



The Climate Registry

## **PRESS RELEASE**

**For Release:** May 8, 2008

Contact: Nancy Whalen, 213-891-6933  
Nancy@climateretry.org

### **240 Organizations Lead North American Action on Climate**

#### **Founding Reporters first to join Greenhouse Gas Registry**

WASHINGTON, DC – Two hundred forty corporations, state and local governments, environmental and other organizations have stepped up to lead North America in greenhouse gas reporting by joining The Climate Registry. The Climate Registry is a non-profit organization that sets standards for greenhouse gas measurement, verification, and public reporting which are accurate and consistent across North America. Thirty nine U.S. states, nine Canadian provinces, six Mexican states, three Native American tribes, and the District of Columbia have adopted The Climate Registry's voluntary standards.

“The depth and variety of the Founding Reporters from all across North America and in so many different sectors – cities, auto manufacturers, wine makers, and the post office - is a testament to the breadth of ongoing climate activities and the Registry's ability to assist in these efforts,” said Gina McCarthy, Chair of The Climate Registry Board and Commissioner of the Connecticut Department of Environmental Quality.

Here is a sampling of the breadth and depth of the Founding Reporters:

#### Manufacturing:

Alcoa—Washington  
Cormetech, Inc.—North Carolina  
Eastman Kodak Company—New York  
Ford Motor Company—Michigan  
PPG Industries, Inc.—Pennsylvania

Subaru of Indiana Automotive, Inc.—Indiana

Oil & Gas:

Shell Oil Company—Texas  
Suncor Energy (USA) Inc.—Colorado  
Northern Natural Gas—Nebraska

Power:

Arizona Public Service Company—Arizona  
Duke Energy Corporation—North Carolina  
Minnesota Power—Minnesota  
PacifiCorp—Oregon  
PG&E—California  
Termoelectrica de Mexicali—Sonora, MX  
Westar Energy, Inc.—Kansas  
Wolverine Power Cooperative—Michigan

State & Federal Agencies:

Maryland Department of the Environment—Maryland  
Massachusetts DEP  
Nevada DEP  
State of Utah Executive Branch  
State of Vermont Agency of Natural Resources  
Los Alamos National Lab—New Mexico  
The U.S. Postal Service—Washington D.C.

Cities:

Austin, Texas  
Greenville, South Carolina  
Seattle, Washington  
Wilmington, Delaware

General:

Mitel Networks Corporation—Ontario, CA  
Newmont Mining Corporation—Nevada  
Northland College—Wisconsin  
St. Louis Zoo—Missouri  
Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC)—Virginia  
Natural Resource Defense Council—New York

For a complete list of Founding Reporters, please visit  
<http://theclimateregistry.org/reporters.html>.

The Climate Registry's mission is to set accurate and transparent standards for greenhouse gas measurement, verification and public reporting that is consistent in a single unified North American GHG registry. Our program supports

mandatory and voluntary GHG reporting programs at the local, regional and federal levels, providing Reporters with meaningful data to mitigate the effects of climate change and reduce their greenhouse gas emissions. The Registry is a non-profit organization embodying the highest levels of environmental integrity.

XXX