

NORTHEAST REGIONAL GEOTHERMAL WORKSHOP

U.S. EPA New England Regional Laboratory North Chelmsford, Massachusetts March 29, 2011

AGENDA

8:30 AM	Registration
9:00 AM	Welcome
9:05 AM	Geothermal Systems 101 Kevin Maher, Thermonexus, LLC; President, New England Geothermal Professional Association
9:30 AM	Status of the Geothermal Industry Mark Worthington, Underground Energy, LLC
9:55 AM	Overview of Environmental and Water Resources Concerns Andrew Stone, American Ground Water Trust
10:20 AM	Water Quality Concerns Related to Geothermal Systems in NH Stephen Roy, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services
10:45 AM	BREAK
11:00 AM	Environmental Considerations for Geothermal Ground Heat Exchangers – A Massachusetts Case Study Don Maggioli, Alares LLC
11:25 AM	Antifreeze in Geothermal Ground Loops: Selection Protocol and Case Studies Lloyd Hamilton, Verdae, LLC
11:50 AM	Geothermal Installation at Stockton College and New Jersey Regulations Lynn Stiles, The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey; IF Tech USA (via webinar)

12:15 PM	LUNCH
1:00 PM	NGWA's Development of ANSI Well Construction guidelines and best suggested practices document Kevin McCray, National Ground Water Association
1:25 PM	New Regulations for Geothermal Drilling in Connecticut John Sima, Hydro Dynamic Engineering, LLC; Vice-President, Connecticut Geothermal – Chapter of ISGHPA
1:50 PM	Introduction of the Newly Created New England Geothermal Professional Association Kevin Maher, NEGPA
2:15 PM	National Survey of State Regulations on Closed Systems Kevin McCray, NGWA
2:40 PM	BREAK
2:55 PM	Review of Existing State Regulations in New England and NY Joe Cerutti, Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
3:20 PM	State Roundtable to Discuss Need/Topics for Future Regulations Moderator: Denise Springborg, U.S. EPA Region I
4:00 PM	Wrap Up and Adjourn