

Minutes of the Cross-Sector Mitigation Subcommittee
Vermont Climate Council
12-13-23

Attendees

Rich Cowart, Co-Chair, Subcommittee
TJ Poor, Co-Chair, Subcommittee
Adam Sherman, Subcommittee Member
Bram Kleppner, Subcommittee Member
Christine Donovan, Subcommittee Member
Dave Farnsworth, Subcommittee Member
Gina Campoli, Subcommittee Member
Johanna Miller, Subcommittee Member
Liz Miller, Subcommittee Member
Megan O'Toole, Subcommittee Member
Andrea Wright, Subcommittee Member
Brian Woods, Agency of Natural Resources
Jane Lazorchak, Agency of Natural Resources
William (Billy) Coster, Agency of Natural Resources
Collin Smythe, Agency of Natural Resources
Marion Wolz, Agency of Natural Resources

1. Potential Transportation Recommendations Developed by the Subcommittee's Transportation Task Force
 - a. Johanna Miller summarized the most recent document containing "Potential Transportation Recommendations" developed by the Subcommittee's Transportation Task Force for review, discussion, and vote by the Subcommittee. A previous draft of the document was discussed at the Subcommittee's meeting on November 30, 2023. The revised document discussed at this meeting incorporates changes and enhancements agreed to by the Transportation Task Force in collaboration with a variety of state staff (informed by discussion at the prior Subcommittee meeting).
 - b. The document and its recommendations were approved by the Subcommittee by consensus.
 - c. The document will be provided to the Climate Council for review and discussion at their next meeting, with the anticipation that the Council will likely vote on the document (or a revision of the document) at their January 2024 meeting.
2. Public Comment - There was no public comment.
3. Next Subcommittee Meeting - Thursday, December 21 from noon to 2 pm ET.
 - a. TJ Poor offered to provide at the meeting an overview of key thermal and electric sector analyses and related work completed by the Public Service Department (in collaboration with others) during 2023, to help inform future Subcommittee areas of focus and activities.

4. Adjournment - The meeting adjourned at 12:23 pm.