Workshops on
Purchasing Quieter
Products and Services

to be conducted in
Baton Rouge, LA, May 28
Inglewood, CA, June 19
(Los Angeles Area)
Atlanta, GA, July 17

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Purpose

Excessive noise, regardless of its source, has an adverse impact on our health and well-being. Local government services are often noisier than they need to be since quieter models of noisy equipment are generally available at competitive prices. This workshop will show you that "Buying Quiet" requires little additional effort, and it will provide you the information you need to purchase quieter products and services at little or no additional cost.

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Who Should Attend

Officials involved in administration, purchasing, public works, public safety, transportation, grounds maintenance, noise control, and related activities. Also, industry officials and citizens interested in a quieter environment.

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What You’ll Learn

• How to specify quieter products
• How to make sure you get what you ask for
• Who to contact for further information and technical assistance

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Speakers

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# Workshop Registration Form

To register for the Baton Rouge and Atlanta Workshops, please complete, detach, and mail to Buy Quiet Program, NIGP, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 101, Arlington, VA 22202, or call Stephen Gordon at (703) 920-4020. Registrations for the Inglewood workshop should be sent to Clifford Asai, Purchasing and Services Manager, City of Inglewood, Purchasing and Services Division, One Manchester Blvd., Inglewood, CA 90301, telephone (213) 649-7266.

We are registering for workshop to be conducted at

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**Name(s):**

**Title(s):**

**Government/Agency:**

**Street Address/P.O. Box:**

**City, State, Zip:**

**Telephone No.:**

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## WORKSHOP LOCATIONS:

**Baton Rouge:**

Prince Laurent Inn

1480 NICHOLSON DRIVE

Baton Rouge, Louisiana

**Inglewood:**

City of Inglewood, City Hall

One Manchester Blvd.

Inglewood, California

**Atlanta:**

Howard Johnson's Atlanta

Airnest Lodge

1377 Virginia Avenue

Atlanta, Georgia

**HOTEL INFORMATION FOR OUT-OF-TOWN PARTICIPANTS:**

Call Stephen Gordon.

(703) 920-4020