

### You are Invited – Attend a MOPIA **Program Awareness Session**

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You are invited and encouraged to attend one of MOPIA's program awareness sessions being held across Manitoba. They begin in Winkler on June 14, and continue through to August. Learn the latest, share concerns and ideas.

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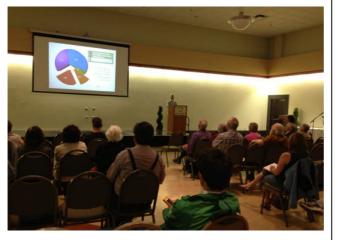
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The sessions are free and include a complimentary light meal and refreshments. Hear the latest on international, and local initiatives including emerging national technologies and trends. Be part of knowing what will affect you and the industry going forward. Receive an updated 2016 Compliance Guide and seek answers. Some sessions may include special guests (TBA).

Registration is easy. Just email (mopia@mymts.net) or call us which session you'd like to attend and how many are coming. We look forward to your participation.

Winkler	June 14	Days Inn	12 noon
Steinbach	June 16	Days Inn	12 noon
Portage la Prairie	June 21	Super 8	12 noon
Brandon	June 23	ACC Len Evans Ctr.	12 noon
Winnipeg	June 28	Cindy Klassen RC	7:45 am
Selkirk	June 28	TBA	L
Russell	July 4	TBA	L
Dauphin	July 5	ТВА	
Thompson	July 23	TBA	
Flin Flon	July 24	TBA	
The Pas	July 24	TBA	L

MOPIA plans to do drop-ins in various other locations to ensure stakeholders are up-to-speed and hear concerns. Let us know if you'd like to discuss or share ideas.

## **Proposed: Increased Fines in CEPA Regulations**

If you work at or service federal facilities or undertakings, be aware that fines will increase under the proposed regulations which would amend the Regulations Designating Regulatory Provisions for Purposes of Enforcement (Canadian 1999) (Designation Protection Act, Environmental Regulations). Subsections 5(1) and (2) of the Federal Halocarbon Regulations, 2003 would be added to Item 16 of the Schedule of the Designation Regulations.

The Designation Regulations complete the application of the new fine regime under the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999 introduced by the Environmental Enforcement Act (www.ec.gc.ca/alefewe/default.asp?lang=En&n=2AAFD90B-1).

Under the regime, which came into force in June 2012, designated offences involving direct harm or risk of harm to the environment, or obstruction of authority, are subject to an increased fine range.

These proposed amendments were published in the Canada Gazette, Part I. It initiates a 75-day public comment period. Comments with respect to the proposed regulations are welcomed, see this website for details: www.ec.gc.ca/lcpecepa/eng/participation/default.cfm

### **Next Certification Training Session**

MOPIA's next one-day certification class is Wednesday, June 29 in Winnipeg. Register by email (mopia@mymts.net) or calling MOPIA at 204.338.2222 / toll free 1.888.667.4203.





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# Refrigerant Management Canada ODS Cylinder Return Depots

Refrigerant Management Canada (RMC) is Canada's refrigerant management waste disposal stewardship initiative for those in the stationary refrigerantmanagement.ca/

Refrigerant returned to participating wholesalers (below) is shipped via RMC to a processing centre where it is analyzed and either re-processed or destroyed (high heat incineration). Typically there is no cost for this service as a levy was originally collected at the point of sale of the refrigerant which is used to fund the RMC refrigerant program.

Refrigerants (i.e. surplus or contaminated) outside of the stationary HVAC sectors (i.e. automotive, white goods sectors) are not formally partners in this program, so disposal is left for contractors who may either source other service providers (i.e. Miller Environmental) or simply safely store surplus refrigerants for the time being.

Wholesalers or distributors involved in the RMC program include the following: Doing Our Part for the Environment, One Kilogram at a Time:

Refrigerative Supply 1095 Erin Street Wpg Phone: 204.775.5887 Toll Free: 1.800.665.1255 www.rsl.ca 3 1 2 8 0 4 1 ODS DESTRUCTION oproximate kilograms of environmentally damaging refrigerant waste safely collected d destroyed by the RIXC program.

Trane

9-2061 Logan Avenue Wpg Phone: 204.632.1543 www.trane.com/canada

Independent Supply Co Inc Unit A - 1791 Dublin Avenue Wpg Phone: 204.694.4606 Toll Free: 1.844.694.4606 www.isc.tv

WWG Totaline 1725 St. James, Unit 7 Wpg Phone: 204.775.2523 http://wwgtotaline.ca

WWG Totaline 275 De Baets, Unit 5 Wpg Phone: 204.233.2244

Wolseley Canada Inc. 1365 Erin Street Wpg Phone: 204.775.9731 www.wolseleyinc.ca

EMCO Corporation Emco/Wholesale Heating Brandon 2150 Park Avenue Brandon, Manitoba R7B 0R9



On May 26, Mark Miller (MOPIA Executive Director) met informally with John Pietracci (ISC Operations Manager), Darren Puhacz (Profit Centre Manager) and other product supplier reps and stakeholders at the new site of Independent Supply Company (ISC) in Winnipeg (1791 Dublin Ave.).



Their business carries a variety of HVAC products including those regulated by Manitoba's ODS Regulation. They are a RMC participating refrigerant depot drop-off.

If you have an open house you would like MOPIA to attend, please let us know. We will bring our latest compliance guide and other industry related bulletins/information.

### Notices & Upcoming

Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) requires those companies who annually import over 100kg of a halocarbon, or manufacture or reclaim in the refrigeration or stationary air conditioning sectors to develop a pollution prevention plan. For details see: www.ec.gc.ca/planp2-p2plan/default.asp?lang=En&n=40C4637C.



ATMOsphere America 2016 is happening in Chicago; June 16-17. For more details visit:

www.atmo.org/events.d etails.php?eventid=44

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