

Measure Design Working Session #3

Bay Area Regional Climate Action Planning (BARCAP) Initiative USEPA Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) Program San Francisco-Oakland-Berkeley MSA

Welcome!

Agenda

Together as One Group (10:00 – 10:15)

- Final Design Principles, Meeting Goals, Key Decisions and Timelines
- Overview of and Roles for PCAP Measure vs Implementation Proposal

Measure Breakout Groups (10:15 – 11:45)

- Recap of WS1 and WS2, Public Workshop Feedback, Analysis Updates
- Discuss and Agree on Draft Measure Description, including Geographic Focus
- Remaining Questions for Additional Research

Together as One Group (11:45 – 12:00)

- Sharing Back
- Working Session 4 and Next Steps

Group Agreements

- Commitment to integrative problem-solving (both/and)
- Seeking new potential within evolving dynamics
- Active, full, and respectful interaction
- Focused participation
- Meeting attendance

Final Design Principles (New)

- Coordinated Builds cooperation & peer working relationships among local government and CBOs that builds community capacity and empowers community leadership
- •Resilience Builds resilience through changing climate conditions (near- and long-term), esp for frontline communities

Final Design Principles (Key Additions)

- Cost => Genuine Affordability and Access Reduces or at least does not increase housing/transportation/energy costs and considers options to expand access and affordability. *Increases access to housing and transportation, especially for frontline communities. Improves affordability programs to increase eligibility and enrollment. Defines affordability as deeply affordable to low-income people*
- Climate Equity Measures must provide direct, meaningful, desired and assured benefits to frontline communities, with a particular focus on Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) communities. *No community's well-being is sacrificed for another community*
- Jobs much more detail

Orientation – Where We Are

Working Session 1

- Establish common understanding of existing programs, gaps and opportunities, and key agencies.
- Oct 27

Working Session 2

- Agree upon key measure elements and begin formation of coalitions
- Nov 8

PCAP

• Due to EPA by March 1, 2024

Funding Application(s)

• Due to EPA by April 1, 2024

Working Session 3

- Refine measures based on GHG and community benefits analysis, continue discuss coalitions
- TODAY

Working Session 4

- Share final measure details
- Celebrate work & new coalitions
- Ensure coalition teams supported for funding apps
- Dec 13

Working Session 3 Goals

- Refined draft PCAP measure language
- You have the information you need to explore what role (if any) your organization or agency would like to play

Key Decisions and Timeline for PCAP

Timeline **Key Decisions** • Measure description + core • Mid-Jan 2024 – Post final components (incl expected measure language + core geographic location) components online • Mar 1, 2024 – Submit entire Lead implementing agencies (incl authority to implement) PCAP document (measure + • Implementation schedule, supporting analyses) to EPA milestones Key frontline community benefits to analyze

Key Decisions and Timeline for Implementation Funding Proposal

Key Decisions	Timeline
Coalition (or not?)	• Feb 1, 2024 (optional) – Submit
 Coalition lead 	Notice of Intent to Apply
 Coalition members 	• <u>April 1, 2024</u> – Submit
• MOA	application (with MOA) to EPA
 Sub-awardees 	• July 2024 – Anticipated
• Implementation project/program	notification of funding selection
details (incl budget, timeline)	 Oct 2024 – Anticipated award
	(funds expended within 5 years)

PCAP Measure vs. Implementation Proposal

PCAP MEASURE

- High level with just enough detail to:
 - 1) quantify GHG reductions,
 - 2) analyze benefits to frontline communities,
 - 3) determine authority to implement
 - 4) describe implementation milestones
 - 5) Identify funding sources to leverage
- Serves as an umbrella for implementation proposal ideas

IMPLEMENTATION PROPOSAL

- Detail of project/program design, implementation timeline, budget
- Specific roles of coalition members, sub-awardees
- More detailed information for each NOFO scoring criteria including:
 - GHG quantification
 - Frontline communities benefits and engagement during implementation
 - Demonstration of funding need
 - Transformative impact (scalable, replicable)
 - Job quality

Sample PCAP Measures from NOFO

<u>Programs</u> to accelerate incorporation of efficient electric technologies and promote electrification and implementation of end-use energy efficiency measures in existing residential buildings

New/expanded transportation infrastructure projects to facilitate public transit, micro-mobility, car sharing, bicycle, and pedestrian modes

Implementation Roles

Implementation Proposal Roles – Coalition-Based

EPA encourages coalitions

Coalition Lead

- Lead applicant
- Fundamental role
- Administers \$\$
- May have subgrantees
- Reports to EPA

MOA

Contract

Coalition Members

• Fundamental role

Contract

- Receives \$\$
- May have
 - subgrantees

Contract

<u>Subgrantees</u>

- Receives funding from coalition
 lead or member
 - for discrete project components

Eligible Entities for Each Role

Coalition Lead/Member must be one of the following:

- Lead organization for MSA planning grants
- Municipalities, local air pollution control agencies
- COGs, MPOs, other regional organizations made of multiple municipalities, CCAs

Sub-grantees must be eligible per EPA guidelines and can include (but not limited to):

- CBOs (especially for engagement and outreach)
- Non-profits
- Businesses
- Local and regional agencies
- CCAs
- Academic institutions

Implementation Proposal Roles – Partnership-Based

Contract

Lead Applicant

- Lead applicant
- Administers \$\$
- Key role
- Reports to EPA

<u>Subgrantees</u>

 Receives funding from lead applicant for discrete project components

Partners

 Help implement discrete project components (no funding)

Eligible Entities for Each Role

Lead Applicant must be one of the following:

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Measure Discussion Breakouts

Measure Discussion

Existing Building Electrification

Recap of Working Sessions 1 & 2

- Vision
- Core concepts raised in Working Sessions 1 & 2
 - Multifamily focus
 - Zonal electrification vs decommissioning
 - Contractor support and consistency in requirements (community-driven retrofit accelerator)
 - Workforce development programs
 - Landlord engagement and renter protection
 - Whole homes retrofit (several approaches)
 - Policy support
 - Build on CEC Equitable Building Decarbonization Program, CCA existing home electrification programs

Feedback from Public Workshop

- Increase incentives for retrofitting/improving energy efficiency of older homes; paid for entire decarbonization
- Streamlined permitting/permit fee rebates
- Prohibit pass-through costs
- Mandatory electrification bids
- Tariff on-bill financing; financing options for items not covered by grants if people don't have access to conventional financing

Feedback from Public Workshop (continued)

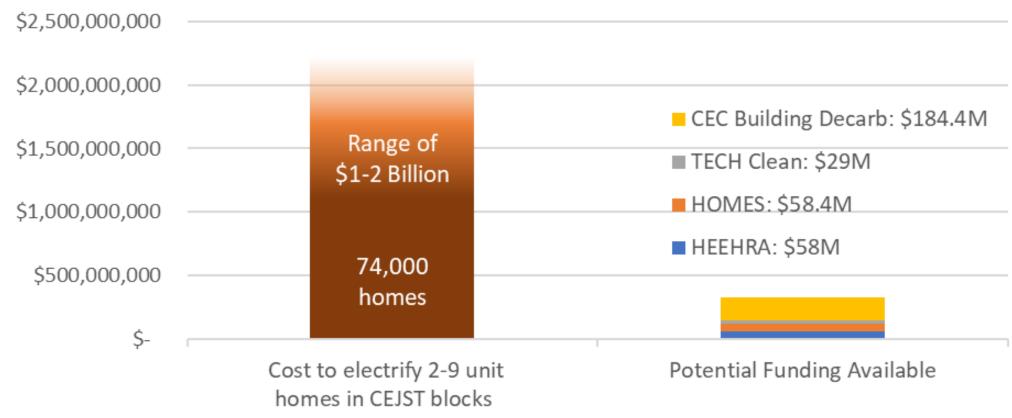
- Use emergency climate funds to upgrade transformers for higher grid demand
- Coordinate with PG&E to identify where gas infrastructure is at end of life
- EV charging for multi-family
- Concierge service to navigate entire process; community centers to access help with forms access vetted contractors
- Connection between TECH program and common standards across counties

PCAP Measure Components

(Enough detail to quantify GHG reductions, describe implementation milestones)

Measure Component	Working Session Focus
Measure description (Rationale, strategies, existing efforts to leverage, barriers/gaps being addressed)	WS2 (begin), WS3 (write)
Quantified GHG reductions (cumulative)	WS2, WS3 (inform),
Frontline communities benefits analysis	WS2, WS3 (inform)
Expected geographic location	WS2 (begin), WS3 (agree)
Key implementing agency(ies)	WS3 (begin), WS4 (agree)
Authority to implement	WS3 (begin), WS4 (agree)
Funding sources to leverage	WS4
Implementation schedule and milestones	WS4
Metrics for tracking progress	WS4

Magnitude of the Need & Funding Gap



Assumptions:

- Range of cost of full electrification: \$15K-30K per multifamily unit
- 20% of California's funding for IRA, CEC, and TECH Clean programs will go to Bay Area

Aligning with California Residential Building Electrification Goals (New & Existing)

- State of California's goal for residential buildings:
 - 3 million (2030) and 7 million (2035) all-electric and electric-ready homes
 - 6 million heat pumps installed by 2030
- Bay Area portion of the goal:
 - ~470,000 (2030) and ~1.1 million (2035) all-electric and electric-ready homes
 - ~950,000 heat pumps installed by 2030

For Measure Description, see PDF of measure description shared ahead of WS3 and/or Mural

Mural Discussion

Measure Discussion

Transportation Mode Shift

Recap of Working Sessions 1 & 2

• Vision:

In 2030, streets are designed for and safe for people to travel by foot, bike, and transit. Cars no longer dominate and aren't needed to access jobs and services. Transit is frequent and reliable. Local businesses are thriving. Families are spending less money on transportation

Core concepts raised in Working Sessions 1 & 2

- Interested in a variety of components, bike/ped facilities, micro-mobility, first mile/last mile solutions, urban greening, EV charging, e-bikes
- Focus on transit-oriented communities for larger impact
- Reduce bike/ped injuries from car accidents
- Displacement protection
- In areas with potential for economic development

Feedback from Public Workshop

- More EV charging hubs
- Zero emission corridors in urban centers
- Bike-ped commute corridors; safe bike lanes including to schools
- First mile-last mile solutions
- Loaning e-bikes; secure e-bike/bike parking

Feedback from Public Workshop (continued)

- Frequency of service/increase in number of lines
- Fair pay for drivers
- Calming travel on major streets
- More opportunities to try mobility and then incentivize
- RNG from waste to run solid waste/recycling fleet

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Transportation: Mode Shift Geographic Location

- MTC-designated Transit Oriented Community stations in frontline communities (especially EPA IRA Disadvantaged Communities).
- MTC TOC Policy requires:
 - Minimum residential and commercial office densities for new developments
 - Affordable housing production, preservation, and protection and stabilizing businesses to prevent displacement
 - Parking management
 - Transit station access (types of transit included: regional rail, commuter rail, light-rail transit, bus rapid transit, ferries)

Initial Results of Analyses

Summary of Annual Emissions Reductions (MT CO₂ Eq.)

Measure	2024
Bike Infrastructure	
Light Rail	40
Commuter Rail	511
BRT	1.9
Pedestrian Infrastructure	
Light Rail	16
Commuter Rail	243
BRT	0.7
-Bike Share	729
E-Bike Incentive	307
V Car Share	1,099
ransit Subsidy	27.3



Mural Discussion

Working Session #4 and Next Steps

- •Working Session 4 Dec 13 at 1:30-3:30pm (hybrid)
 - Decide remaining PCAP measure details:
 - •Key implementing agencies, authority to implement
 - •Implementation schedule and timelines
 - •Funding sources to leverage
 - *Identify coalition partners*
- Come prepared to discuss your potential role
 - Email us if you have questions
- •Tell us your suggestions for improving next working session (Mural)

Thank you!