



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS



James T. Fleming
Commissioner

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Tracy Babbidge, Assistant Director
Bureau of Air Management
State of Connecticut
Department of Environmental Protection
79 Elm Street
Hartford, Connecticut 06106

Re: Draft Connecticut Clean Diesel Plan

Dear Tracy:

The Department of Public Works (DPW) would like to thank the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for including DPW throughout the Connecticut Clean Diesel Plan process, in particular, as a member of the Construction Equipment Subcommittee.

DPW has reviewed the *Draft Connecticut Clean Diesel Plan, Construction Equipment Report*, dated November 30, 2005. DPW supports Option 1 - Expand and Enhance the CT Clean Air Construction Initiative. As you know, DPW has already implemented many of the essential requirements outlined in this option through its contract specifications. Option 1 offers a practical solution that allows flexibility and makes optimal use of existing staff and project resources. Once approved, DPW looks forward to working with DEP and other state agencies in implementing the plan.

Please feel free to contact me at 713-5706 if you need additional information or have any questions. Thank you again for including DPW during this process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Bolton".

JEFFREY S. BOLTON

DPW Environmental Analyst III

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