



18.05.2010

Welcome to the NEIA Voice, our new eNewsletter introduced to continue to improve our communication and extend our reach with our members, partners, and the general public.

Let's Talk Exports 2010

Seats filling up fast!

Seats are filling up fast for the 2010 Let's Talk Exports luncheon in St. John's on May 25. Hurry and reserve your place today! Don't miss out on EDC's Vice President and Chief Economist [Peter Hall](#) give expert advice on:

- Interest rates
- Currency fluctuations
- How to minimize risks and maximize opportunities
- What the export outlook is for your industry
- How you can succeed in the global marketplace
- Plus, each attendee will receive access to EDC's sought-after Global Export Forecast, 2010 Spring Edition.

Event Details

Tuesday, May 25, 2010
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. (NDT)

Subject: Public Consultations, Ever Green Recycling Card, New AIF Funding, and More!

\$49.00 +HST

*Lunch Included

Corporate tables available for groups of 8

Clovelly Golf Club

Meeting Room: The Gazebo

178 Stavanger Drive

St. John's, NL

To register, [click here](#), or for more information contact NEIA's Member Services Coordinator Hlynn at hlynn@neia.org or 772-3333.



Events Listing

Network, learn, and grow your business

May 15-June 15: St. John's Clean & Beautiful Clean Ups ([click here](#) to book your clean up), St. John's NL

May 19: [MCC Video Workshop](#), 2:30pm - 4:00pm, St. John's NL

May 21: [BuildGreen Atlantic Sustainable Building](#), 8:30am - 5:30pm, Dartmouth NS

May 25: [NEIA & EDC Let's Talk Exports](#), 11:30am - 1:30pm, Clovelly Golf Club, St. John's NL

May 26-27: [NS Energy Research & Development Forum 2010](#), Halifax NS

May 28-30: [EPIC Sustainable Living Expo](#), Vancouver BC

June 15-17: [International Solidification/Stabilization Technology Forum](#), Cape Breton NS

Subject: Public Consultations, Ever Green Recycling Card, New AIF Funding, and More!

June 15-18: [NOIA Conference 2010 - Play on the Edge!](#), St. John's NL

June 22: A&WMA's [103rd Annual Conference & Exhibition](#), Calgary AB

Public Consultations

Have your say



Planning for a Sustainable Future: A Federal Sustainable Development Strategy for Canada.

Comment by: July 12, 2010



Managing Sustainable Development: A Discussion Paper by the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development.

Comments by: June 30, 2010

[Environment Canada Public Consultation on the Regulatory Framework for the Transboundary Movement of Waste and Hazardous Material.](#)

Comments by: June 14, 2010

In the News

Know your environment

Green is good. Ever Green is better!

Help your employees Go Green "on-line" with the Ever Green Recycling Card. Skip long line-ups by simply swiping your Recycling Card, and go to your account online to review your personal account information, which gives detail to each person's contribution to environmental savings. Donate materials to Ever Green for tax receipts, or request payment! [Click here](#) for more information or visit www.greencan.ca.

Corporate Knights - The Messenger



In this edition: high-speed rail, Georges Laraque, our new legal blog, upcoming events.

Highlights from the US Good Jobs, Green Jobs Conference

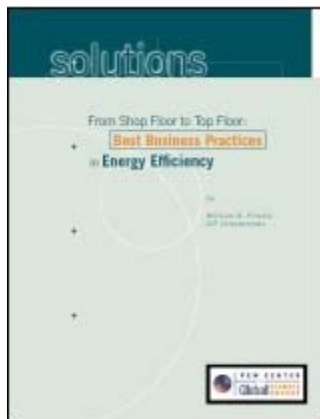
On May 4-6, over 3,000 delegates attended the Good Jobs, Green Jobs conference in Washington DC. This conference was attended by Newfoundland and Labrador delegates from the College of the North Atlantic, Carpenters & Millwrights College, the Conservation Corps NL, Choices for Youth, and Bruce Pearce.

This year the conference attracted over 3,000 delegates, up from 2,500 in 2009 and 1,000

in 2008 (the inaugural conference), a sign of a powerful and growing movement that is re-shaping the American economy. Delegates reflected a cross-section of labour rank/file & leadership, business leaders, community groups, foundations, tribal, Hispanic & African-American communities, faith groups, many youth and all levels of government

[Click here](#) for more information or visit www.greenjobsconference.org.

Best Practices in Business Efficiency



Deep Drilling Starts Offshore NL, Oil Industry too Critical to Suspend Exploration

In the wake of the recent oil spill disaster off the Gulf Of Mexico, which some are saying was "[an accident waiting to happen](#)", Kathy Dunderdale, Newfoundland and Labrador's natural resources minister, is saying that exploration is critical to the province's oil industry and economic future, and it would be premature to halt offshore drilling. [Full story here](#).

Details Emerge on American Power Act

The long-awaited US climate bill ("the American Power Act") is set to be formally unveiled today by its key proponents in the U.S. Senate (Senators John Kerry and Joseph Lieberman), with a last ditch effort the Obama administration urging quick passage of the controversial legislation this year. [Full story here](#).

Opportunities

Grow your business

Government of Canada Initiative Supporting the Commercialization of Atlantic Canadian Research and Development

On May 5 National Revenue and ACOA Minister Keith Ashfield invited businesses, universities and research institutions to submit proposals under a new round of the Atlantic Innovation Fund. The Atlantic Innovation Fund is designed to increase Atlantic Canada's ability to carry out leading- edge research and development which, once commercialized, will help to build a stronger and more competitive economy in Atlantic Canada and the country as a whole. Mandatory letters of intent must be submitted by June 15 and complete project proposals are due September 1, 2010.

For more information, visit the ACOA website: www.acoa-apec.ca.



Environmental Assessment Bulletin

Honourable Charlene Johnson, Minister of Environment and Conservation, has announced a number of events relative to Part 10 Environmental Assessment of the Environmental Protection Act: [Click here](#) to learn more.

Submissions and Feedback

Your input matters

NEIA is committed to a culture of continuous improvement, driven by our members input. What issues are most important to you? Do you have something you would like to submit for our newsletter? Send your submissions and feedback to our Member Services Coordinator Hlynn Kenny at hlynn@neia.org.

Subject: Public Consultations, Ever Green Recycling Card, New AIF Funding, and More!

Office: 90 O'Leary Ave, St. John's, NL, A1B 2C7

[view email in browser](#) | [Unsubscribe](#) *|EMAIL|* | [Update your profile](#) | [Forward to a friend](#)

|LIST:DESCRIPTION|

|HTML:LIST_ADDRESS_HTML|

Copyright (C) 2010 *|LIST:COMPANY|* All rights reserved.