

Media Release

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Second Round of Provincial Renewable Energy Consultations Open to All

HALIFAX, NS – **The provincial renewable energy review stakeholder consultations announces the first open round of stakeholder consultations on Monday, Oct 19.**

The purpose of the Nova Scotia public stakeholder consultation process is to evaluate various renewable energy scenarios to meet the renewable energy target for 2015. In partnership with the Department of Energy, an independent Project Advisory Committee, lead by Dr. David Wheeler from Dalhousie University, will facilitate public multidisciplinary consultation sessions to consider the social, environmental, technological, and economic aspects of each option.

The scenario development session in September identified four scenarios for Nova Scotia's renewable energy future. This upcoming session is to look more closely at these scenarios and elicit feedback from a wider audience.

Anyone interested is welcome to attend the session:

**Monday, Oct 19
1:00 to 5:00
World Trade Convention Centre
Halifax, NS**

Please RSVP to nsrec.2009@gmail.com or call the Eco-Efficiency Centre at (902) 461-6704 by Oct 13. Further information can be found at the project website, http://eco-efficiency.management.dal.ca/Events/Special_Events/.

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