

SAVE THE DATE!

**Innovative Fish Passage Workshop
Portland, Oregon - October 16 & 17, 2018**

**CO-LOCATED EVENT
LIHI HYDROPOWER FORUM AND
NETWORKING SOCIAL**

In conjunction with the Innovative Fish Passage Workshop, the Low Impact Hydropower Institute will be hosting a Hydropower Forum where panelists will share thoughts on development and operations common not only to LIHI Certified facilities, but all hydropower businesses. Subjects will include risk management, regulatory issues and environmental stewardship. A networking social will be held after the forum on the first day of the workshop.

For more information, please click [HERE](#)

RENEWABLE ENERGY MARKETS 2018

Attend Renewable Energy Markets 2018

Oct 9-11 in Houston, Texas

Join the clean energy industry at REM 2018 and be a part of guiding our energy future.

Held in Houston and co-sponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, REM 2018 will host over 400 clean energy decision makers and offer ample opportunity for deal making and networking, giving you a ringside seat for energy policy discussions. LIHI Executive Director, Shannon Ames, will be speaking on "Measuring Impact in the Voluntary Markets" on the 10th.



For over 20 years, Renewable Energy Markets has been the undisputed, must-attend annual meeting for clean energy stakeholders, including generators, marketers, utility representatives, purchasers, NGOs, policymakers, and regional stakeholders.

Follow it @REMconf and #REM2018 for updates, and register at www.renewableenergymarkets.com.

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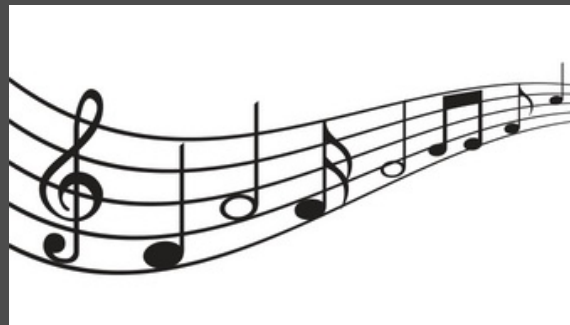
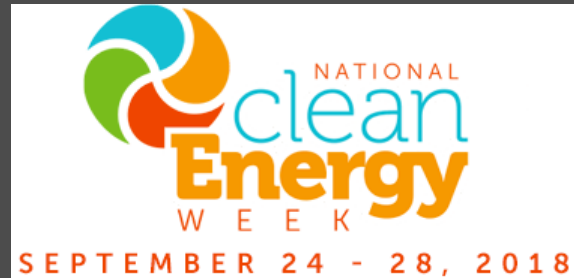


The Massachusetts Governor signed into law an energy bill that increases the growth rate of the state Renewable Portfolio Standard to 2% per year until 2029 and then 1% thereafter. This will increase the percentage of our energy required to come from renewable sources to 35% by 2030 (previously set at 25%) and to 45% by 2040 (previously set at 35%).

[Read a full MA legislative wrap-up on MassAudubon's Political Landscapes blog](#)

National Clean Energy Week

Make plans to celebrate [National Clean Energy week](#), September 24-28. Let us know if you see or are planning any hydropower events!



Can A River Play The Violin?

It can with this researcher's help. What would a river sound like if it could be transformed into classical music? [Click HERE to learn more!](#)

Low Impact Hydro News

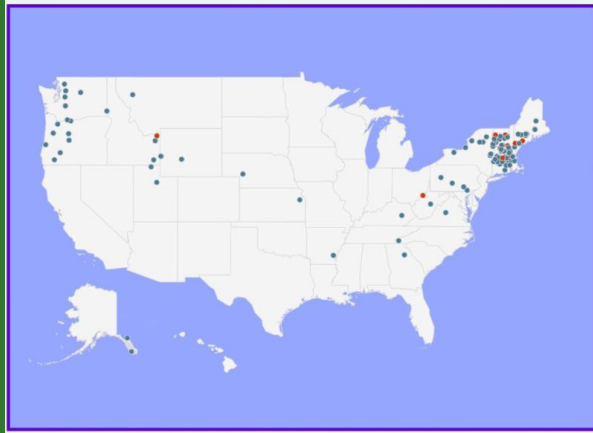
- Ontario Power Generation signs agreement to purchase Eagle Creek Renewable Energy, owner of eight LIHI Certified projects. [Canadian provincial utility Ontario Power Generation has signed a purchase and sale agreement to acquire 100% of the equity of Eagle Creek Renewable Energy LLC in the U.S.](#)
- There are benefits to small dam hydropower and Jeff Opperman weighs both the pros and cons on his blog post here: [The Unexpectedly Large Impacts of Small Hydropower](#)

Certificate Activity this Year

Currently, the Low Impact Hydropower Institute's portfolio consists of 134 Active Certificates representing over 200 powerhouses located on 84 different rivers in 23 states. Each one demonstrates a commitment to environmental, cultural and recreational stewardship.

Certificates Year to Date:

- 15 Final Certifications (and recerts)
- 5 Preliminary Decisions
- 14 Applications in Progress



• **Certified** The following hydropower facilities have been certified by the Low Impact Hydropower Institute and assigned a LHI Certificate Number (click on the links to learn more about each project):

• **Pending**

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