

# CleanTech|WEST



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## WORKSHOP AGENDA

8:30 Registration

FEBRUARY 28, 2019  
CIVIC CENTRE  
CORNER BROOK, NL

## RENEWABLE ENERGY

### 9:00 Renewable Energy Growth in Newfoundland and Labrador

*Kieran Hanley, Executive Director*

Newfoundland and Labrador Environmental Industry Association (NEIA)

In 2018 the Provincial Government committed to developing a new renewable energy plan for Newfoundland and Labrador. Though 2018-19, NEIA has engaged its membership to establish the association's positions for this engagement. Kieran Hanley will highlight NEIA's renewable energy priorities as they relate to large-scale energy development, small scale production, asset electrification, and more.

### 9:15 Emerging Energy Research at the Environmental Policy Institute (EPI)

*Dr. Garrett Richards*

Grenfell Campus, Memorial University

Dr. Garrett Richards will introduce EPI's past and current energy-related research (i.e. master's student projects). He will then discuss the potential for energy to become a priority research area for EPI through his own emerging research program on a) the perceived roles of "experts" in public energy debates and b) researcher-stakeholder partnerships around energy. The latter, especially, includes opportunities for potential collaboration with industry partners.

### 9:45 Pursuing Marine Renewable Energy in Newfoundland and Labrador

Growler Energy

10:15 Break

## FORESTRY

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10:30 **NL's Forestry Sector Workplan – A Driver for NL Green Economic Growth**

*Bill Dawson*, Executive Director

Newfoundland and Labrador Forestry Industry Association (NLFIA)

On January 28, the Provincial Government and forestry industry partners (led by the Newfoundland and Labrador Forestry Industry Association – NLFIA) release its roadmap of 32 actions intended to strengthen and diversify the industry. This presentation will summarize the recommendations within the workplan that relate to clean technology, environment, and/or climate change – of which there are many.

11:00 **Clean Tech Opportunities in the Forest Sector; A Canadian Perspective**

*Adam Anderson*, President & CEO

Resource Innovations Inc.

A summary of clean technology opportunities on the horizon within the forest sector in Canada and how they may relate to the forest resources and industry in Newfoundland and Labrador – from the perspective of a Corner Brook based firm that is working nation-wide.

11:30 Break

## WASTE MANAGEMENT

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11:45 **Potential Natural Resource Waste Utilization within Agricultural Production Systems**

*Sabrina Ellsworth*, Manager, Agricultural Research

Agriculture and Land Branch

Government of Newfoundland and Labrador

11:55 **Extracting Value from Industrial Waste Streams – Industry Trends and NL Opportunity**

*Ben Wiper, President & CEO*

3F Waste Recovery

An informative presentation on the trends and business opportunities in industrial waste diversion, recovery and full utilization. Topics of discussion include the impact of evolving environmental policy, key partners and agencies for expertise and funding and the most relevant applications in cosmetic, nutraceutical and pharmaceutical industries. The presentation concludes how 3F Waste Recovery plans to leverage these factors to turn waste streams in the the fishing, farming and forestry sectors into high value products.

12:20 **A Vision for Organic Waste Collection in the Western Region**

R&D Diversions

A new company out of Corner Brook is in the beginning stages of composting pilot project with a number of key partners in the region. Hear about why R&D Diversions is taking on this project, where they are with it, and what their vision is for organic waste in the Western region of the province.

*12:45 Networking Lunch*

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