

**Schedule for SWANA Northern Lights Chapter Conference**  
**The Cleanup: Natural Disasters and an Aftermath of Waste**  
**March 12 – 14, 2012**  
**Keystone Centre, Brandon, Manitoba**

Monday, March 12, 2012		
9:00 am	Option 1: Compost Tour	Option 2: Landfill and Grinding Tour
12:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	Curling Tournament and/or Trade Show Setup	
6:00 pm	Welcome Reception (Bud, Spud and Steak night)	
Tuesday, March 13, 2012		
7:30 am	Breakfast in Trade Show	
8:00 am	Conference Opening, Welcoming Remarks, and Keynote Speaker – Frank Tacan Sr. <b>Stewardship of the Earth: Lessons Learned</b>	
9:45 am	Coffee Break in Trade Show	
10:15 am	Plenary Session – Natural Disasters in our Region - Slave Lake( <i>Tom Moore</i> ), Brandon ( <i>Brian Kayes</i> ), Yorkton( <i>Michael Buchholzer</i> )	
12:00 pm	Lunch in Trade Show	
1:00 pm	<b>Technical Session 2A</b> Natural Disasters Workshop Facilitated by Alberta, Saskatchewan & Manitoba experts	<b>Technical Session 2B</b> Southern Alberta Energy From Waste Alliance – <i>Neil MacDonald (HDR Corp)</i> Pioneering Landfill Gas Collection & Flaring in Manitoba – <i>Denise Burgess (Comcor Environmental)</i> Occurrence and Remediation of Clogging in Leachate Systems – <i>Stan Lozecznik (KGS Group)</i>
2:30 pm	Coffee Break in Trade Show	
3:00 pm	<b>Technical Session 2A (continued)</b> Natural Disasters Workshop	<b>Technical Session 3B</b> Household Hazardous Waste New Manitoba HHW Regulations – <i>Rod McCormick (Manitoba Conservation)</i> Odor Monitoring and Response- <i>Jim Lapp(City of Edmonton)</i>
6:00 pm	Trade Show Mixer and Banquet	
8:00 pm – 1:00 am	Reception / Fun night (Entertainment – Comedian and Casino)	
Wednesday, March 14, 2012		
7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast in Trade Show	
7:30 am – 8:00 am	Annual General Meeting (and breakfast)	
8:00 am – 8:15 am	SWANA Canada information session	<b>Local Partnership – Regional Solution</b> – in partnership with INAC/Green Manitoba
8:15 am – 9:30 am	<b>Technical Sessions 4B</b> Landfill Construction <i>Iain Pimlott (Genivar)</i> C&D Waste Sorting Facility at Edmonton WMC- <i>Melanie Lee(City of Edmonton)</i> Compost Odor Mitigation – <i>Daryl McCartney (Edmonton Waste Management Centre of Excellence)</i>	
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Coffee Break in Trade Show Area	
10:00 am – 11:00am	<b>Technical Sessions 5B</b> Winnipeg’s Garbage and Recycling Master Plan - <i>Darryl Drohomerski(City of Winnipeg)</i> MB Landfill Levy and Organics Diversion - <i>Jim Ferguson (Green Manitoba)</i>	<b>Local Partnership – Regional Solution (continued)</b>
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Closing Keynote Speaker – <i>Todd Thalhammer</i> <b>Taking Command in a Disaster</b>	
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch & Closing Remarks	
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	SWANA Certified Training Sessions (2) (Landfill Operator Basics & Household Hazardous Waste)	
Thursday, March 15, 2012		
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	SWANA Certified Training Sessions (3) (Transfer Station, Landfill Operator Basics & Household Hazardous Waste)	
Friday, March 16, 2012		
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	SWANA Certified Training Sessions (Landfill Operator Basics & Household Hazardous Waste)	
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Landfill Operator Certification Exam (Alberta applicants only must apply 4 weeks prior) & Household Hazardous Waste Exam Sitting	

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