

December 14, 2021

COUNCIL ON CLIMATE SOLUTIONS

Current State Programs Overview
Equity and Environmental Justice
Plan Process and Outline

Council on Climate Solutions Process

Regular and Special Council Meetings

2021 Council Meetings – February through December

- February – Organizational Meeting
- March – Evolution of Energy; Energy Generation, Transmission, Distribution, and Storage including Michigan perspective; Equity and Energy Justice
- April – Building Decarbonization Pathways; MPSC buildings roadmap modeling results
- May – Vehicle Electrification; VMT Reduction and Shared Mobility
- June – Natural and Working Lands Opportunities for a Net-Zero Future; Forests, Carbon, and Climate and Policy Outlook in Michigan
- July – Michigan’s Energy Intensive Industries: GHG Footprint & Decarbonization Pillars
- August – Equity in Matters of Climate and Energy; Michigan Demographics: Implications for Energy Transition; Addressing Climate Injustice: Centering People in the Solutions; Presentation from Paul Francis, CEO & Co-Founder, KIGT
- Sept. through Dec. – Six meetings featuring presentations of Workgroup Recommendations Presentations and Discussion

Small Group Meetings

Small Group Meetings – July & November

Smaller, focused meetings of council members and EGLE staff on specific topics

General Workgroup Process

April 2021 – Sept. 2021

Phase 1
April-June 2021*

Level-setting/Exploratory Meetings – April to June 2021*

- Develop a baseline understanding for their topical area of current carbon emissions levels, opportunities, barriers and strategies for reducing emissions, and equity and workforce considerations

Phase 2
July-Late August

Deliberation and decision-making meetings – July to Late Aug.

- Grounded in the phase 1 presentations, discuss decarbonization strategies in consideration of the seven sub-questions from previous slide
- Begin drafting recommendations

Phase 3
Late August-September

Review and refine recommendations – Late Aug. to Sept.

- Refine draft recommendations, identify gaps, identify where consensus exists
- Package list of recommendations to present to the Council

Listening Sessions

April, May, and December 2021

April and May 2021 Listening Sessions

MI Healthy Climate Listening Sessions on Climate

- Listening sessions held on April 22 and May 5
- 214 attendees

December 2021 Listening Sessions

Listening Sessions on Workgroup Recommendations

- Listening Sessions Held December 1 and 2
- 205 attendees, more than 65 comments shared

Future Listening Sessions

Future Listening sessions planned

- Listening sessions on the draft plan will be scheduled in January and February

Recordings of all listening sessions are posted at Michigan.gov/Climate

MI Healthy Climate Plan Process

December 2021 – March 2021

Prepare/Share Outline

Prepare/Share Outline - December

- Draft outline
- Share outline with Council

Draft MI Healthy Climate Plan

Draft MI Healthy Climate Plan – Jan - Feb

- Write draft of plan
- Council meeting on draft plan
- Second Tribal Consultation
- Release of MI Healthy Climate plan for public comment
- Listening Sessions on draft MI Healthy Climate Plan
- Council Meeting on Feedback on draft plan

Present Final MI Healthy Climate Plan

Present Final MI Healthy Climate Plan - March

- Present Final MI Healthy Climate Plan to Governor

Next Steps

- Next meeting of the Council (if schedule approved) Jan. 11, 2022, 1-3 p.m.

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