

## **NON-ROAD SUBCOMMITTEE CALL**

Wednesday, January 24, 2007 – 9:30 to 10:30 am Central Time

Call-In #: (866) 299-3188  
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### **Agenda**

- Roll call
- Update on National Clean Diesel Campaign (NCDC) RFP - due Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>
- Update on upcoming Blue Skyways Task Force mtg. in Bentonville, AR on Feb. 21 & 22
  - If you are planning on going it is important to register ahead of time ([www.blueskyways.org/Meeting/FebruaryMeeting.htm](http://www.blueskyways.org/Meeting/FebruaryMeeting.htm))
  - It would also be helpful to know if you are coming for planning purposes
- Discuss the Non-Road workplan
- Other
  - Possible funding - CMAQ, Rural Development Forums

### **MEETING NOTES**

First of all, thank you everyone for being on the call. I hope it was informational and beneficial for each of you. Feel free to contact me if you have ideas to improve the call or would like to visit about a specific topic.

1) **Roll Call** - if you joined after the call started let me know

#### **Attendees:**

- Wes McQuiddy (EPA R6)
- Wayne Graf (MDNR)
- Erica Stanley (KDHE)
- Shelley Whitworth (HGAC)
- Elizabeth Sartain (ADEQ)
- Elizabeth Neubauer (ADEQ)
- Bill Gill (CAPCOG)
- Rick Baker (ERG)
- David Cook (Navy)
- Chris Keesey (Emissions Tech. Inc.)
- Ken Katch (Caterpillar)
- Ed Woods (Caterpillar)
- Leon Ashford (ODEQ)
- Mike Zimovan (Donaldson)
- Mark Jorgensen (02 Diesel)
- Kevin Herdler (Clean Cities STL)
- Alan Banwart, (EPA R7)

2) **National Clean Diesel Campaign (NCDC) Blue Skyways RFP** - due Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>

- The NCDC RFP will close on Wednesday, January 31. All of the proposals will come into the CenSARA offices where we will sort them by subcommittee. The proposals will then be forwarded to the subcommittee leads.

At the meeting in February, each subcommittee will allot time to discuss, review and rank the proposals. These rankings will go on in each subcommittee's breakout sessions on the first day of meetings.

On the second day Task Force meetings, the subcommittees will present the recommendations that came out of the breakout sessions. The final decisions on awards will be handled by the Task Force members.

We will have specific criteria and guidelines for each subcommittee to use during the review to ensure consistency and provide validity to the recommendations.

Subcommittee participants who have submitted a proposal will be asked to recuse themselves during the review.

3) **Blue Skyways Task Force mtg.** - Bentonville, AR - Feb. 21 & 22

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- Updated agenda attached in email

4) **Non-Road Workplan**

- Attached to email
- Please review the workplan to come with thoughts to the meeting in Bentonville – if you are not going to be able to attend the meeting please send me thoughts, additions/deletions, and/or adjustments that you may have
- One suggestion is to look closely at the timelines and deliverables to insure that we are following the plan or if we need to change it

5) **Other**

- Possible funding –
  - CMAQ options open to non-road sector
    - Shelley Whitworth mentioned that she thought that if you use CMAQ for non-road projects that you would have to add non-road emissions into the conformity budgets - - **Alan is following up with this**
  - USDA Rural Development Funding Forums
    - Manhattan, KS - Jan. 30-31
    - Lincoln, NE – Feb. 15
  - Diesel Emissions Reductions Act (DERA)
    - This could be the program where all EPA's diesel emissions funds go into, which will combine Clean School Bus and NCDC funds
    - The amount of funds will more than likely be more than this past year

- Waiting on congress to give EPA to give direction
- Small Business Truck Loans through Smartways Program
  - <http://www.epa.gov/smartway/documents/420f06903.pdf>
- Missouri has language in its congress that would mandate B2 or B5 in all diesel fuel across the state
- **If you haven't filled out the application to become a Blue Skyways "Partner" please consider doing so**
- If you have any questions or comments please let me, Alan Banwart, know or if you have a request for any materials regarding Blue Skyways

**\*\*\* Non-Road Meetings will be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month from 9:30 to 10:30 am. The next meeting will be held on February 28, 2007. The call-in number will be (866) 299-3188 and the code will be 9135517039 unless otherwise noticed.**

**THANK YOU!!!**