



Snowy Bruce Peninsula

FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

December 2022

It's the most wonderful time of the year. The snow is falling as I draft the December newsletter and I wouldn't have it any other way. This weekend we'll bundle up for the Santa Claus Parade and finish up letters to the big guy.



What a spectacular year for the Clean Energy Frontier program!
Let's do a quick recap ➡

- Launched results of our economic impact of clean energy study.
- Delivered 26 presentations (across Canada and internationally) regarding the successful public-private partnership and economic impact details from Bruce, Grey and Huron.
- Applied to three federal funding programs (fingers crossed!)
- Won two national awards.
- Launched the Nuclear Sector Sustainability and Growth Study.
- Met quarterly with Bruce, Grey and Huron economic development leaders.
- Executed two Regional Steering Committee (virtual and in person!)
- Visited Queen's Park to meet with four ministers' offices and attend two receptions.
- Developed a marketing and communications plan for the program in consultation with economic development leaders and other stakeholders.
- Executed the Impact in Action event in partnership with Bruce Power at the renovated Visitors' Centre.
- Built incredible relationships with industry partners, elected officials, and leaders in our communities and across our province.
- Delivered delegation updates to Bruce, Grey and Huron Councils.

The Clean Energy Frontier program continues to thrive, and this success is due to our shared commitment to collaboration and regional approach.

Thank you to Program Co-Chairs, Warden Jackson, Bruce Wallace and John Peevers for their ongoing support and leadership. Thank you to the Program's Regional Steering Committee for sharing ideas and coming to the table. Your leadership and involvement are so appreciated.



Looking forward to 2023, we'll be advancing more work. Here's what you can expect:

- 1) Nuclear Sector Sustainability and Growth Study to wrap up and share by the end of Q1, 2023
- 2) Clean Energy Frontier Summit, January 13 in Walkerton
- 3) Implementation of the marketing and communications plan which was built in consultation with local economic development leaders
- 4) *Plugging In 2.0* report, providing risk vs. reward consideration for installing public charging infrastructure
- 5) Annual delegations to Councils... and so much more!

Lastly, I'd like to say thank you to nuclear sector employees who will be working over the holidays to ensure clean energy for Ontario's grid. Wishing you a wonderful holiday season and a prosperous new year.

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IMPORTANT DATES

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| JAN 13 | Clean Energy Frontier Summit, Walkerton |
| JAN 22-24 | Rural Ontario Municipalities Association Conference, Toronto |
| FEB 22-24 | Canadian Nuclear Association Conference, Ottawa |

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