

AIR AND CLIMATE PUBLIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 17th, 2016 5:30 - 7:30 P.M. Room 4/5, 1st Floor

Conference Call #: 605-562-3000 Access Code: 904016#

DRAFT AGENDA

5:30 P.M. 1. CALL TO ORDER, AGENDA, MEETING SUMMARY APPROVAL AND INTRODUCTIONS

Glenna Tinney, ACPAC Chair

5:35 P.M. 2. ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY FINANCING

Lindsey Shaw, Montgomery County PACE and Green Bank Abby Johnson, Abacus Property Solutions and Virginia PACE Bracken Hendricks, Urban Ingenuity, DC Commercial PACE Program

ACPAC will hear about Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) loans and Green Banks: two financing instruments that give organizations access to upfront funding to perform energy efficiency and renewable energy investments. Leaders for implementing innovative financing tools in the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia have been invited to patriciate.

6:20 P.M. 3. ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

Glenna Tinney, ACPAC Chair

ACPAC is developing a draft Environmental Justice Toolkit for COG member governments. The status of the draft will be discussed.

6:30 P.M. 4. FLEETS FOR THE FUTURE INITIATIVE

Leah Boggs, COG Environmental Programs

The Mid-Atlantic Purchasing Team (MAPT) is a partnership between the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments and the Baltimore Metropolitan Council to providing a cooperative procurement mechanism for public agencies in the mid-Atlantic. MAPT has formed a partnership with the National Association of Regional Councils (NARC) to develop cooperative procurement opportunities specifically for alternative fuel vehicles and infrastructure.

7:00 P.M. 4. COG UPDATES

COG Staff

COG Staff will provide new information for ACPAC's review on the Regional Climate and Energy Action Plan update. Staff will also describe the status of additional ongoing and new climate-related projects including feasibility and economic studies across the region for geothermal, combined heat and power, and microgrids; an initiative under the US DOE Cities Leading Through Energy Analysis and Planning (C-LEAP) Program; development of a utility energy registry; and a Mid-Atlantic PACE initiative.

7:30 P.M. 5. ADJOURN. The next meeting is scheduled for November 14th, 2016.