

DRAFT AGENDA

Climate, Energy and Environment Policy Committee (CEEPC)

Wednesday March 25, 2015

10:00am – 11:30am

COG Board Room, 3rd Floor

(lunch will be available for members starting at 11:30)

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10:00 am **1. Call to Order/Introductions/Chair Remarks/Approval of Meeting Summary**
-Hon. Roger Berliner, Chair

10:10 am **2. Multi-Sector Professional Working Group**
Staff will provide an update on the recent activities of the multi-sector greenhouse gas (GHG) working group (MSWG), including meetings of the energy, transportation, and land use subgroups, and development of a regional greenhouse gas inventory.

- Steve Walz, COG Director of Environmental Programs

Recommended action: *Receive briefing and provide comments and recommendations.*

10:25 am **3. Collaborative Solar Procurement**
COG, local governments, and other regional agencies partnered to develop a collaborative initiative to procure solar energy systems. Further agency efforts resulted in additional project opportunities to be developed. Project managers will provide a briefing on successful procurements of solar energy systems.

- Eric Coffman, Montgomery County DGS
- Mark Chambers, DC DGS
- Tyler Espinoza, Optony
- Blaine Collison, Altenex

Recommended action: *Receive briefing and discuss opportunities for additional jurisdictions to install solar.*

*Adjunct Member

10:50 am **4. Update on Energy Efficiency Financing – Commercial PACE**
Commercial PACE programs continue to offer opportunities for financing energy retrofits of commercial buildings. Members will receive an update on the status of PACE programs in the region, and models that could be adopted to advance the program locally.

- *Bracken Hendricks, Urban Ingenuity*
- *Abby Johnson, Abacus Property Solutions*

Recommended action: *Receive briefing and establish a regional PACE workgroup.*

11:20 am **5. Announcements and Updates**

- Infrastructure Report (Steve Walz)
- Legislative Updates (Isabel Ricker)
- CEEPC Annual Survey (Maia Davis)
- Climate Action Champions (Maia Davis)
- Awards Program (Maia Davis)
- Electric Vehicles (Leah Boggs)

11:30 am **6. Adjourn – Chair Berliner**

Next CEEPC Meeting: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 @ 10:00 am – 12 pm noon

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