



The Resource Management and Assistance Division emphasizes the use of voluntary, innovative environmental approaches, including pollution prevention, technical and financial assistance, and environmental education, to develop comprehensive system-based approaches to environmental problems and supports the agency's information and knowledge management systems.

The Prevention and Solid Waste Management Section works to create successful, environmentally sustainable businesses through product stewardship, market development, design for the environment (DfE), preventing pollution at the source, reducing toxicity and waste in products and product uses, and helping facilities operate in compliance with regulations. The section also offers the One-Stop Program, in partnership with the Department of Employment and Economic Development, helping new and expanding businesses navigate through environmental regulations and identify pollution prevention opportunities.

The Community and Business Assistance Section works to create stronger and healthier communities by working with community decision makers, educators, and other leaders to educate and inform on environmental issues. The section promotes eco-industrial development, green buildings, and relies upon policy initiatives and financial incentives to promote partnerships that advance the agency's environmental goals and objectives. This section includes the staff in the Business Assistance Unit that answer questions from regulated parties and citizens about air quality, water quality, solid and hazardous waste and storage tank regulations, and help them identify opportunities to prevent pollution. The Section supports the sustainable communities' network, the Living Green Expo, and major conferences and events.

- [Training Events Calendar](#)
- [Small Business Assistance Program](#)
- [SEEK: An Interactive Directory of Environmental Education Resources](#)
- [Solid waste management](#)
- [Environmental Review](#)