

Wiregrass Activists for Clean Energy (WACE) is a citizen group of all ages and includes business owners, parents, educators and church leaders from Valdosta and Lowndes County, Georgia. We are interested in promoting clean and sustainable energies for the future. These include solar, wind, geothermal and others, but not biomass incineration. While biomass incineration is reputed to be clean and renewable, the bio-materials needed cannot grow as fast as they are harvested and, when burned, produce tons of pollutants, many of which are toxic and carcinogenic. (http://wiregrass-ace.org/).

WACE is a chapter of the Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League (BREDL).

WACE Forum

"The Truth About Biomass Incineration"

Thursday, January 13 7 – 9 pm University Center Theater

Panelists

- Dr. Bill Sammons Certified pediatrician; expert on health effects of biomass incineration, with appearances before EPA and Senate Committees; works with Biomass Accountability Project and communities throughout the United States.
- Mr. Lou Zeller Science Director of the Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League; expert on biomass incinerators; author of "Biomass Energy: The Big Green Lie"; expert on issues relating to air permits and air quality.
- Mrs. Joy Towels Ezell President of Florida League of Conservation Voters; former Conservation Chair and Energy Chair of the Florida Chapter of the Sierra Club; co-founder of the Environmental Alliance of North Florida.
- Mrs. Karen E. Noll Co-founder and Community Outreach Coordinator of Wiregrass Activists for Clean Energy, with expertise on the proposed Wiregrass Biomass LLC incinerator; concerned mother and citizen of Valdosta, Georgia.