

Best Business Practices

Northeast Clean Ports Workshop

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- Represents 95%+ of marine terminal operators in the U.S.
- NAWE members have significant presence in every major port in U.S.
- Current key issues are security and the environment

NAWE Environmental Agenda

- Leadership by example
- Collaborate and cooperate w/ competition
- One MTO gets black eye ... whole industry gets black eye
- Active participation w/ environmental regulators and communities

Bad News Diesel Engines are the *backbone* of every major activity at Ports



Good News Numerous Opportunities to Reduce Diesel Emission

- Changes in operations
- New or retrofit engines
- Low emission fuels

NE Clean Ports WS

- Strategies to reduce emissions
- Technical approaches to reduce emission

Best Business Practices

- Not “Best Available Technology”...
- Environmentally projects can have business payback
- 4 Examples that reinforce notion that Best Business Practices can have environmental benefits