



## Webinar

### Bidder Qualification Process for March RGGI CO<sub>2</sub> Allowance Auction

January 14, 2016 | 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM ET

#### About this Webinar

This free, public webinar will review bidding procedures for the RGGI CO<sub>2</sub> Allowance Auction to be held on January 14, 2016. Registration for the webinar is required.

#### Details

**Date and Time:** Thursday, January 14, 2016, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET

**Registration:** While the webinar is open to the public, registration is required. To register for the webinar, please go to:

<https://enernoc.webex.com/enernoc/onstage/g.php?MTID=ee28ceed2b17e17bac83ea4a21242cea3>

#### Audio conference information:

Call-in toll-free number (US/Canada): 1-877-668-4493

Call-in toll number (US/Canada): 1-650-479-3208

Access code: 669 459 068

**Presentation Slides and Recording:** The presentation slides for the webinar will be posted on the Auction Materials Webpage no later than 10:00 AM ET on Wednesday, January 13, 2016. A recorded version of the webinar will be made available no later than 5:00 PM ET on Tuesday, January 19, 2016 on the Auction Website.

The Auction Materials webpage can be visited at

[http://www.rggi.org/market/co2\\_auctions/information](http://www.rggi.org/market/co2_auctions/information).

#### About the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative

The Northeast and Mid-Atlantic states participating in the third RGGI control period (Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, and Vermont) have implemented the first mandatory market-based regulatory program in the U.S. to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. The 2016 RGGI cap is 86.5 million short tons. The RGGI cap then declines 2.5 percent each year from 2015-2020. The RGGI states also include interim adjustments to the RGGI cap to account for banked CO<sub>2</sub> allowances. The 2016 RGGI adjusted cap is 64.6 million short tons.

RGGI is composed of individual CO<sub>2</sub> budget trading programs in each state, based on each state's independent legal authority. A CO<sub>2</sub> allowance represents a limited authorization to emit one short ton of CO<sub>2</sub>, as issued by a respective state. A regulated power plant must hold CO<sub>2</sub> allowances equal to its emissions to demonstrate compliance for each three-year control period. RGGI's third control period began on January 1, 2015 and extends through December 31, 2017. For more information visit [www.rggi.org](http://www.rggi.org).

#### About Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative, Inc.

Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative, Inc. (RGGI, Inc.) was created to provide technical and administrative services to the states participating in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative. RGGI, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. For more information, visit: [www.rggi.org](http://www.rggi.org)