



# Sustainable Jersey Sessions at the NJ League of Municipalities Conference

November 16-18, 2020

**Important Note:** Registration for the NJLM Conference is required to attend Sustainable Jersey sessions during the conference. Learn more about registration on the [NJLM Conference website](#).

## Monday, 11/16, 9:00 am – 10:15 am Sustainable Jersey Program Update: New Actions & Initiatives

Sustainable Jersey strives to help communities become more sustainable, save money, and improve the quality of life in New Jersey. Whether your municipality is currently certified, working toward certification, trying to organize an effort, or exploring the possibility registering for the program, find out what's new to help you get where you want to go. Join us to learn about new actions, opportunities for grants and other assistance, and strategic initiatives.

*CMFO-1.5 Fin/Debt, CCFO-1.5 Fin//Debt, CPWM-1.5 GOVT, RMC-1.5 Fin, QPA-1.5 Green Purchasing, CPA-1.5 Fin, RPPO/RPPS-1.0 M/S, CRP-1.25, LGLP-3.0*

Speakers:

**Renee Haider**, Deputy Director, Sustainable Jersey

**Anne Heasley**, Program Manager, Policy & Planning

**Lauren Skowronski**, Program Director for Community Engagement, Sustainable Jersey

**Randall Solomon**, Executive Director, Sustainable Jersey

## Monday, 11/16, 3:15 pm – 4:30 pm Effective Management of Municipal Water Resources

This session will assist municipalities chart a path for managing water resources holistically to sustain and improve the overall quantity, quality, and utilization. Case studies on preparing a municipal water story to highlight the water resources, water governance and water issues specific to a local community as well as timely advice on how to update stormwater management ordinances to address common issues will be shared.

*NJCLE-1.5, PACLE-1.0, LGLP-3.0*

Speakers:

**Anne Heasley**, Program Manager, Policy & Planning

**Donna Liu**, Sustainable Princeton

**Kandyce Perry**, Director, Green Infrastructure New Jersey Future

**Michael Pisauero**, Policy Director, Watershed Institute

## Tuesday, 11/17, 9:00 am – 10:15 am Municipal Waste Reduction Strategies

Now more than ever it is important for municipalities to think about strategies to reduce waste from entering landfills. This session will highlight case studies of different municipal waste reduction strategies from across New Jersey.

*CPWM-1.5 Tech, CRP-1.25, LGLP-3.0*

Speakers:

**Robert Becker**, Environmental Commission, Readington Township

**Brian Blair**, Operations Manager, Trenton Biogas



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**Elizabeth Peer**, Environmental Commission Chair, Lambertville City  
**Gary Sondermeyer**, Vice President of Operations, Bayshore Recycling

## Wednesday, 11/18, 9:00 am – 10:15 am Advancing Sustainable Energy Communities

Local municipalities can advance energy sustainability in a myriad of ways, including best practices from New Jersey's Energy Master Plan, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy (ACEEE)'s City Clean Energy Scorecard, and Sustainable Jersey's Gold Star Standard in Energy. Case studies will illustrate high impact strategies and how to implement them using Sustainable Jersey actions. **CMFO-1.5 Fin/Debt, CCFO-1.5 Fin/Debt, CPWM-1.5 Govt, RMC-1.5 Fin, QPA-1.5 Green Purchasing, CPA-1.5 Fin, RPPO/RPPS-1.0 M/S, CRP-1.25, LGLP-3.0**

Speakers:

**David Kois**, Sustainability Director  
**Stacy Ho Richardson**, Deputy Director Division of Clean Energy  
**Gray Russell**, Sustainability Officer  
**Nancy Quirk**, Energy Program Manager, Sustainable Jersey

## Wednesday, 11/18, 3:15 pm – 4:30 pm Municipal Fleet Management and Encouraging EVs in Your Community

Municipalities play an important role in supporting the transition to electric vehicles (EVs), which they can model in their own fleets with strategic procurement. This session discusses how to manage and analyze municipal fleets for procurement opportunities and how to craft policies to encourage community EV adoption. **CMFO-1.5 Fin/Debt, CCFO-1.5 Fin/Debt, CPWM-1.5 GOVT, RMC-1.5 Fin, QPA-1.5 Green Purchasing, CPA-1.5 Fin, RPPO/RPPS-1.0 P/P, LGLP-3.0**

Speakers:

**Andrea Friedman**, Supervisor, Electric Vehicles Program, NJDEP  
**Cathleen Lewis**, Outreach Coordinator, NJ Board of Public Utilities  
**Senator Bob Smith**, New Jersey Legislature  
**Nancy Quirk**, Energy Program Manager, Sustainable Jersey

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