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# **September 30, 2016**

## **Next Friday...**

## **NE Digestion Roundtable:**

Special: East Bay MUD's ground-breaking, net-zero digestion & energy systems. Join the free webinar!

Friday, October 7th, 12 Noon EDT Have lunch!

#### **Guest Presenter:**

John Hake, Manager Resource Recovery Program East Bay Municipal Utility District Oakland, CA.

Details: http://www.nebiosolids.org/ne-digestion-roundtable



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**Calendar** 

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#### CHECK IT OUT...

**Anaerobic Digestion Training:** NEBRA is organizing another training class on AD - November 16th. Training hours provided. See the <a href="New Hampshire training schedule">New Hampshire training schedule</a>.

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## Details & Registration...

#### ALERT: Revised Nutrient R

The Massachusetts Department of a proposed revision of its Plant Nu on the initial version of these regular Farm Bureau and others also provi

On initial reading, the proposed reconcerns of the agricultural communestrictions; even allowing for manufunder prescribed conditions; any EPA 40 CFR Part 503). These are

However, the new proposed regula considerably to include all non-agri that it does not apply to home gard clarification from MDAR about this. biosolids land reclamation projects

The new proposed language included more than 0.25 lbs. P2O5 per 1000 organic residuals. This rate is far but have been supported by the new proposed language included more than 0.25 lbs. P2O5 per 1000 organic residuals.

vermont DEC has updated its biosolids white Paper. Access it here.

Summerside, PEI, which has a long history of land application of biosolids, is featured in a recent article.

**Featured in TPO:** Congratulations to Dave Driscoll of Concord, NH, the cover story of the September 2016 issue: <a href="http://www.tpomag.com/magazine/2016/09">http://www.tpomag.com/magazine/2016/09</a>

The Wooster, OH upgrade & quasar digestion is also featured.

And an interview with Ned Beecher appears in the October issue: <a href="http://www.tpomag.com/editorial/2016/10/QA">http://www.tpomag.com/editorial/2016/10/QA</a> <a href="biosolids-talk\_with\_nebras\_ned\_beecher">biosolids\_talk\_with\_nebras\_ned\_beecher</a>

Casella Organics has plans to dry biosolids for use as a fuel to replace coal.

**Professor Sally Brown, PhD (University of WA) is blogging for** *Huffington Post* on diverting and managing organics: <a href="http://www.huffingtonpost.com/author/sally-brown2">http://www.huffingtonpost.com/author/sally-brown2</a>

**Professor Lynda McCarthy (Ryerson University)** and her work are <u>highlighted in this</u> online piece.

**Professor Rolf Halden (Arizona State University) continues to look closely at wastewater solids.** His team has measured trace chemicals, such as flame retardants, in stockpiled samples of biosolids. Now he is <u>looking at solids for clues about our health</u> and other <u>signatures of human activities</u>.

You've probably seen this: Toyota's poowerful new electric car...

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of turf and other crop uses.

Because of these and other issues may lead to large reductions in the residuals (e.g. organic composts, c

However, a critical aspect of the re especially with regards to phospho above) should be a useful opporturate incorporated into the guidance.

See the redlined regulations here: amendments-to-regulations.html

The public hearing on this rule cha Noon, Division of Fisheries and Wi Room 110, Westborough, MA.

Written comments are due by 5:00 Division of Crop and Pest Services 251 Causeway Street, Suite 500, E is <a href="mailto:taryn.lascola@MassMail.State.N">taryn.lascola@MassMail.State.N</a>

### **MA Updates Biosolids Moly**

It's official: the Massachusetts bios molybdenum (Mo) is now 40 mg/kç the Department of Environmental F reviewed the science, proposed a spring, took public comment, and f a week ago. This is based on scier consistent with, for example, the st

In June 2005, NEBRA brought toge scientists George O'Connor (Unive (USDA) reviewed their work on the ruminants. Their work showed that maximum of 25 mg/kg, and 10 mg/

The new regulations also contain a informed of the small potential risk

The new, revised 310 CMR 32.00 at <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencapplication-of-sludge-and-septage.">http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencapplication-of-sludge-and-septage.</a>

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The Northeast Resi October 12 & 13, 2016 Hotel Radisson Cromwell, Connecticut

## Special New Guest Spea

On Wednesday, Oct. 12th, in the o provide an update on the City's pla renewable energy production.

## **Regulation Roundtable:**

**Keynote:** Learning from C

**Details & registration...** 

Less than 2 weeks to

#### In Brief / en bref...

U. S. EPA is starting TNSSS 2.0-representative samples of waste results of the first Targeted Nationa 2009 and included data on 145 and care product chemicals and other of sampling and testing is still being constituents and some new ones, (PFASs) and inorganic anions. The carbon sequestration potential. EF selected water resource recovery for The project will be managed by the

Kern County, CA: A final court decounty's ban on use of imported by year, the court heard eight days of biosolids researchers and experier detailing the arguments of both sid NEBRA office.

The small mountain resort town inclined screw press for \$120,00 to plant operator Rob Gunderson.

The Water Environment & Reuse research the reclamation of fire"Targeted Collaborative Research" the California Association of Sanita being sought from around the cont CASA (gkester@casaweb.org) or / more infomation and see: http://cas.
Ravaged-Biosolids-Scope-DRAFT-

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