



John Lyons Appointed to Cabinet Post

Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet Secretary, Dr. Len Peters has named John Lyons as Assistant Secretary for Climate Policy. Lyons serves as a KCFC Board Member.

Below is an excerpt of Secretary Peters' memo announcing Lyons' appointment.

The changing federal regulatory landscape means state regulators such as the Energy and Environment Cabinet and its many agencies must continually examine staffing needs and deployment of personnel to fit the demands put upon us. Toward this end, I have asked John Lyons to take on a new role within EEC (Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet).

I believe it is important that we have someone at the Cabinet who can help study and recommend strategies for Kentucky as the federal process moves forward. I firmly believe that John Lyons is the person to lead that effort. John will be named Assistant Secretary for Climate Policy and be part of the Office of the Secretary. His appointment is effective September 16.

John has served in various capacities for the Department for Environmental Protection during his 24-year public service career. In January 2002, he was chosen to serve as the Director for the Kentucky Division for Air Quality. During his tenure, John has been instrumental in reorganization efforts for both the Department for Environmental Protection and the Division for Air Quality, implementing business process efficiencies that have improved the health of the citizens of the Commonwealth and Kentucky's environment. Further, his involvement in national air quality issues has helped shape the regulatory landscape for protection of air quality. I look forward to having John work closely with me as we address the climate policy issues that face Kentucky.

KCFC Fall and Winter Meetings

KCFC Fall Meeting
Tuesday, October 22nd

Kentucky Horse Park

KCFC Winter Meeting
Tuesday, December 17th

Boone Tavern

4089 Iron Works Pkwy
Lexington, KY
Club Lounge

100 Main St
Berea, KY
Coyle Room

When: 10:00 am - 1:00 pm et

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Registration Information to Follow.

Energy Department and Environmental Protection Agency Release Fuel Economy Tool for Used Vehicles

The U.S. Energy Department and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) today released a [new label](#) that features EPA fuel economy estimates and CO2 estimates for used vehicles sold in the United States since 1984. Consumers may create the new label electronically as part of a new tool on FuelEconomy.gov.

NAFTC Announces 2013 Training Schedule

The National Alternative Fuel Training Consortium (NAFTC) Training has announced their 2013 training schedule for the fall. The course offerings include Electric Drive Vehicle Automotive Technician Training, Overview of Biodiesel, Light-Duty Natural Gas Vehicles, and CNG Vehicle Fuel System Inspector. For more information and to register for classes [click here](#).

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