

# NEWMOA Beneficial Use Determinations (BUDs) Database Project

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N E W M O A



# What is NEWMOA?

- **Nonpartisan, Non-profit Interstate Association (of the)**
- **Solid Waste, Hazardous Waste, Waste Site Cleanup, and Pollution Prevention Programs (in)**
- **CT, ME, MA, NH, NJ, NY, RI, VT**
- **Formally recognized by EPA in 1986**
- **Basically a regional ASTSWMO**

# 2000/2001 BUDs Grant from EPA Region 2

- **Fact Sheets:**
  - Non-hazardous coal fly ash as flowable fill
  - Tire shreds as lightweight fill
  - Wood ash on agricultural land
  - EPA's Comprehensive Procurement Guidelines
- **BUDs database:**
  - Web-based, password protected
  - Searchable - waste, use, state and/or BUD type
  - Minimal information - mainly to obtain contact information of peers
- **Matrix of State BUD program elements**

# Current BUDs Database Project

- **RCC Grant from EPA - Region 1 with additional support from Region 5**
- **Expand information contained in database**
  - Additional states: FL, IN, MN, PA & WI
  - Determine new data fields
    - Information states want to know
    - But also that they will try to obtain and enter!
- **Encourage all states to use database and input information!**
  - Still need a password - government access only

# BUD Database - Priority Ideas

- **Develop additional queries and output reports to perform data analysis**
- **Add more states!**
- **Develop automated method to import data**
  - Build template for states to populate from their system and upload to NEWMOA
  - crosswalk waste/use terms

# BUD Database - More Priority Ideas

- Add GIS information - who is *generating* what where & where is *use* of a waste occurring?
- Explore linkages to material exchanges
- Develop publicly accessible piece (or all) - stakeholder discussions
- Add (or link to) details about state BUD program - risk criteria, application forms, etc.

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