



### March 21 – Electric Vehicle Work Group

Please join us for a special meeting of the NJ Electric Vehicle Work Group. One of the frequent concerns expressed regarding the quick deployment and public acceptance of Electric Vehicles has been with the permitting process. Those concerns have revolved around potential delays in the permitting process, and with inconsistent interpretation of the requirements. To that end, NJDCA has prepared a guidance document explaining the permitting requirements and the process as related to EVSE. Mr. John Terry, Manager of Construction Code Enforcement at the NJDCA, has graciously agreed to present and discuss that guidance.

The meeting will start at 10:00 in the auditorium of the Center for Advanced Infrastructure and Transportation (CAIT) on the Busch Campus of Rutgers University. Directions are attached, and parking permits will be distributed at the start of the meeting. Please allow yourself extra time upon arrival to pick up your pass.

**March 29 - The Business Case for CNG.** Compressed Natural Gas workshop held in partnership with the Atlantic County Utilities Authority, Clean Energy, and South Jersey Gas at the Atlantic County Utilities Authority, 6700 Delilah Road, Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08234, Recycling Center Conference Room, 8:30 to 12:00. As you may know, with the assistance of funding provided by a DOE grant through the NJ Clean Cities Coalition, the ACUA recently opened a fast-fill public CNG fueling station at its facility.

**April 6 -8 - NJ TransAction Conference.** The 35th Annual New Jersey State Transportation Conference & Expo – “TransAction 2011” will be held at the Tropicana Hotel in Atlantic City, NJ. Each year, more than 1,000 people (from more than 22 states and Canada) attend this Conference & Expo. I will be speaking on two panels about the activities and initiatives of the NJ Clean Cities Coalition as well as making the case for alternative fuels in transportation in NJ. These panels are on April 6 and 7. NOTE THE USE OF **CNG POWERED SHUTTLE BUSES** PROVIDED BY THE ATLANTIC CITY JITNEY ASSOCIATION, thanks in part to the DOE grant through the NJ Clean Cities Coalition!

Many more events representing a variety of alternative fuel and petroleum displacement techniques are in the planning stages. These will include biodiesel, idle reduction, propane, electric vehicles, natural gas, advanced technologies, emission reductions and more. Please join our efforts!

### Recent Activities

I just returned from representing the NJ Clean Cities Coalition at two wonderful events. During the week of March 1, I participated in the annual **Energy Independence Days** event in Washington, DC. This event, coordinated by the national non-profit Transportation Energy Partners and supported by industry sponsors, provides a forum for Clean Cities Coordinators from across the country to interact with, educate, and learn from members of Congress and their staff, as well as senior representatives of a variety of Federal agencies. At this time of uncertainty and change in Washington, it is critical that the case for alternative transportation fuels be well understood.

During the week of March 6, I participated in the **Green Truck Summit and Work Truck Show**, which is an annual event sponsored by the National Truck Equipment Association. The 47th Annual NTEA event attracted more than 10,000 people (an NTEA record) and featured 550 exhibitors, and 40 educational sessions for owners, managers and employees from truck equipment suppliers, upfitters, fleet managers and truck purchasers. I was pleased to have the opportunity to speak on one of the panels about the NJCCC and the great progress being accomplished in bringing alternative fuels to NJ. It was truly amazing to see how the truck industry has embraced, and brought to the mainstream, alternative fuels, fuel efficiency and petroleum reduction technologies, at all levels and aspects of the process.

Please contact me with any questions or suggestions! [chuck.feinberg@gmail.com](mailto:chuck.feinberg@gmail.com)

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