

CLIMATE, ENERGY, AND ENVIRONMENT POLICY COMMITTEE (CEEPC)

March 28th, 2018 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Walter A. Scheiber Board Room

Chair: Mary Lehman, Prince George's County

DRAFT AGENDA

10:00 A.M. 1. CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTIONS, CHAIR'S REMARKS Mary Lehman, CEEPC Chair

10:10 A.M. 2. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Built Environment Energy Advisory Committee (BEEAC)
- B. Air and Climate Public Advisory Committee (ACPAC)
- C. Member Updates

10:30 A.M. 3. 2018 CEEPC OUTLOOK

Steve Walz and Staff Team, COG Environmental Programs

Steve Walz will briefly review committee priorities and projects for 2018. Committee members will be asked to provide feedback on a few timely projects including recommended next steps for electrification of transportation based on input received at COG's Washington Auto Show event, state-level legislative activities, and greenhouse gas inventories. CEEPC's input will inform the FY 2019 Work Plan and Budget, which CEEPC will review and approve in May 2018.

Recommended Action: Provide direction to staff on 2018 projects.

11:15 A.M. 4. FOSSIL FUEL DIVESTMENT

Gabriel Thoumi, Climate Advisors Raymond Ferrara, University of Maryland College Park Foundation (on the phone) Cal Watson, Georgetown University

The global movement for fossil fuel divestment asks institutions to shift investments away from companies involved in extracting fossil fuels. Mr. Thoumi will introduce approaches to divestment and provide a financial perspective of the pros and cons of the divestment process. Panelists will discuss local experiences in implementing divestment strategies and lessons learned.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

12:00 P.M. 5. ADJOURN

The next CEEPC meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 23, 2018 at 10am.

Call-in and Web Conferencing Information:

(650) 479-3207 | WebEx Webinar Link Meeting #: 641 969 443 | Web Password: climate

Meeting Documents: https://www.mwcog.org/events/2018/3/28/climate-energy-and-environment-policy-committee/