



Wisconsin Biogas Development Group

PROPOSED AGENDA

WI BIOGAS DEVELOPMENT ROUNDTABLE

THURSDAY APRIL 16th, 2009

1:00 PM to 4:30 PM

DATCP Board Room, 2811 Agriculture Drive, Madison

Map to site = <http://datcp.state.wi.us/aboutus/locations/madison.jsp>

Roundtable will be facilitated by Jeffrey Voltz, DNR

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- 1:00 **INTRODUCTIONS AND ROUNDTABLE (Potential items)**
- **Roundtable with introductions**
 - **Brief announcements and updates:**
 - ~ **“USDA REAP grants and loans”** Brenda Heinen, WI Energy Coordinator, USDA Rural Development
 - ~ **“Focus on Energy’s (FOE) Program”** by Larry Krom, FOE
 - ~ **Upcoming events:**
 - WI Distributive Resource Collaborative (WDRC) quarterly meeting, April 17, 2009, WECC, Madison, WI (www.wisconsinidr.org)
 - “Wisconsin’s Energy Future: Third Annual Nelson Institute Earth Day Conference” April 22, 2009, Monona Terrace, Madison, WI ([Program page](#))
 - BioCycle International Conference, April 27 – 30, 2009, San Diego, CA (www.jgpress.com)
 - WI Bioindustry Alliance, Biopower group, 2nd Wednesday of month (www.wisconsinbioindustry.com)

REPORTS

- 2:00 **“Evaluation of water quality impacts of manure digesters and ag land conversion for biofuel production”** by Peter Hughes and Dale Robertson, USGS (<http://wi.water.usgs.gov/>)
- 3:00 **“Update on Dane County Project”**, John Welch, Project Coordinator, Dane County (<http://danewaters.com/management/manureCommittee.aspx>)
- 3:30 **“Interim Results of the CIG Project on Wisconsin Dairy and Livestock Odor and Air Emissions”** by Steve Struss, DATCP and David Grande, DNR
- 4:20 **Next Meeting**
- 4:30 **Adjourn**

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