

Final CECAP Update and Next Steps for Implementation

Update/Recommendation

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Original BOS direction for CECAP

- In June 2019, the Board of Supervisors Environmental Committee was briefed on plan development for CECAP:
 - Community-driven process
 - Request for an estimated \$750,000 in FY 2019 Carryover funding would be to cover consulting services and outreach
 - CECAP would include:
 - Updating the community-wide GHG inventory
 - Developing climate mitigation actions tied to inventory, community priorities
 - Outreach to the community
 - Producing a long-form technical report, summary documents and online resources

CECAP Process

Climate Mitigation Planning & Support December

Public Feedback **Sessions & Surveys**

August 2020

Public Feedback Sessions May 2021

Project Initiation

January 2020

2020 - March 2021

Develop **Final CECAP** Technical Report January 2021 - July

2021







GHG Reduction Inventories, Models and Goals March 2020 -May 2021

Community Engagement **Planning**

August 2020 -Ongoing

> Public Feedback Sessions & Surveys February 2021

Education/ Outreach & Implementation Starting in

Fall 2021

CECAP Updates

- Seventh and final update for CECAP
- Planning process is completed moving into implementation
- Draft report has been finalized for Board review
- Moving into the implementation phase and seeking Board direction on priorities

CECAP Final Draft

- This report is a product of the Working Group
- Sections include:
 - Introduction to the issues
 - Process and methodology
 - Emissions inventory and modeling information
 - Goals
 - Strategies and Actions
 - Community Engagement
 - Current Policies and Programs
 - Next steps

How to Use the CECAP Report

- First half has details on planning process and context to understand the issues
- Second half of the report is focused on activities for implementation:
 - Individuals and Organizations
 - County Government
 - County, requiring State-Enabled Legislation
 - State and Federal Government



Major Themes/Takeaways

- Recognition of building energy and transportation playing the largest role in emissions reductions in Fairfax County
- Significant community and Working Group interest in the leadership role of Fairfax County Government
- Interest in incentives and programs to change behavior

Next Steps for CECAP

- End of planning phase transitioning to implementation
- Implementation phase kick off
 - Public education / outreach
 - Building on existing programs
 - Legislative priorities
- Next step is creating the implementation plan funding strategy, work plan, prioritization of activities for implementation
- BOS meeting in September