

AGENDA

Northeast Ohio's Air Quality Challenge

Tuesday, March 22, 2005
Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency
1299 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114

A public information and planning workshop on how to meet the challenges of attaining the National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Ozone and Fine Particulate Matter in Northeast Ohio.

- 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast and Registration**
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome**
Howard R. Maier, FAICP, Executive Director, NOACA
Robert C. Klaiber, Jr., P.E., P.S., Cuyahoga County Engineer and NOACA Governing Board President
- 9:10 a.m. NOACA Air Quality Planning Initiative**
John Beeker, Ph.D., Director of Environmental Planning, NOACA
- 9:20 a.m. The State Implementation Plan and its Process**
Bill Spires, Mgr., State Implementation Plan Section, Division of Air Pollution Control, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
- 9:50 a.m. Question and Answer Session**
- 10:00 a.m. Break**
- 10:10 a.m. The Potential Role of Electric Generating Units (EGUs)**
Fred J. Starheim, Ph.D., Mgr., Environmental Permitting & Compliance, First Energy Corporation
Raymond Evans, Mgr., Environmental Monitoring & Reporting, First Energy Corporation
- 10:30 a.m. The Potential Role of Clean Fuels**
Robert L. Leidich, Mgr., Regulatory & Advocacy Group, BP Products North America Inc.
- 10:50 a.m. Question and Answer Session**
- 11:15 a.m. Health Risks of Local Air Pollution**
Dr. Alfred A. Rimm, Ph.D., Professor, Case Western Reserve University, Division of Biostatistics
- 11:30 a.m. Question and Answer Session**

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12:00 noon Lunch (provided)

12:30 p.m. Creative Solutions For Better Air Quality Panel Discussion

The Potential Role of Transit

Joseph A. Calabrese, CEO, General Manager and Secretary-Treasurer,
Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority

The Potential in Land Use Planning

Gene Krebs, State Director, Greater Ohio

Smart Diesel

Tom Chuna, Vice President Sales, Diesel Fleet Division, BND Automotive

Alternative Fuels

Sam Spofforth, Executive Director, Central Ohio Clean Fuels Coalition

1:30 p.m. Question and Answer Session

**2:00 p.m. Next Steps for NOACA's Public Involvement Process
Discussion**

2:30 p.m. Adjourn