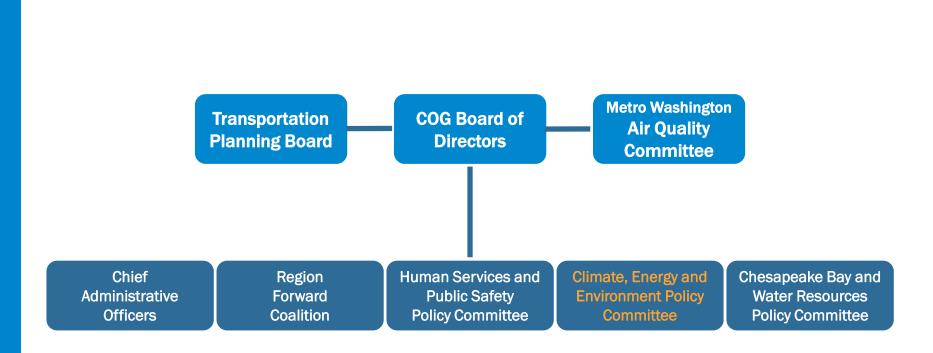
Climate, Energy and Environment Policy Committee

### **2018 ORIENTATION**

March 2018



### **COG Committee Structure**





### **CEEPC's Purpose**

**Created by the Board of Directors in 2009 for the following purposes:** 

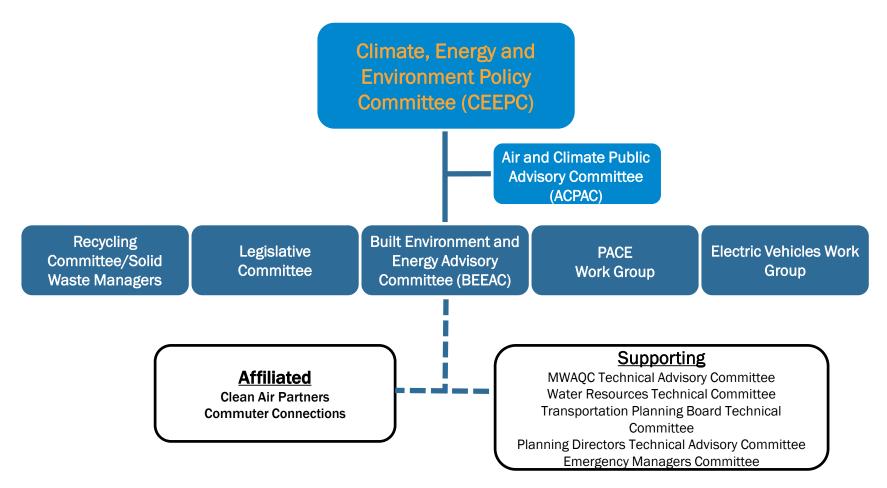
To provide leadership on climate change, energy, green building, alternative fuels, solid waste and recycling issues.

To help support area governments as they work together to meet the goals outlined in the 2008 National Capital Region Climate Change Report.



## **CEEPC Organizational Structure**

### Advisory, technical and supporting committees





### Membership

### As outlined in the CEEPC By-Laws

#### COG MEMBERS - 25

1 Elected Official per COG local govt + 1 Additional Elected Official for:

- District of Columbia (Mayor)
- Fairfax County
- Montgomery County (Exec)
- Prince George County (Exec)

#### **STATE GOVERNMENT - 13**

- MD, VA Senate + House
- State Environment, Energy, Transportation Directors

#### **STAKEHOLDERS - 20**

- Federal/Regional Agencies 4
- Electric & Gas Utilities 3
- Environmental Community 3
- Business Community 3
- Academic Community 3
- At-Large 3
- Chair, Air and Climate Public Advisory Committee (ACPAC)

#### **REGIONAL\***

- Transportation Planning Board
- Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee
- WMATA Board of Directors

\*Added if not represented by COG members.



## Voting

Quorum: 1/3 of voting members (or alternates) = 59/3 = 20

The vote of the majority of the CEEPC members (or their officially designated alternates) present and voting shall decide any question brought before the Committee; except that two-thirds of local government officials present and voting must affirmatively support any matter concerning work program, Bylaw amendment, advocacy statement, or recommendation to the COG Board of Directors.



# **2020 Objectives and Outcomes**

### **CEEPC's Regional Climate and Energy Action Plan**

Objectives	2020 Outcomes	
Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions	↓ 20% (below 2005 levels)	
Reduce Energy Consumption	↓ energy consumption by 5% (below 2015 levels) ↑ to 5,000 high performance buildings	
Increase Share of Renewables	Meet 20% of electricity consumption with power from renewables ↑ to 30K grid connected renewables	
Advance Sustainable Regional Mobility	<ul> <li>↓ transportation GHG emissions to 20.6 MMTCO<sub>2</sub>e</li> <li>↑ to 10,000 EV owners</li> <li>↑ to 1,000 EV charging stations</li> <li>↓ VMT and VMT per capita</li> </ul>	
Increase Sustainable Urban Development	<ul> <li>↑ rate of growth occurs in activity centers (73% jobs, 59% housing, 53% population)</li> <li>↓ loss of resource lands, canopy and vegetation from development</li> </ul>	



# **2020 Objectives and Outcomes**

### (Continued from previous slide)

Objectives	2020 Outcomes	
Move Toward Zero Waste	<ul> <li>to 50% recycling rate</li> <li>sustainable consumption activities in local govt decision- making</li> </ul>	
Build Regional Resilience	Increase the resiliency of the region's infrastructure, economy, and environment.	
Protect Equity and Health	Social equity, cultural sensitivity, and community health considerations are incorporated into all local climate change and energy planning, program, and policy decisions.	
Grow the Regional Clean Economy	↑ regional GDP 2% annually while meeting 2020 GHG emission reduction goal	



## **2018 CEEPC Meeting Dates**

Meeting Date	Location	Time
May 23, 2018	COG Board Room	10am - 11:45am
July 25, 2018	COG Board Room	10am – 11:45am
September 26, 2018	COG Board Room	10am – 11:45am
November 14, 2018	COG Training Center	10am – Noon



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