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## Free & Confidential Environmental Assistance

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## News & Upcoming Events

### **BEP Wins Major US EPA Pollution Prevention Grant**

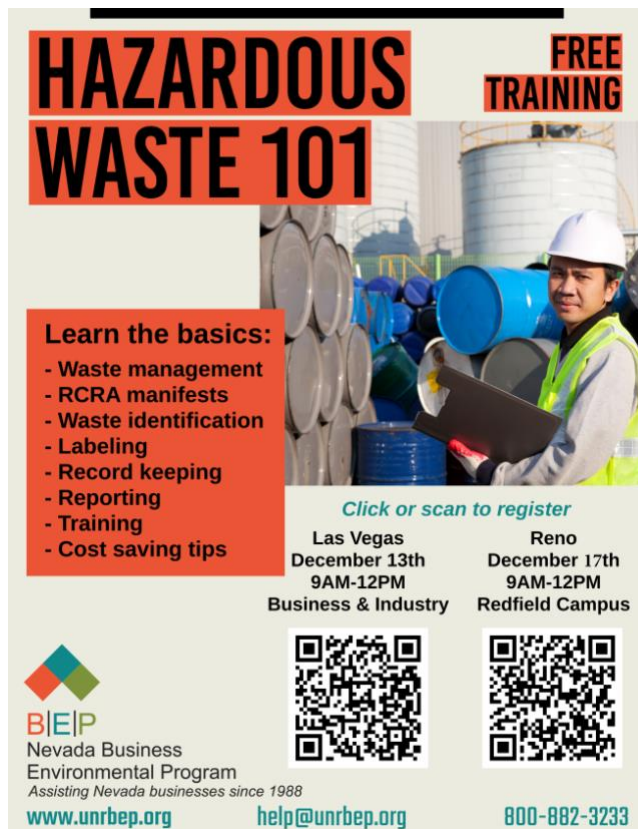
BEP to provide support to auto body shops in Nevada

The newly announced grant from the US Environmental Protection Agency is part of a nationwide initiative to reduce pollution by limiting it at its sources. The Nevada Business Environmental Program is one of 48 agencies nationally that received a total of nearly \$19 million for pollution-prevention projects, and the \$350,000 grant to the Nevada program is among the largest.

A majority of the funds will support initiatives to reduce the pollution that results from auto body repairs. The grant also will support two national pollution-prevention conferences co-sponsored by BEP and the Pacific Northwest Pollution Prevention Resource Center. The first of the conferences is planned for the Seattle area in 2025; the second at Lake Tahoe in 2026.

Learn more [here](#).

## Hazardous Waste 101: Register Today for Reno (December 17th), Waitlist for Las Vegas (December 13th)





**HAZARDOUS WASTE 101** **FREE TRAINING**

**Learn the basics:**

- Waste management
- RCRA manifests
- Waste identification
- Labeling
- Record keeping
- Reporting
- Training
- Cost saving tips

*Click or scan to register*

Las Vegas	Reno
December 13th	December 17th
9AM-12PM	9AM-12PM
Business & Industry	Redfield Campus

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Hazardous Waste 101 is a free training where you and your team will learn proper management of hazardous waste, RCRA manifest requirements, waste identification and labeling requirements, recordkeeping and reporting requirements, and training requirements. Throughout the training, BEP will provide tips for cost-saving approaches and resources to help you manage and minimize hazardous waste streams. Registration is required.

Register [here](#) for the Reno course, scheduled for 9AM – 12PM on Tuesday, December 17th at the UNR Redfield Campus.

The Las Vegas course, scheduled for 9AM – 12PM on Friday, December 13th is currently full. Please contact Kat Olson to be added to the waitlist at [katolson@unr.edu](mailto:katolson@unr.edu) or 775-834-3674.

## Regulatory Updates

### NEW! 2025 Hazardous Waste Compliance Calendar

Download BEP's [2025 Hazardous Waste Compliance Calendar!](#)

The calendar includes space for your facility to document weekly inspections, staff training, waste determinations, and more. The calendar also contains compliance tips and QR codes to helpful resources to keep your facility in compliance with state and federal hazardous waste regulations.

### US EPA Finalizes Amendments to Toxic Air Standards for Rubber Tire Manufacturing

On November 13, The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) finalized amendments to the National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) for rubber tire manufacturing. These updates address previously unregulated hazardous air pollutant (HAP) emissions from the rubber processing subcategory, ensuring compliance with Clean Air Act requirements for this industry. This action is expected to

reduce emissions of total hydrocarbons (THC) and filterable particulate matter (fPM) by about 171 tons annually. Read more about the final rule [here](#).

## Sustainability Corner

### Latest Sustainable Nation Podcast

Erik Distler – VP, Head of Sustainability at AEG

Host Josh Prigge speaks with Erik Distler to discuss:

- How AEG manages sustainability at large events like music festivals
- Piloting initiatives at smaller events to apply learnings and replicate at larger events
- Incorporating reusable materials at events in partnership with Our World
- Advice and recommendations for sustainability professionals



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The *Sustainable Nation Podcast* is made available through a [partnership](#) with the Nevada Business Environmental Program. Be sure to also check out the full [library](#) of podcasts.

## Have You taken Advantage of BEP's Services?

### Hazardous Waste Management Assistance

BEP provides a variety of services to help your business with hazardous waste management. On our website you can download hazardous waste [compliance tools](#) and [factsheets](#) full of regulatory information to help you stay in compliance. We offer on-site consultations to businesses located anywhere in Nevada, where we provide a fresh set of eyes on your hazardous waste processes. Unable to attend our annual Hazardous Waste 101 course? No problem – we offer individualized, on-site training for businesses in need of hazardous waste training or more in-depth education on specific topics.

### Air Quality Regulatory & Permitting Assistance

BEP offers several free and confidential services to help businesses with navigating air quality regulations. BEP offers free one-on-one meetings to assist air quality permit holders with recordkeeping requirements in addition to assistance with permit applications. Call our hotline number or email us to set up a phone, Zoom, in-person, or on-site meeting for assistance relating to your air quality operating permit with the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP).

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**We look forward to hearing from you.**

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**Contact Us**

If you have any environmental or energy questions, do not hesitate to get in touch with us. Our confidential toll-free hotline is taking calls and we are promptly answering all emails. We are staffed from 8am – 5pm, Monday through Friday.

If you are interested in having BEP visit your business for a free on-site assessment, give us a call. We are also available to communicate via calls, photos, and online video meetings.

[CLICK HERE](#) to learn more about why it makes sense to work with BEP!

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