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Ocean State Clean Cities Recent Accomplishments & Future Goals

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Coalition Status and Sustainability

- Current Status
 - 18 hours per week
- Membership Structure / Strategies
 - NAFA
 - City of Providence
 - Other municipalities, universities, Chambers of Commerce
 - No Dues
 - Strategy - Partnership with the University of Rhode Island
- Steps to Become Self Sustaining
 - Applied for URI Transportation Center funding - PENDING
 - Applied for Greater Providence Chamber of Commerce Knowledge Economy Grant-
FUNDED



Significant/Noteworthy Projects & Activities

- Vehicle Project-Transportation Electrification Partnership with V2GNE-PENDING
- Infrastructure Project-Partnership with National Grid for CNG Station Upgrade-PENDING
- Outreach Success
 - Biofuels Symposium-200 attendees
 - Hybrid Workshop-35 attendees
 - Energy Expo-Over 5,000 attendees
- Portfolio Success-Successful ongoing anti-idling legislation



Lessons Learned

- Success-High profile and successful outreach activities to build name and respect for organization. Participants rewarded with excellent networking opportunities
- Success-Positive collaboration with many new stakeholders: URI, City of Providence, RI Economic Development Corporation, Chamber of Commerce, NAFA, NEIT, DEM
- Challenge-Identifying new role for OSCCC in the State
- Challenge-Becoming important central organization for building alternative fuel projects

Mayor presents a check for Biofuels Symposium





Goals for 2009 & Beyond

- Seeking SEP ARRA Funding. Hope to learn more this week from other coalitions.
- Project Get Ready-Stakeholder and key player
- Foster close working relationship with State Office of Energy Resources

Poster Session
Biofuels Symposium

