



# Local Government Climate Newsletter

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District

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## ***Air District Releases New Database of All Bay Area Climate Action Plan Measures***

BAAQMD has released its new [Local Climate Action Plan \(LCAP\) Reduction Measures Database](#). The database aggregates and organizes Bay Area municipal and county Climate Action Plans (CAPs). It is a user-friendly, readily-searchable database of all GHG-emissions reduction measures contained in municipal and county CAPs (includes over 3,700 measures). For each emissions control measure, the database provides the description included in the CAP as well as the expected emission reductions achieved by the measure (when provided by the CAP). In addition, each measure has been classified

subcategories. Users can easily search the database by county, city, or measure category and/or sub-category. *[Note. The Air District has made every effort to ensure that the information provided in the database is correct and accurately reflects the totality of adopted Bay Area CAPs as of June 2019.]*

[Explore the Database Here.](#)

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## ***A Zero Emissions All-Electric Multifamily Construction Guide***

Redwood Energy for Menlo Spark has produced *A Zero Emissions All-Electric Multifamily Construction Guide* that aims to explain the trend towards all-electric multifamily housing, summarize best practices and provide designers a useful catalogue of electric products. The guide includes examples of various urban multi-unit residential buildings from across North America.

[Read the Report Here.](#)

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## ***Making Space: Congestion Charging in Cities Report by the National League of Cities***

In *Making Space: Congestion Charging in Cities*, the National League of Cities explores how congestion charging systems can become a practical funding alternative to keep up with the nation's transportation mobility projects. The report explains how congestion charging works, reviews different pilot programs, and shows the potential advantages and barriers to implementing pilots in the U.S.

[Read the Report Here.](#)



## ***TerraCount: A Land-Management Scenario Planning Tool for Local Governments***

TerraCount, developed by the California Department of Conservation and its partners, is a scenario planning tool for cities, counties, and other land use planners and decision-makers. TerraCount models the greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and natural resource implications of different development patterns and land management activities. TerraCount allows planners to evaluate land

[Find the Tool Here.](#)

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## ***The San Francisco Bay Shoreline Adaptation Atlas***

The *San Francisco Bay Shoreline Adaptation Atlas*, a joint effort by SPUR and the San Francisco Estuary Institute, proposes a science-based framework for using nature to plan for climate adaptation in the Bay Area. The atlas proposes a new regional planning framework by dividing the 400-mile Bay shoreline into 30 distinct operational landscape units and common adaptation strategies.

The atlas also identifies 27 different adaptation measures, from nature-based options to policy tools, and describes their suitability within each operational landscape unit.

[Read the Report Here.](#)

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