



Maritime Recreation Facility Conference: Session Highlight

Session 1C—Wednesday, May 27: 2:45—4:00pm

Recreation Infrastructure Canada Program (RInC) - Don't Miss Out!

If you haven't heard about the RINC program you might just miss out on an opportunity to upgrade or retrofit your recreation facilities. The Recreation Infrastructure Canada program was announced in the federal budget in January. However, it wasn't until very recently that the full details of the RINC program were announced.

The Recreational Infrastructure Canada (RInC) program is a new infrastructure fund that will invest \$500 million in recreational facilities across Canada over a two-year period. This national initiative will provide a temporary economic stimulus that will help reduce the impacts of the global recession while renewing, upgrading and expanding recreational infrastructure in Canadian communities.

Under the RINC Program, municipalities, First Nations, counties, community organizations and other not-for-profit entities will be invited to apply for renewal funding.

At the **2009 Maritime Recreation Facility Conference** being held in **Charlottetown, May 27—29**, an introductory session to the “ins” and “outs” of the new Recreation Infrastructure Canada program will be offered to the conference delegates.

This session will cover topics such as

- Who Can Apply?
- What does “Shovel Ready” really mean?
- How much \$\$ is available in this region?
- Exactly what costs are eligible?
- How will projects be assessed?
- When can I apply and is there a deadline?
- Plus, other sources of funding and how to maximize the federal commitment

This session is going to be a jam packed with information. If your municipality, city, town or village wants to learn more the RInC program then **you definitely won't want to miss this session! Neither will your Mayor, Town Council, Town Engineer, Arena Chair, Arena Board, Building Committee, Fundraising Committee or your Recreation Council!**

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Full Conference Details—www.rfans.com

Arena lighting and Low-e Ceiling Retrofit



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