

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CLEAN AIR AGENCIES  
FALL MEETING  
Alexandria, Virginia  
October 18-19, 2023**

The National Association of Clean Air Agencies (NACAA) held its 2023 Fall Membership Meeting at the Hilton Alexandria Old Town, in Alexandria, Virginia, on October 18-19, 2023. Presentations provided by speakers are available electronically on Air Web – NACAA’s members-only website. (NACAA’s Board of Directors and Committee Co-Chairs held their Fall Meeting virtually on Friday, October 13, 2023. Minutes of that meeting are also available on Air Web.) Below are minutes of the NACAA Business Meeting, held Wednesday afternoon, October 18, 2023, followed by the Membership Meeting agenda.

**MINUTES  
NACAA BUSINESS MEETING  
Wednesday, October 18, 2023**

Tracy Babbidge (CT), Co-President of NACAA, called the Business Meeting to order. Mark Buford (Mount Vernon, WA) was unable to attend the meeting.

**Election of Officers**

Rollin Sachs (Olathe, KS), Immediate Past Co-President and Chair of the Local Nominating Subcommittee, introduced the local slate of nominees for the NACAA Board of Directors, who would serve one-year terms. There were no nominations from the floor and the local slate was approved unanimously.

Frank Kohlasch (MN), Immediate Past Co-President and Chair of the State Nominating Subcommittee, introduced the slate of state nominees for the NACAA Board of Directors, who would serve one-year terms. There were no nominations from the floor and the local slate was approved unanimously.

The NACAA Board of Directors for the 2023-2024 year, the members of which will take office at the conclusion of this Membership Meeting, is as follows:

	<b><u>State Agency Group</u></b>	<b><u>Local Agency Group</u></b>
Co-Presidents	Kathy Taylor (WA – Reg 10)	Wayne Nastri (Los Angeles, CA)
Co-Vice Presidents	Chris LaLone (NY – Reg 2)	Latrice Babin (Harris County, TX)
Co-Treasurers	Kendal Stegmann (OK – Reg 6)	Francisco Vega (Reno, NV)
Co-Past-Presidents	Tracy Babbidge (CT – Reg 1)	Mark Buford (Mount Vernon, WA)
Directors	Edie Chang (CA – Reg 9)	Bill Hayes (Boulder, CO)
	Steve Hall (MO – Reg 7)	Richard Stedman (Monterey, CA)
	Frank Kohlasch (MN – Reg 5)	Erik C. White (Auburn, CA)
	Angela Marconi (DE – Reg 3)	
	Michael Ogletree (CO – Reg 8)	
	Michelle Walker Owenby (TN – Reg 4)	

**Approval of the 2022 Fall Business Meeting Minutes**

The State Agency Members and the Local Agency Members of NACAA, in separate votes, approved the minutes of the 2022 Fall Business Meeting.

**Report on NACAA Finances**

Miles Keogh, Executive Director of NACAA, explained the association's financial reports and provided details about the association's current finances. The reports included information about the NACAA treasury account (i.e., non-grant funds) as well as NACAA's grant from EPA.

**Other Business**

There was no other business.

The NACAA Business Meeting was adjourned.

**FINAL AGENDA**

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CLEAN AIR AGENCIES  
FALL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

**Hilton Alexandria Old Town  
1767 King Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314**

**October 18-19, 2023**

**Day 1 – Wednesday, October 18: 9:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m. ET**

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. ET	Registration	Salon BC Foyer
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. ET	Continental Breakfast and Networking	
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. ET	<b>Welcome and Introductions by NACAA Co-Presidents</b> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Tracy Babbidge</i> Assistant Commissioner Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection</li> <li>• <i>Mark Buford</i> Director Northwest Clean Air Agency (WA)</li> </ul>	Salon BC
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. ET	<b>NACAA Executive Director’s Report</b> <u>Speaker:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Miles Keogh</i> Executive Director, NACAA</li> </ul>	
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. ET	Break	Salon BC Foyer
10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. ET	<b>Addressing Persistent Challenges with Exceptional Events</b> <u>Moderators:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Wayne Nastri, Executive Officer</i> South Coast Air Quality Management District</li> <li>• <i>Gail Good, Director, Air Management</i> Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources</li> </ul>	Salon BC

**Day 1 – Wednesday, October 18: 9:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m. ET (continued)**

10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. ET	<b>Addressing Persistent Challenges with Exceptional Events (continued)</b> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Scott Mathias</i> <i>Director, Air Quality Policy Division</i> <i>EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards</i></li><li>• <i>Richard (Chet) Wayland</i> <i>Director, Air Quality Assessment Division</i> <i>EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards</i></li><li>• <i>Michael Orman</i> <i>Manager, Air Quality Planning Section</i> <i>Oregon Department of Environmental Quality</i></li></ul>	Salon BC
11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. ET	<b>Satellites and Clean Air Data from TEMPO: NASA Update</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Kathy Taylor, Manager, Air Quality Program</i> <i>Washington State Department of Ecology</i></li></ul> <u>Speaker:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Dr. Aaron Naeger</i> <i>TEMPO Mission Applications Lead</i> <i>University of Alabama in Huntsville</i> <i>NASA Short-term Prediction Research and Transition (SPoRT) Center</i></li></ul>	Salon BC
12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. ET	Boxed Lunch <b>Local Air Agency Issues Discussion Forum</b> <i>Facilitator: Sam Rubens, Air Administrator</i> <i>Akron Regional Air Quality. Management District</i>	Salon A
1:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. ET	<b>A Conversation with the Principal Deputy Assistant Administrator of EPA’s Office of Air and Radiation Joe Goffman (Confirmed)</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Tracy Babbidge, NACAA State Co-President</i></li></ul> <u>Speaker:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Joseph Goffman</i> <i>Principal Deputy Assistant Administrator of the</i> <i>Office of Air and Radiation</i> <i>U.S. Environmental Protection Agency</i></li></ul>	Salon BC
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. ET	<b>Innovative State and Local Initiatives</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Latrice Babin, Executive Director</i> <i>Harris County Pollution Control</i></li></ul> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Elizabeth Scheehle (California) – Methane Satellites</i></li><li>• <i>Matt Van Vleck (Harris County, TX) – Harris County Concrete Batch Plant Inspection Program</i></li><li>• <i>Alan Abbs (Bay Area, CA) – Clean Air Centers</i></li></ul>	

**Day 1 – Wednesday, October 18: 9:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m. ET (continued)**

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. ET	Break	Salon BC Foyer
3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. ET	<b>Implementing Climate Pollution Reduction Grants (CPRG) – Identifying Resources, Exploring Local and State Leadership and Needs</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Alberto Ayala, APCO and Executive Director Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District</i></li></ul> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Jennifer Macedonia / Andrea Denny, U.S. EPA</i></li><li>• <i>Chrissy Cooley, Puget Clean Air, Seattle WA</i></li><li>• <i>Michelle Owenby, Tennessee</i></li><li>• <i>Franz Litz, The Conveners Network</i></li><li>• <i>Julia Peek, Urban Sustainability Directors Network</i></li></ul>	
4:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. ET	<b>NACAA Business Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Election of Officers</li><li>• Approval of the 2022 Fall Meeting Minutes</li><li>• Report on NACAA Finances</li><li>• Other Business</li></ul>	
5:15 p.m. ET	Wrap Up & Adjourn Day 1	
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. ET	Networking Reception	Outdoor Courtyard (weather permitting)

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**Day 2 – Thursday, October 19, 2023: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. ET**

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. ET	Registration	Salon BC Foyer
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. ET	<b>Continental Breakfast and Networking</b>	
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. ET	<b>NAAQS and Other Implementation Issues: Policy and Technical Updates</b> <u>Moderators:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Gail Good, Director, Air Management Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources</i></li><li>• <i>Wayne Nastri, Executive Officer South Coast Air Quality Management District</i></li></ul> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Scott Mathias Director, Air Quality Policy Division EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards</i></li><li>• <i>Richard (Chet) Wayland Director, Air Quality Assessment Division EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards</i></li></ul>	Salon BC

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11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. ET	Break (and check out)	Salon BC Foyer
11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. ET	<b>On the Hill: Clean Air and Climate Agendas in The Near-Term and Long-Term</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Ali Mirzakhali, Air Quality Division Administrator Oregon Department of Environmental Quality</i></li></ul> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Elizabeth Horner, Chief Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works</i></li><li>• <i>Caitlin Haberman, Staff Director, Environment and Climate Change Subcommittee, U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Energy and Commerce (invited)</i></li><li>• <i>Michael Goo, Managing Director, Waxman Strategies</i></li><li>• <i>Beth Hammon, Professional Staff, U.S. Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works</i></li><li>• <i>Alexandra Dunn, Partner, Baker Botts</i></li></ul>	
12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. ET	Boxed Lunch	Salon A
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. ET	<b>Enforcing the Clean Air Act: A Conversation with EPA Assistant Administrator David Uhlmann</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Michael Dowd, Director, Air and Renewable Energy Division Virginia Department of Environmental Quality</i></li></ul> <u>Speaker:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>David Uhlmann Assistant Administrator Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance (OECA) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency</i></li></ul>	Salon BC
1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. ET	<b>More Innovative Initiatives from State and Local Agencies</b> <u>Moderator:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Chris LaLone, Director, Division of Air Resources New York State Department of Environmental Conservation</i></li></ul> <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Jaime Lemus (Sacramento, CA) – EV Low-Rider Technology Demo and Workforce Development</i></li><li>• <i>Sam Rubens (Akron, OH) – Managing Asthma Triggers at Home (MATH) Program</i></li><li>• <i>Michelle King (Louisville, KY) – Lawn Care for Cleaner Air</i></li></ul>	
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. ET	Wrap Up & Adjourn Day 2	

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