

Emerging Drivers for Cleantech Investments: An EPA-Investor Roundtable

September 24, 2009 10 a.m. – Noon
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 77 W. Jackson Blvd., Room 1932 Chicago

10:00 – 10:10 Opening and Introductions
Walter W. Kovalick Jr., Acting Deputy
Regional Administrator

10:10 – 10:25 EPA's Role in Fostering
Technology

- 10:25 – 10:40 Discussion of EPA's Assets for
Investors and Entrepreneurs
- EPA's Small Business Innovative Research Program: Special Opportunity to Leverage National Science Foundation SBIR funding, December '09
 - Environmental Technology Verification (ETV) Program: EPA Verification of Technology Performance
 - Supplemental Environmental Projects: Opportunities to deploy Novel Technologies through EPA Enforcement

**10:40 – 10:50 EPA Regional Technology
Needs: Addressing Emerging
Environmental Challenges**

10:50 – 11:05 EPA's Semi-Annual Regulatory
Agenda: Signals for the Cleantech
Marketplace

11:05 – 11:25 Initial Responses to EPA
Information Related to Demand for
Cleantech

- Robert Savage, Fund Manager, Rocket Ventures; Managing Partner, CoreNetwork, Toledo, OH
- Ira Weiss, Associate Clinical Professor of Accounting, University of Chicago Booth School of Business; Faculty Director, Hyde Park Angels; Managing Director, RK Ventures, Chicago, IL
- Keith Crandell, Co-founder, ARCH Venture Partners, Chicago, IL

11:25 – 11:55 Roundtable/Across Web
Discussion of On-Going Dialogue with EPA
about Cleantech

11:55 – 12:00 Wrap Up and Next Steps

EPA Regional Technology Needs: Addressing Emerging Environmental Challenges

10:40 – 10:50 AM

EPA Regional Technology Needs:
Addressing Emerging
Environmental Challenges



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Environmental Technology Needs

- Midwest Perspective—EPA Region 5
 - Near-commercial-ready
 - Mitigation, treatment and remediation
 - Measurement, monitoring and sampling
 - Addendum on ballast water disinfection
- Thematic Categories of Environmental Needs—EPA Region 6
- General Services Administration (GSA) Venture Capital Initiative Proposals

- Discussion Questions:
 - Should EPA/GSA communicate needed technology solutions to the investor community?
 - How should EPA communicate such materials in the future . . . listserv, website, email, meetings?

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