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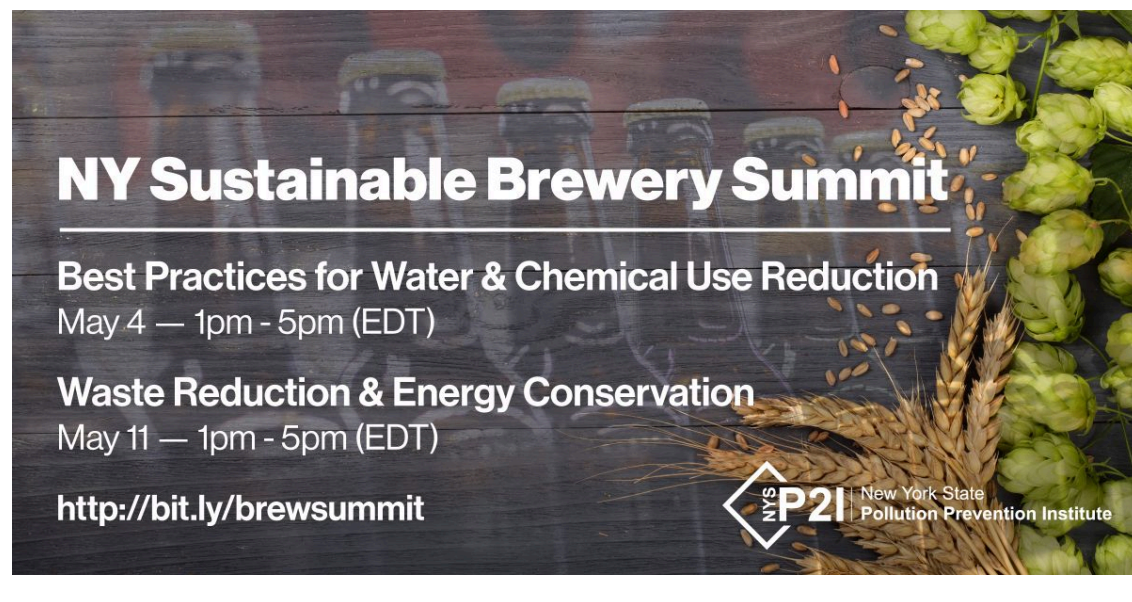
This newsletter will share the breakthrough ideas and emerging challenges that are driving changes in sustainability across the Empire State.

NYSP2I Helps Municipalities Design, Implement and Manage Food Waste Programs



The New York State Pollution Prevention Institute (NYSP2I) has developed a free, interactive toolkit that municipalities can use to design, implement, and manage food waste programs at the local level. *How to Build a Municipal Food Waste Strategy: A Toolkit for New York State Municipalities* is a three-part toolkit that is designed to assist communities large and small with building programs for reducing wasted food that are realistic and results-driven.

[View Toolkit](#)



Join New York State Pollution Prevention Institute (NYSP2I) for the *NY Sustainable Brewery Summit* on May 4 and May 11 from 1PM – 5PM (EDT). The two-day online event will discuss pollution prevention best practices and will focus on three key areas:

- Real-world solutions for water and chemical use,
- Reduction initiatives for brewery operations, and
- Understanding wastewater challenges.

[Learn more and register](#)

Featured Resources



[Sustainable Purchasing: Small Choices Big Impact \(Video\)](#)



[Understanding Your Carbon Footprint: A How-to Guide for Businesses](#)

Upcoming Events



2021 NYS Organics Summit: Growing a Resilient Tomorrow

The 7th annual NYS Organics Summit will take place virtually April 13 - 15. This event brings together materials management professionals to share success stories and discuss creative solutions to barriers that restrict the sustainable management of organic materials, with a specific focus on wasted food and food scraps.

News



Nominations for the 2021 Safer Choice Awards Now Open

The Environmental Protection Agency is accepting nominations for the 2021 Safer Choice Partner of the Year Awards. The awards recognize leadership contributions of Safer Choice partners and stakeholders who have shown achievement in the design, manufacture, selection, and use of products with safer chemicals.



Governor Cuomo Announces Plug Power to Invest \$290 Million in New Facility and Electric Substation

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo announced that the leading alternative energy technology provider Plug Power will invest \$290 million in the construction of a state-of-the-art green hydrogen fuel production facility and electric substation at the Western New York Science, Technology and Advanced Manufacturing Park.

Client Spotlight

Carrier Services Group

Carrier Services Group, Inc. (CSG) provides asset recovery services to some of the largest telecommunications companies and corporations in the world. The company worked with NYSP2I to develop a sustainability plan that will position CSG as a leader in the recyclable material merchant industry.



[See the Case Study](#)