climate equity plan

CITY OF MINNEAPOLIS

STAKEHOLDER LISTENING SESSIONS 2022

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agenda

LEVEL SETTING

- Process
- People
- Previous Planning Efforts & Goals

DISCUSSION

- Stories
- Goals
- Who Is Missing?

timeline of key minneapolis sustainability milestones

1990

CEAC*

The first stakeholder group is established to advise the City on environmental and sustainability issues.

2013

Climate Action Plan

The first comprehensive plan was adopted by the City that established the climate action goals and strategies.

2013

Commercial Benchmarking Policy Adopted

The first program was enacted to disclose energy use in large buildings and encourage energy efficiency.

2014

EVAC* Community Engagement Plan

Plan recommended a community stakeholder advisory committee to the Clean Energy Partnership Board.

2017

Green Zones Policy Designation and Resolutions

Established two geographic areas and two resident-based advisory councils to pursue racial and environmental equity.

2017

Utility Franchise Fee Increase

Established increased funding for city energy and environmental programs.

*Community Environmental Advisory Commission
*Energy Vision Advisory Committee

planning goals

accelerated goals

Minneapolis Community-wide "Carbon Budget"

2020 greenhouse gas emissions

MINNEAPOLIS GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS (2020)

- Fossil (Natural) Gas (45%)
- Electricity (27%)
- On-Road Transportation (23%)
- Wastewater (1%)
- Solid Waste (4%)

process

2022
2023
febraury
march
april
may
june
july
august
septemeber
october
novemeber
december
january
february
1 LISTENING
2 TESTING
3 DECIDING
4 REPORTING
Background Documents
80% Draft
100%

people - planning organizational structure

themes in previous studies

MINNEAPOLIS CLIMATE ACTION PLAN (2013)	ZERO WASTE PLAN	TRANSPORT. ACTION PLAN	100% RE BLUEPRINT	SOUTHSIDE GREEN ZONE	NORTHSIDE GREEN ZONE	PEOPLE'S CLIMATE & EQUITY PLAN
BUILDINGS & ENERGY	WASTE & RECYCLING	WALKING	ELECTRIFICATION	SELF-DETERMINATION & ACCOUNTABILITY	HEALING & VIOLENCE PREVENTION	COMFORTABLE, AFFORDABLE, CARBON FREE BLDGS
TRANSPORTATION & LAND USE	EDUCATION & OUTREACH	BICYCLING	HEALTHY LIVES AND CLIMATE EQUITY	LAND USE	HEALTHY FOOD ACCESS	BUILD COMMUNITY WEALTH
WASTE & RECYCLING	RESILIENT COMMUNITIES	TRANSIT	RESILIENT COMMUNITIES	HEALTHY FOOD ACCESS	GREEN WORKFORCE	SAFE, HEALTHY, CLIMATE-RESILIENT NEIGHBORHOODS
	INCREASE AWARENESS & OPPORTUNITY	TECHNOLOGY	INCREASE AWARENESS & OPPORTUNITY	HEALTH IN ENERGY & HOUSING	AIR, WATER & LAND	ACCESSIBLE, CARBON-FREE TRANSPORTATION
		FREIGHT		ANTI-DISPLACEMENT & GREEN ECONOMY		DEDICATED FUNDING STREAM
		STREET OPERATIONS				
		DESIGN FOR PEOPLE				

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100% renewable electricity blueprint: community benefits

Direction from community was clear: progress toward 100RE must improve equity, and that equity should not be sacrificed for expediency.

Transitioning to a sustainable energy system that benefits and is inclusive of BIPOCI communities is a primary factor for defining success.

how do we equitably achieve our minneapolis climate goals?

DISCUSSION

what's happening now?

- What do you love about your community right now?
- What have you noticed about climate change and how is this impacting your community?

what could happen in the future?

- What are your hopes for your community?
- How can the City of Minneapolis support you in the work of climate action? (either in work you are currently doing or in work you would like to do if you have fewer obstacles or more support)
- What ideas or concerns do you have about the ideal energy future for you and future generations?

next steps

- Who else should we be talking to?
- What else should we be considering?
- Add to our Climate Equity Playlist! Here's a few...

  "Mercy Me" Marvin Gaye

  "Feels like Summer" By Childish Gambino

  "Big Yellow Taxi" By Joni Mitchell

Thank you!

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