



NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR  
ENVIRONMENTAL INDUSTRY  
ASSOCIATION

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## Member News

### What our members are doing

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#### **Over 40% Participation Rate!**

The City of St. John's Curbside Recycling program began yesterday, October 18. NEIA member [Scotia Recycling](#) landed the contract for curbside pickup earlier this year.

Jason Sinyard, Manager of Waste Management for the City, reports that Day One of the program was a success, with an approximate 42% participation rate and 33,000 lbs of waste diverted from regular landfill.

For a complete overview of the recycling program and facilities, visit the new website <http://www.curbitstjohns.ca>.

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## Events Listings

### Network, learn, and grow your business

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#### **November 15-19: HAZWOPER Training, St. John's NL**

NEIA, in association with Atlantic Environmental Training & On-Site Services Inc. will conduct a 40 Hour HAZWOPER (Hazardous Waste Operations & Emergency Response) training course and an 8 Hour HAZWOPER Refresher training course during the week of November 15-19, 2010.

Also known as the '40 hour contaminated sites course' this training is compliant with the requirements of the OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1910.120 HAZWOPER. Certification is recognized in the US and Canada for work performed at uncontrolled waste sites. DCC and PWGSC are now requiring contractors to have this certification to qualify for some tenders involving hazardous materials.

For more information, or to register for this year's course, email Joanne at [joanne@neia.org](mailto:joanne@neia.org)

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**October 20:** [NEIA/INTRD Lunch and Learn](#), St. John's NL – *Doing Business in Ireland*

**October 27:** [Biotechnology Event](#), St. John's NL

**October 28:** [2010 Dialogue on Advancing Global Sustainability](#), St. John's NL

**November 2:** [APEC Outlook 2011](#), St. John's NL

**November 4-6:** [Mineral Resources Review 2010](#), Delta Hotel, St. John's NL

**November 5:** [Boston Clean Tech Venture Day](#), Boston MA – First year open to Canadian Companies!

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## Opportunities

### Grow your business

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**November 2010 Environmental Trade Mission to Atlanta, Georgia**

[Click here](#) for further information as well as contact information.

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### **Some Funding Still Available – Business Networks Program**

The Business Networks Program provides funding of up to \$50,000 to business networks wishing to undertake projects that individual businesses could not otherwise afford. Some project funding remains for 2010-2011.

[Click here](#) for further information as well as contact information.

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## In the News

### Know your environment

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#### October 18 Globe and Mail article: Climate Change and Canada's Potential Infrastructure Crisis

As people in our Province continue to deal with the aftermath of Hurricane Igor, we are very aware of the pressures extreme weather events put on our infrastructure. Now, a panel of experts convened by the Royal Canadian Geological Society and the National Round Table on the Economy and the Environment warns that Canada's infrastructure could be overwhelmed as severe weather events increase due to climate change.

[Full story here.](#)

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## Submission and Feedback

### Your input matters

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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 Marketing and Communications Coordinator Hlynn Kenny at [hlynn@neia.org](mailto:hlynn@neia.org).

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