



**NATIONAL
POLLUTION PREVENTION ROUNDTABLE**

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Agenda Topics

NPPR Overview

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NPPR Overview

- Established in 1985.
- Only organization devoted solely to P2.
- Membership composed of:
 - State, local & tribal P2 technical assistance programs (TAPS)
 - Non-profit organizations
 - Trade associations
 - Academic institutions
 - Industry
 - Consultants

NPPR Overview: Mission Statement

A national forum that promotes the development, implementation, and evaluation of efforts to avoid, eliminate, or reduce waste generated to air, land, and water.

The sustainable and efficient use of energy, materials and resources is vital to the protection and enhancement of human health and the environment, and the conservation of natural resources.

These efforts are integral to accelerate the shift towards sustainable consumption and production to promote environmentally responsible social and economic development.

NPPR Overview: Executive Board

Chair: Laura Henne

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection

Vice-Chair: Meghann Quinn

Virginia Department of Environmental Quality

Secretary: Joy Onasch

Toxics Use Reduction Institute

Treasurer: Ken Zarker

Washington State Department of Ecology

NPPR Overview: Board of Directors

Lisa Cox, Oregon Department of Environmental Protection

Greg Geyer, Terrachord, LLC

Lissa McCracken, Kentucky Pollution Prevention Center

Rick Reibstein, Boston University & Harvard Extension

Alicia Wind, Enviro-Stewards, Inc.

NPPR Overview: Advancing P2

- Information exchange
- Public policy
- Education
- External partnerships
- Funding

Advocacy: Public Policy

- Educate policy makers on the concept of pollution prevention.
- Utilize members, through workgroups and advisory council, to identify and influence federal policy issues.
- Support members' efforts to identify and influence state and local policy issues.
- Cooperate with external partners to affect public policy.
- Advocate funding opportunities for pollution prevention efforts.

Workgroups: Peer-to-Peer

- Represent common interests among members.
- Enables members to work together and coordinate efforts.
- Provides a voice and platform for member work products.

Workgroups: EPA National Emphasis Areas (NEA)

Business-Based P2 Solutions Supporting TSCA and Chemical Safety

NPPR Lead: Laura Henne

- Focus on P2 solutions for TSCA priority chemicals.

Food and Beverage Manufacturing and Processing

NPPR Lead: Joy Onasch

- Focus on P2 solutions with a concentration on reducing air emissions, waste generation, energy use, and chemical use while boosting the bottom-line for businesses.

Workgroups: EPA National Emphasis Areas (NEA)

Hazardous Materials Source Reduction in States or Communities

NPPR Lead: Meghann Quinn

- Focus on reducing the use of hazardous materials and the generation of hazardous waste.

Workgroups: Member Created

P2 Interns

NPPR Lead: Lisa Cox

- Serves as an information and resource sharing group that supports and assists state programs with the development and growth of P2 intern programs;
- Connects students with business to conduct waste prevention and sustainability research.

Workgroups: Member Created

Regulatory Improvement

NPPR Lead: Rick Reibstein

- Focused on reforming state-level chemical management policies in the US to promote toxics reduction, safer chemical alternatives and products.
- Seeks to integrate P2 policies and strategies into state and federal legislation, air, water and waste regulatory programs, P2 planning and performance-based environmental programs.

Workgroups: Now Forming

P2 Professionals

NPPR Co-Leads: Rick Reibstein/Alicia Wind

- Focuses on heightening awareness of P2 principles in industry and commerce.
- Seeks to articulate the value of the preventive approach and share real-world examples of implementation.

Workgroups: Member Engagement

- Member-led with an assigned Board member liaison.
- Meetings are held as determined by the group.
- Workgroup members determine priorities and relevant action items.

Outreach: Training Opportunities

- Periodic webinars on relevant topics
 - Internal/external speakers
 - Some generated by workgroups
- In-person workgroup meetings/national conferences
 - Internal/external speakers
 - Relevant topics determined by members

Outreach: Communication

- Quarterly newsletters
 - August, November, February, May
 - Member-contributed content
 - Highlight success stories/new technologies
 - Promote P2 trainings and events
 - Submit content ideas to admin@p2.org
- Biannual member calls
 - January, July
 - NPPR updates
 - Member input

Outreach: Most Valuable P2 (MVP2) Awards

Announced annually during P2 Week.

Seven categories

- **Fred Granek P2 Ambassador:** Ken Geiser, Professor Emeritus, Distinguished University Professor at the University of Massachusetts, Lowell
- **Project or Program:** Widmer Brothers Brewery, Portland, Oregon
- **Multimedia:** Washing Systems, Loveland, Ohio
- **P2 Champion:** Global Foundries, Malta, New York
- **Volunteer:** Dan Wartenberg, Epidemiologist, New Jersey
- **Educator:** Mary Butow, Toxics Use Reduction Institute, Massachusetts
- **Student of the Year:** Puja Vengadasalam, 11th grader in South Plainfield, New Jersey

NPPR Membership: Benefits

Available to Members-Only*:

- Quarterly newsletter
- Reduced rates for meetings/conferences/trainings
- Biannual member calls
- Workgroup participation

General distribution list (open to all)

* *Free trial access until January 1, 2019*

NPPR Membership: Dues

NPPR provides numerous opportunities for professional development, networking, and peer-to-peer collaboration.

Government, Nonprofit, and Academia

- Individual Membership \$195
- Organizational Membership (3 members) \$495
- Organizational Membership (5 members) \$795
- P2 Sponsorship (Unlimited) \$2,495

Private Sector

- Individual Membership \$295
- Organizational Membership (3 members) \$495
- P2 Sponsorship (Unlimited) \$2,495

Upcoming Event: Spring National P2 Conference

- Location to be determined
 - Seeking to co-locate with an existing event
 - To be held in Region 3 or 4
- Agenda items
 - Session topics driven by member/workgroup input
 - Shared member experiences and successes
 - Workgroup meetings
 - Networking opportunities
- Planning Committee

World Café Target Goals

Identify opportunities and create solutions for NPPR to

- strengthen its partnership with EPA
- increase membership value and benefits
- identify focus areas and priorities for established workgroups

Topic 1: Partnership with EPA

- What steps should NPPR take to re-engage and strengthen its partnership with EPA?
- What's the case statement to EPA to request funding support for a national P2 conference?
- Aside from EPA, what sources of revenue should NPPR pursue to help support the organization and a national P2 dialogue?

Topic 2: NPPR Membership Value

- What value and benefit can NPPR bring to assist sustainability efforts within your job duties, and your organization overall?
- How best can NPPR promote itself to encourage membership?

Topic 3: Workgroups

A designated workgroup has been pre-assigned to your table.

- What issues should be addressed through this workgroup?
- Identify three priorities for the workgroup

Call-to-Action

- **Join NPPR**
- Make plans to attend Spring conference
- Engage
 - Submit an article for the newsletter
 - Run for a Board of Director position
 - Participate in at least one workgroup
 - Participate on Spring conference planning committee