

# Vermont Climate Council Steering Committee

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# Next Steps for Biomass Recommendations

## Council agreed in April

- Climate Action Office and CBI to compile comments
- Steering Committee to decide on a pathway forward

## Options to consider today (to seed the conversation)

- Perhaps pull together a **group of Councilors – one from each of the relevant sub-committees** – to consider how to respond to the comments and efficiently share with councilors all the presentations and input presented to the Biomass Task Group
- In addition to that, perhaps also decide today to bring a portion of the recommendations forward to the Council in its next meeting (for instance, **the study recommendation**, which had broad support and is especially time-sensitive), and give the group of Councilors additional time to work through the other recommendations
- Alternatively, designate **1-2 Steering Committee members to work with CBI** in creating one or more new drafts based on comments received