

Happy Thanksgiving!

We're grateful to work alongside people like you who share our commitment to creating healthier, more sustainable places to live and work. Wishing you, your organization, and your community a holiday filled with good health, gratitude, and continued progress.

Engaging multifamily tenants in food scraps diversion



How do you engage tenants to participate in composting programs in residential multifamily buildings? We gathered three experts to share insights on running successful multifamily diversion programs. They shared key takeaways for engaging residents and driving participation.

[Learn more](#)

Success Story



Using an NYSP2I grant, Brooklyn high school students gained hands-on experience learning about waterway health, pollution prevention, and habitat restoration in their own community. The Mussel Habitat Project, led by [Gowanus Canal Conservancy](#), empowered teens to help restore Atlantic ribbed mussels, a species that naturally filters and cleans the water in the Gowanus Canal, one of New York's Superfund sites. [Learn more](#)

In Case You Missed It

Webinar Series

On-Site Food Waste Diversion Strategies for College Campuses



Part 1: Management of Wasted Food: A Research-Informed Toolkit for Campuses

Part 2: Operating On-site Programs: A Panel Discussion with Experts

This two-part webinar series features experiences, insights, and lessons learned from representatives at NYS universities currently operating food waste diversion systems on their campuses. [Watch the recordings](#)

Green Chemistry Corner



Clean & Green Schools Pilot Program

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE
Apply by Dec. 15

Calling all K–12 schools in New York State! Join our pilot program to safely remove outdated chemicals and bring green chemistry into your classrooms. Help create healthier, more sustainable learning environments. [Learn more and apply by Dec. 15](#)

INTERSTATE CHEMICALS CLEARINGHOUSE KEN ZARKER AWARD

FOR STUDENTS AND EARLY CAREER PROFESSIONALS

APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN!

Funding Opportunity for Conference Participation

The Interstate Chemicals Clearinghouse invites submissions for the **2026 Ken Zarker Award for Students and Early Career Professionals**. The award supports the participation of students and early career professionals in attending a conference on green chemistry, toxics use reduction, or alternative assessment. [Learn more and apply by Dec. 20](#)

Case Studies & Resources

CASE STUDY

NYSP2I Conducts Life Cycle Assessment and Develops Environmental Product Declaration on WexEnergy's PolarSkin™ and SolarSkin™



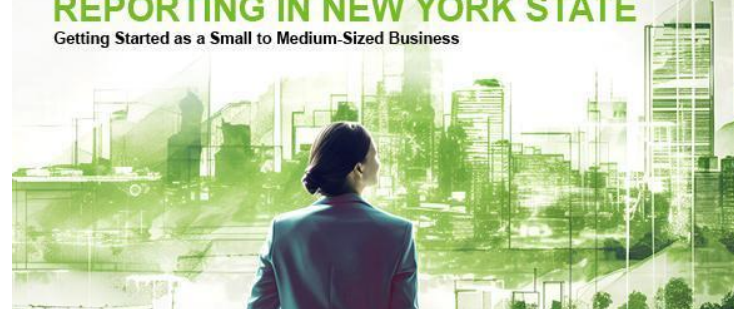
Case Study: WexEnergy

Life Cycle Assessment and Environmental Product Declaration Conducted on WexEnergy's PolarSkin™ and SolarSkin™ Window Insulation Panels

[View the case study](#)

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING IN NEW YORK STATE

Getting Started as a Small to Medium-Sized Business



Environmental Sustainability Trends Report

This report outlines current trends and practical strategies to help small and medium-sized businesses overcome knowledge and resource barriers in sustainability reporting. It provides clear, actionable guidance to support businesses in taking meaningful steps toward environmental transparency.

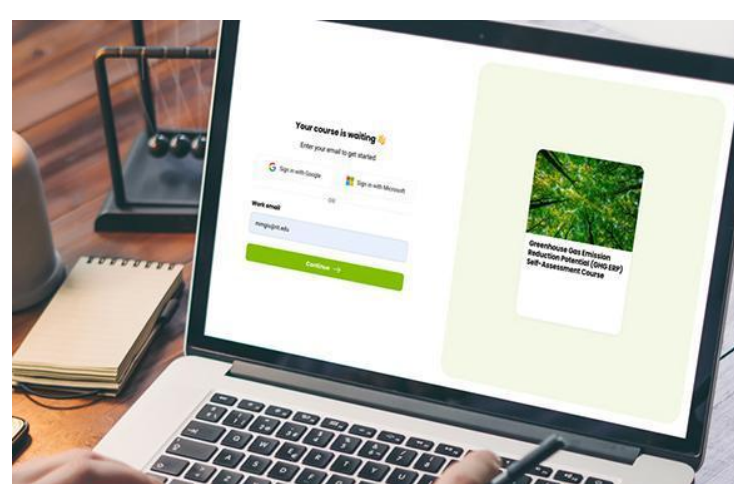
[View the report](#)

Greenhouse Gas Emission E-Learning Courses

Two free, self-paced e-learning courses are available:

- Greenhouse Gas Emission (GHG) Basics
- Greenhouse Gas Emission Reduction Potential (GHG ERP) Self-Assessment

[Explore the courses](#)



Past Editions

- [Summer 2025:](#) Community grants, food scraps, green chemistry, and more.
- [View all](#)