



## Webinar

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

January 17, 2013| 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 March 13, 2013. Registration for the webinar is required.

#### Details

**Date and Time:**

Thursday, January 17, 2013, 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://www3.gotomeeting.com/register/319512430> .

After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

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**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 16, 2013. A recorded version of the webinar will be made available no later than 5:00 PM ET on Tuesday, January 22, 2013 on the Auction Materials webpage.

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 second 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. Power sector CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are capped at 165 million short tons per year through 2014. The cap will then be reduced by 2.5 percent in each of the four years 2015 through 2018, for a total reduction of 10 percent.

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 at the end of each three-year control period. RGGI's second control period began on January 1, 2012 and extends through December 31, 2014. 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)

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