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RCRA E-Manifests Workshop Scheduled for November 6

The Iowa Strategic Goals Program is hosting a one-day workshop on November 6, 2018, focused on RCRA E-manifests. E-manifests is a national system for tracking hazardous waste shipments electronically and will modernize the nation's cradle-to-grave hazardous waste tracking process while saving valuable time, resources, and dollars for industry and states. Attendees will hear from EPA Region 7 compliance officers about the program. Registration is \$40 and space is limited so reserve your seat today. [More Information and Registration](#)

Midwest Food Recovery Summit Session Presentations

If you weren't able to join us at September's Midwest Food Recovery Summit, presentations are available to view and download on the [Agenda page](#).

New Food Waste Case Studies

IWRC is continuing its work providing technical assistance to K-12 schools throughout rural Iowa in an effort to reduce the amount of food waste currently headed to the landfill, thanks to grant funding by the United States Department of Agriculture's Office of Rural Development.

- [Melcher-Dallas Elementary School Case Study](#)
- [South Central Calhoun Community School District Case Study](#)

Does Your Facility Have an Air Quality Construction Permit?

The IWRC's Iowa Air Emissions Assistance Program offers Air Quality 101 resources to help businesses determine if an air quality construction permit is required for a specific piece of equipment or process and to ensure compliance with the required operating and monitoring conditions outlined within issued permits.

All the resources are available at [Air Quality 101](#) including a video tutorial to guide you through understanding your permit to ensure compliance.



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November 3 | Waterloo

[Iowa Strategic Goals Program, RCRA E-Manifests](#)

November 6 | Ankeny

[America Recycles Day](#)

November 15

INDUSTRY NEWS

| **Air Quality** |

[Air Quality permits under review](#) (Iowa DNR)

| **Food Waste** |

[Trump Administration Launches “Winning on Reducing Food Waste” Initiative](#) (USDA)

| **Sustainability** |

[A Carpet Manufacturer’s Sustainability Story](#) (Waste 360)

| **Waste Reduction** |

[Bio-based plastics can reduce waste — if we invest in both making and getting rid of them](#) (Green Biz)



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