

- 1:00 p.m.** **Increase Diversion – The Color of the Bag!!** – An overview of maximizing diversion programs, having safer and quicker inspections for recycling and composting initiatives – *Nova Scotia Too Good to Waste*.
Amy Hillyard & Nicole Haverkort – Regional Coordinators/Nova Scotia
- 2:00 p.m.** **Waste Control Regulations** – Update and summary of reviewed areas, such as designated materials, burning materials, landfill prohibitions and limits, provisions for hazardous wastes and recyclables, waste transfer stations, littering provisions, and amendments to certified operators. *Comments and opposing views will be taken back and addressed at meetings in October/08.*
Janet McLean – Alberta Environment
- 3:00 p.m.** **COFFEE**
- 3:30 p.m.** **Energy Recycling** – a renewable energy solutions and products including solar hot water systems for domestic hot water, solar PV systems for producing electricity, personal biodiesel processors from cooking oil, grey water recycling, geothermal systems and rainwater collection.
Trimline Design Centre – Harold Verburg
- 6:00 p.m.** **Cocktails (Cash Bar)**
- 6:30 p.m.** **BUFFET BANQUET**
- 8:00 p.m.** **Keynote Address - Beyond Blue Boxes – Connecting the Dots.....**
Wendy Holm – Economist, Author, and Award Winning Journalist from Vancouver, BC.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH

- 8:00 a.m.** **Exhibit Viewing/ Hot Breakfast**
- 9:00 a.m.** **Play it Forward** – The challenges and update of the “Ban the Plastic Bag” 2007’ program for the Town of Leaf Rapids, Manitoba.
Ed Charier, Mayor of the Town of Leaf Rapids
- 9:45 a.m.** **Alberta Environment** – Update of EPR Task Force and other updates and information for waste reduction.
Christine Della Costa - Waste Reduction Specialist
- 10:30 a.m.** **Northern CARE** - to announce New Regional Initiatives for Northern CARE Members:
- Regional Scrap Metal Collection Programs
 - Regional E-waste Collection Programs
 - Update of Proposed Regional Fluorescent Collection Program
 - Regional Solar Energy Education Program
 - Regional Plastic Bag Workshop
 - Proposed Regional Transportation Plan for Recycling & Waste Diversion
- 11:00 a.m.** **Nuclear Energy – Speaker TBA**
- Noon** **Closing Remarks** – Sam Wipf – Vice- Chairman – Northern CARE & Councillor for the Town of Valleyview
Conference Ends

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