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## Welcome to the EPA Urban Heat Island Webcast

November 12, 2008

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm EST

### Webcast Agenda



- EPA Urban Heat Island Program: Updates and Resources
   Neelam Patel (~5 minutes)
- Transportation Research Board Meeting, Jan 11-15, 2009
   Neelam Patel (~5 minutes)
- American Meteorological Society Urban Environment Symposium, Jan 11-15, 2009 - Dr. Tony Brazel (~10 min)
- EPA's Sustainable Skylines Initiative Program
   Yvonne Johnson (~10 min)
- Advanced Modeling Tools and Systems for Addressing Urban Heat Island (UHI) Mitigation Requirements
   Jason Ching (Presentation ~25 min, Q & A ~10 min)
- Participant Updates



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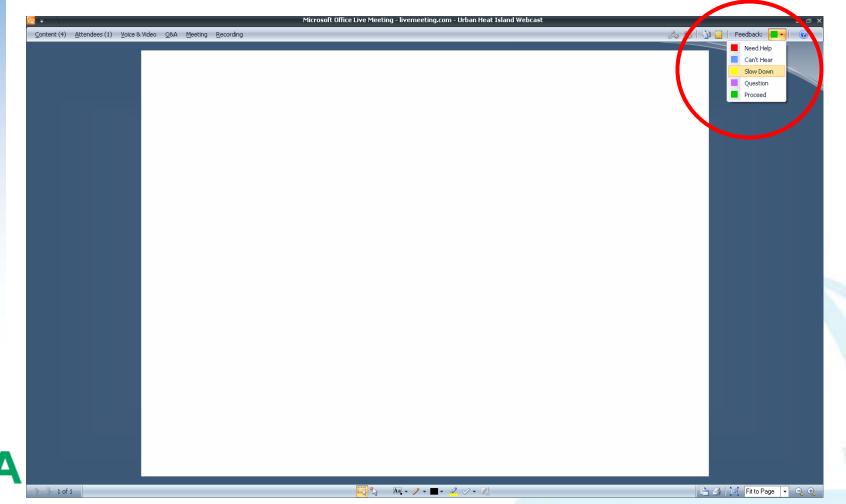
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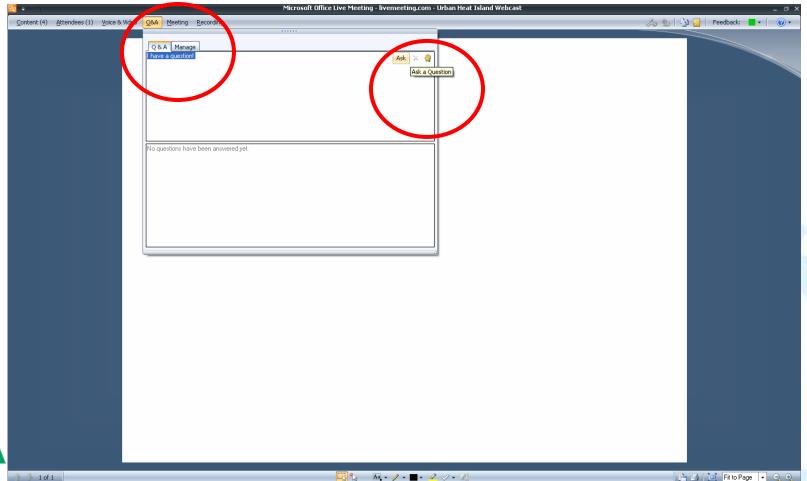
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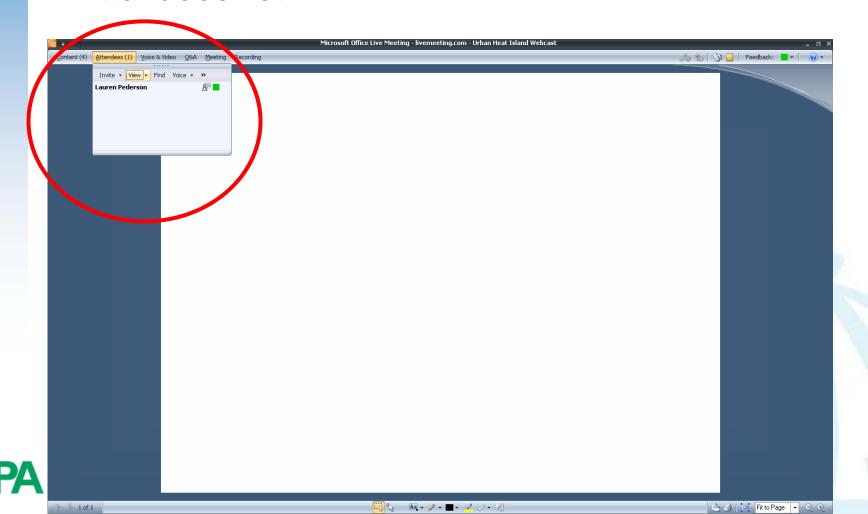




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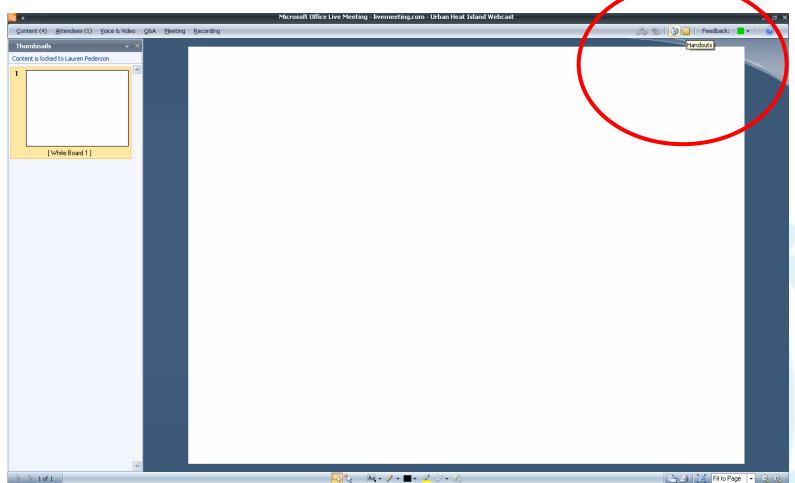
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# EPA Urban Heat Island Program



Program Changes

Updated Website

EPA Urban Heat Island Compendium



### **EPA Urban Heat Island Website**



### Structure of revised website

Refreshed information and improved usability

#### New Features

- Calendar of related events and conferences
- Featured webcast

#### EPA UHI Resources

- Community Actions Database
- Webcasts (present and past)
- Heat Island Compendium

http://www.epa.gov/hiri/index.htm

released October 21, 2008



# EPA Urban Heat Island Compendium



Reducing Urban Heat Islands: Compendium of Strategies

- Provides an overview of latest science, mitigation strategies, examples, and recommendations for additional resources
- Chapters
  - Heat Island Basics
  - Trees and Vegetation (Mitigation Strategy)
  - Green Roofs (Mitigation Strategy)
  - Cool Roofs (Mitigation Strategy)
  - Heat Island Reduction Activities
  - Coming soon: Cool Pavements (Mitigation Strategy)

http://www.epa.gov/hiri/mitigation/index.htm



### TRB Subcommittee: Pavement Materials and the Urban Climate



Transportation Research Board meeting January 11-15, 2009 in Washington DC <a href="http://www.trb.org/meeting/2009">http://www.trb.org/meeting/2009</a>

Three Meetings Relevant to Heat Islands:

1)Paper Session: Tuesday, January 13, 7:30 - 8:30pm

Pavement Technologies and Practices to Mitigate Urban Heat Island Effect (more info on next slide)

2)Subcomittee Meeting: Wednesday, January 14, 8am – 12pm Pavement Materials and the Urban Climate

3)Conference/Paper Session: Thursday, January 15, 8am - 12pm Climate Change and Design and Management of Sustainable Pavements



### Pavement Materials and the Urban Climate Subcommittee Paper Presentation



Paper/Conference Session: Pavement Technologies and Practices to Mitigate Urban Heat Island Effect, Tuesday, January 13, 7:30 - 8:30pm Sponsored by: Pavement Materials and the Urban Climate Subcommittee and Design and Construction Subcommittee

#### Papers:

- Geospatial Analysis of Remote Sensing Data to Assess Built Environment Impacts on Heat Island Effect, Air Quality, and Global Warming
- Strategies for Design and construction of High-Reflectance Asphalt Pavements
- Temperature Behavior of a Pervious Concrete System
- Pervious Concrete and Mitigation of the Urban Heat Island Effect



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