, NSC Keynote Speaker: David A. Hindin, EPA Senior Policy Director for Innovation & Next Generation Compliance, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance
9:45am-10:00am	Break
10:00am-11:15am	NSC Strategy Session: Building Bridges to 2015 Discuss opportunities to provide support to NSC, EPA HQ, and EPA Regions in order to deliver quality and timely compliance assistance to small businesses.
11:15am-12:15pm	Air Emission Calculations (Panel Discussion) This session will focus on tools and resources developed to assist facilities in calculating air emissions. The panel discussion will include topics such as how facilities are trained on and made aware of the tools; why specific industries and formats were chosen; and how the programs are working with their state permitting agencies to gain widespread acceptance of the tools. Speakers: Emily Ohde, (KY), Julie Churchill (ME), John Yntema (GA), Jenna Latt (CA), Dan Nickey (IA) Moderators: Ryan Hamel (KS) and Jeremy Hancher (PA)
12:15pm-1:30pm	Lunch on your own
1:30pm-2:15pm	E3: Economy, Energy and Environment (Webinar) EPA will cover the E3 framework, partners and resources, EPA sustainability resources and tools, E3 success stories, and how small businesses can benefit from E3 and participate in E3 and other sustainability initiatives. Speakers: Tom Murray, Branch Chief, EPA, Office of Pollution Prevention & Toxics Pollution Prevention Division, and Brian Lagas, NIST/MEP Moderators: Ky Asral (NJ) and Nancy Crickman (PA)
2:15pm-3:00pm	Multi-Media Inspection of Small Quantity Generator Businesses (Webinar) This session is intended to give inspectors who have experience in one medium overview of how to combine into one inspection the regulations and concerns for several media. Speaker: Patrick Hoermann, Program Manager, King County Washington Moderator: Joan Rogers, EPA ASBO
3:00pm-3:15pm	Break

DAY TWO CONTINUED – TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014

3:15pm-4:30pm	<p>Panel Discussion on Partnering and Promoting Services with SBA, SBDC, NPPR, NFIB</p> <p>This session will explore ways to maximize our resources to support small businesses dealing with environmental compliance concerns through partnership, communication, and technical assistance.</p> <p>Speakers: Carroll Thomas, Associate Administrator, Small Business Administration; Christian Conroy, State Director, Small Business Development Center; Jeff Burke, Executive Director, National Pollution Prevention Roundtable; Dan Bosch, Manager, Regulatory Policy, National Federation of Independent Businesses; and Kevin Bromberg, Assistant Chief Counsel for Environmental Policy, Small Business Administration.</p> <p>Moderator: Erin Conley (Illinois)</p>
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DAY THREE – WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 2014

8:00am-8:30am	Registration (Coffee provided)
8:30am-9:00am	<p>State Reception Activity</p> <p>NSC Tradition: Bring wrapped items that represent your state to share.</p> <p>Moderator: Joan Rogers, ASBO</p>
9:00am-10:00am	<p>Grant Opportunities and EPA's Grant Evaluation Criteria (Webinar)</p> <p>This session will explore various grant opportunities, which can help achieve the environmental protection goals of Small Business Environmental Assistance Programs and participants will learn about EPA's evaluation criteria for Pollution Prevention grant applications.</p> <p>Speakers Michele Amhaz, EPA Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention Pollution Prevention Division and Ky Asral, NJ Department of Environmental Protection</p> <p>Moderator: Ky Asral (NJ)</p>
10:00am-10:15am	Break
10:15am-11:15am	<p>National Trade Association Panel (Panel Discussion)</p> <p>This session will provide an opportunity for small business trade association representatives to speak on their support of small businesses in their industries and discuss how the formation of a partnership with the SBEAPs could benefit the small business community.</p> <p>Speakers: Mary Scalco, Dry Cleaning & Laundry Institute; Dennis Findley, Chief Executive Officer, Southeastern Cotton Ginners Assoc., Inc.; and Tyrone Wilson, Portland Cement</p> <p>Moderator: Tony Pendola (NC)</p>
11:15am-12:15pm	<p>Non-Perc Dry Cleaning Technology and Future Industry Trends (Webinar)</p> <p>Provide descriptions of the most common alternative solvent technologies, cleaning effectiveness, operating and equipment costs, hazardous waste and water discharge concerns, and discuss the future of perc in the dry cleaning industry.</p> <p>Speaker: Mary Scalco, CEO, Dry Cleaning & Laundry Institute</p> <p>Moderator: Rick Carleski (OH)</p>
12:15pm-1:30pm	Lunch on your own
1:30pm-4:00pm	<p>NSC Strategic Planning for Compliance Assistance</p> <p>Review the 2013 Chicago Strategy and highlight our accomplishments, determine the priorities for 2014 Washington DC Strategy, and final closing statements.</p>