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CT DEEP Deputy Commissioner Kaliszewski and Bureau Chiefs

Update on Environmental Programs & Priorities

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AGENDA

- 9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introduction**
- Dana Huff, Chair, EBC CT and Program Chair & Moderator
Vice President, Tighe & Bond
- Welcome to Eversource**
- Ellen Angley, Vice President Supply Chain
Environmental Affairs & Property Management
- 9:10 a.m. **Update from the DEEP Deputy Commissioner for Air, Waste & Water**
- A head-and-shoulders portrait of Robert (Bob) Kaliszewski. He is a middle-aged man with short, light-colored hair and glasses. He is wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a patterned tie. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.
- Robert (Bob) Kaliszewski**
Deputy Commissioner, Environmental Quality
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
State of Connecticut
- 9:40 a.m. **Update from Bureau Chiefs for Environmental Quality**
- Betsey Wingfield, Chief, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse
- 10:00 a.m. **Networking Break**

10:30 a.m. Update from Bureau Chiefs for Environmental Quality (Continued)

- Yvonne Bolton, Chief, Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance

11:00 a.m. Panel Discussion

Panel Moderator: **Dana Huff**, Tighe & Bond

Panel Members:

- Robert Kaliszewski, Deputy Commissioner
- Betsey Wingfield, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse
- Yvonne Bolton, Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

SPEAKERS

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Bob Kaliszewski is the Deputy Commissioner for Environmental Quality (EQ) at the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP). He was named to this position in March, 2017.

As Deputy, Bob provides leadership for the three bureaus within DEEP's EQ Branch - Air Management, Water Protection and Land Reuse (WPLR), and Materials Management and Compliance Assurance (MMCA).

Bob is a veteran of more than 30 years at DEEP. During that time, he has held a number of key positions that have provided him with insight into the challenges of environmental regulation.

Bob joined the then Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection in 1986, working in water discharge permitting and enforcement. He served for several years as the Agency's Ombudsman. In this role he was a link between DEP and the regulated community and he worked closely with staff to streamline and strengthen important permitting processes. His area of responsibility also grew to include Agency planning functions.

In 2013, Bob was named Bureau Chief for the Bureau of Central Services, with a wide range of responsibility including Finance, Human Resources, Information Technology, Field Services, Planning, and Land Acquisition.

Bob is a graduate of the University of New Haven. He also holds a degree in law from the University of Connecticut and is a member of the Connecticut Bar Association.

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UPCOMING EBC PROGRAMS

October 10 – Site Remediation Program: Brownfields Funding from Massachusetts State Agencies
October 11 – Ocean and Coastal Resources Program: 3rd Annual Living Shorelines Conference
October 17 – Rhode Island Program: Briefing by the Rhode Island DEM Section Chiefs
October 17 – Ascending Professionals Committee Program Planning Meeting
October 17 – Ascending Professionals Professional Development Series: Wetlands Permitting
October 18 – Energy Resources Program: Update on Energy Initiatives from MA State Agencies
October 19 – Connecticut Program: Update on Solid Waste Management Issues in Connecticut
October 24 – Program Series with MassDEP Regional Leadership: Northeast Region
October 25 – Connecticut Program: Changing Landscape of Soil and Groundwater Remediation
October 26 – Climate Change Program: The Case for Putting a Price on Carbon
October 30 – Energy Program: Efficiency as a Grid Resource
November 1 – Rhode Island Program: Brownfields Successes and Challenges
November 2 – Infrastructure Program: What is Blockchain and the Transactive Energy Platform?
November 5 – Water Resources Committee Program Planning Luncheon
November 8 – Program Series with MassDEP Regional Leadership: Western Region
November 9 – Ocean & Coastal Resources Program: 12th Annual Dredging Conference
November 13 – Solid Waste Management Program: Rail Haul
November 14 – Evening Program: Briefing from Fred Laskey, Executive Director, MWRA
November 15 – Site Remediation and Redevelopment Program: Massachusetts MCP Amendments
November 16 – Climate Change Program: Climate Adaptation and Resiliency for Utilities
November 26 – Connecticut Chapter Program Planning Meeting