

SCHOOL-BASED ENERGY CONSERVATION WORKSHOP

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, November 1st from 3:30-6:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Franklin High School (Somerset County), 500 Elizabeth Avenue, Somerset, NJ 08873

Are your schools taking advantage of the millions of dollars available through the NJ Board of Public Utilities' Clean Energy Program?

Does your school have lighting fixtures that were installed prior to 1980 that may pose a health hazard due to PCBs in lighting ballasts?

Hear from Paul Simon, Regional Climate Change Program Advisor for the US EPA Region 2 about the issues posed by PCBs in fluorescent light fixtures, and strategies to replace the fixtures.

Find out about energy efficiency upgrades and incentives available through the NJ Board of Public Utilities' Clean Energy Program.

Learn about ways to promote energy conservation in schools through education and behavioral change. A variety of curricular resources and programs will be discussed.

- 3:30 p.m. Keynote Speaker: Paul Simon, Regional Climate Change Program Advisor for the US Environmental Protection Agency, Region 2 will speak about "Healthy School Environments." Mr. Simon will discuss the issues posed by PCBs in fluorescent light fixtures and strategies to replace fixtures.
- 4:00 p.m. Sustainability and Energy Programs for Schools -- What Schools Can Do To Promote Energy Conservation (Focus is on curricula)
 - Jeff Brown, Global Learning, Inc. (Formerly worked with schools on TEACH program)
 - <u>Connie Coriell</u>, representative from Franklin Township Public Schools -- Energy Efficiency Coordinator (SEE program, and other energy conservation and sustainability projects)
 - Anne-Marie Peracchio, Director, Conservation and Clean Energy Policy, New Jersey Natural Gas will discuss programs available through NJNG

5:00 p.m. Energy Efficiency Upgrades for Schools (Focus is on School Building itself)

- <u>Douglas Shattuck</u>, EAM Associates NJ Clean Energy Program Incentives for Non-Residential Facilities will focus on incentives available for lighting upgrades and provide an overview of prescriptive and other programs. His presentation will focus on incentives available for non-renewable initiatives.
- <u>B. Scott Hunter</u>, Renewable Energy Program Administrator, Office of Clean Energy, NJ BPU - Will provide an overview of renewable incentives and information about NJ BPU's residential programs
- <u>Randall Solomon</u>, Co-Director, Institute for Sustainability Planning and Governance, MLUC at TCNJ, Energy Savings Improvement Programs for Schools

Additional curricular resources: Eco-Schools, Kilojolts, See the Light Workshop has been approved for CFM Maintenance Points by IFM

Speakers' Bios: Click here