



Clean Fuels and Technology News

Kentucky Clean Diesel Grant Program Announced

Application Period: October 3, 2012 - November 14, 2012

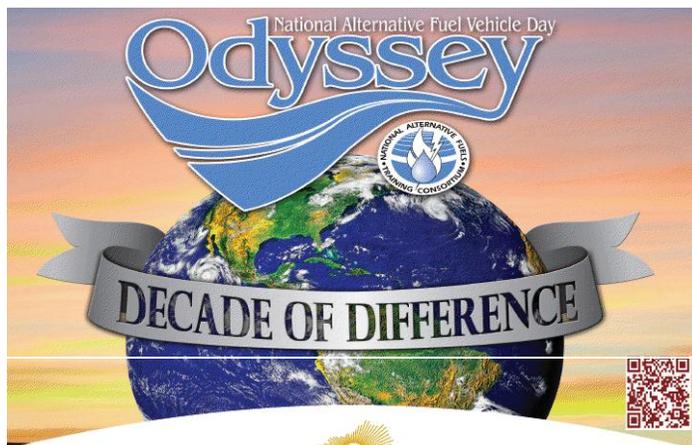
This week the Kentucky Division for Air Quality (DAQ) announced the availability of funds and solicits proposals for projects to implement diesel emissions reduction strategies in Kentucky.

Eligible Funding Range: \$50,000 to \$134,809 per proposal

Eligible Entities: any public or private entity located in the Commonwealth of Kentucky that owns and operates its own eligible diesel vehicles, engines, and/or equipment. This includes but is not limited to any city, county, or other local government agency; private organizations or businesses; universities; school districts; and nonprofits.

Additional grant information and all application materials can be found on the Division's website <http://air.ky.gov/Pages/KentuckyCleanDieselGrantProgram.aspx>

Odyssey Day in Elizabethtown



Elizabethtown
Community & Technical College

Thursday, October 18, from 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Elizabethtown Community and Technical College (Elizabethtown Campus)

Occupational/Technical Building: Automotive/Diesel Department

October 18th, Elizabethtown Community and Technical College (ECTC) will be hosting Odyssey Day, the nation's largest alternative fuel and advanced technology vehicle event to raise awareness of alternative fuel and advanced technology vehicles.

The event will be free and open to the public. It will feature information about the latest technologies and the ability to view and test drive a variety of vehicles.

The first 200 visitors to Odyssey Day will receive free give-aways. Refreshments will be available.

For more information, call Jerry Clemons at 270-706-8652.

Participants include:

Kentucky Clean Fuels Coalition
Whayne Supply
Hardin County Honda
Cummins Engine Company
Herb Jones Chevrolet
Swope Nissan
Swope Toyota
TARC (Transit Authority River City)
General Electric (Level 2 Charging Systems)
ECTC Green/Sustainability Group

Shorepower Technology Allows for Trucks to Plug in at Paducah, KY Truckstop



Southern Pride Truck Plaza, located at Exit 16 on I-24 in Paducah, now has new technology which saves money, reduces noise, and cuts down on emissions. The truckstop now has 24 parking spaces with plug-in power pedestals. Shorepower Technologies developed the plug-in power pedestals which provide access to power sources, at a rate of \$1 per hour.

Using plug-in power drivers can operate heating, air conditioning and cab appliances without idling during the mandatory 10-hour rest periods. When idling a truck engine burns about a gallon of fuel an hour. If all 24 spaces at Southern Pride were used for 10 hours on a single night, it would save those drivers about \$840 in fuel costs.



Installation of plug-in power technology at Southern Pride Truck Plaza is part of the Shorepower Truck Electrification Project (STEP), a federally funded program aimed at reducing truck idling.

For more information on STEP and to see Shorepower sites, visit <http://www.the-step-project.org/>.

Volt at Centre College

Today the Volt was at Centre College at the site of the 2012 Vice Presidential debate.



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