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**Guardian Fuel Speaks as Biodiesel Dealer  
At Clean Cities Expo**

*October 6, 2008, Norwich, CT* – At a time when the world is watching signs of Global Warming and the price of necessary fuels such as gasoline and oil are skyrocketing, the states of Connecticut and Rhode Island are taking action to educate fleet owners, fleet managers, transportation professionals, municipal leaders and businesses about cleaner burning, alternative fuel choices. Jamie Lohr, President of Guardian Fuel & Energy Systems, will be joining the other speakers who are representatives of the U. S. Department of Energy, State Legislative representatives from CT, as well as other experts from both CT and RI. Jamie will be talking about the biodiesel alternative fuel blends.

The four Connecticut Clean Cities Coalitions and the Ocean State Clean Cities Coalition are cooperating in this FREE educational event, technology expo and workshop on alternative fuels and clean fuel vehicles, "**What's Out There, What Works.**" This event is being held on **Thursday, October 23, 2008, 9am - 3pm** at the **Holiday Inn in Norwich**. The focuses will be on ways to cut emissions in vehicles, what vehicles are available, cleaner burning fuels, legislation on emission reduction, diesel retrofits, and funding programs and innovative financing.

Lohr agrees with the Coalitions that, *"Improving the environment is critical. Through the process of education on cleaner fuel options, immediate positive results would be felt: reduction of emissions of greenhouse gases and particulate matter, reduction of our dependency on foreign supply by using domestically produced alternatives."*

The Clean Cities Program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy. This program supports public and private partnerships that deploy alternative fuel vehicles and build supporting infrastructure. The mission of the program is to enhance our nation's energy security and air quality through a portfolio of technologies to reduce petroleum consumption and increase alternative fuel use.

For more information on this free event, go to:

<http://www.norwichcleancities.org>

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