

Supply Chain Sustainability and Green Power Use

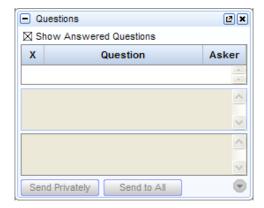
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Today's Agenda

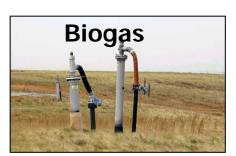
- Topic: Supply Chain Sustainability and Green Power Use
- Speakers:
 - Elysa Hammond, Director of Environmental Stewardship, Clif Bar & Company
 - John DeAngelis, Leader in Global Sustainability Initiatives, Steelcase Inc.
- Questions & Answers
- Post-webinar survey



What is Green Power?

- <u>Electricity</u> generated from natural resources that replenish themselves over short periods of time, including the sun, wind, moving water, organic plant and waste material (biomass), and the Earth's heat (geothermal).
- Must be from facilities placed into service within last 15 years.















EPA's Green Power Partnership: Helping You Leverage Your Green Power Use

• Credible Benchmarks & GHG Quantification

- Metrics for "How much green power is enough?"
- Definition of eligible renewables & products
- GHG reduction guidance and calculations

• Planning & Implementation Resources

- Green power locator
- Purchasing strategy guidance
- Marketing and communications support

• Recognition

- Top Partner Lists
- Use of the Partner mark →
- Green Power Leadership Awards
- Promotional opportunities

Best Practices & Innovation

- Collaborative solar procurement
- New contract mechanisms









EPA's 1,300+ Green Power Partners



Supply Chain Sustainability and Green Power Use

- Supply chain sustainability efforts may focus on environmental, social and/or economic performance.
- May be a result of company goals (e.g., increase overall environmental performance measures), or stakeholder/shareholder/customer/employee interest.
- Carbon management within the supply chain is becoming essential to an organization's overall carbon reduction strategy.
- Examples of EPA Green Power Partners engaging their supply chains.



GPP Updates

- GPP Webinar series: www.epa.gov/greenpower/events/index.htm
- Green Power Leadership Awards will be presented on Dec. 3 at the 2014 Renewable Energy Markets Conference in Sacramento, CA
- July 28: Quarterly Top Partner Rankings released: <u>www.epa.gov/greenpower/toplists/index.htm</u>
- Sign up for our monthly program updates and other GPP news on our website: <u>www.epa.gov/greenpower/contactus.htm</u>
- <u>GPP LinkedIn group</u>: 500+ members



Want to Know More?

Basic Information

- Overview of the Green Power Partnership: <u>www.epa.gov/greenpower</u>
- Full details of program requirements: www.epa.gov/greenpower/documents/gpp_partnership_regs.pdf
- Green Power Locator:

www.epa.gov/greenpower/pubs/gplocator.htm

- More Questions?
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