

2025 Climate Action Plan Table of Contents and Drafting Leads

Chapter	Responsible Party	Lead Author	Anticipated Final Date
Letter from Council	Council	<i>Steering Committee Rep TBD</i>	June 1, 2025
Land Acknowledgment	Council	Facilitated Process	June 1, 2025
Executive Summary	CAO	Jane Lazorchak	June 1, 2025
Acknowledgments	Council	<i>Steering Committee Rep TBD</i>	June 1, 2025
Public Engagement	CAO/Councilor rep to Just Transitions	Sophi Veltrop and <i>Kelly Klein</i>	June 1, 2025
Climate and Climate Change in Vermont	Councilor Rep to Science and Data	Lesley-Ann Dupigny-Giroux	March 1, 2025
Health	Councilor Reps to the Science and Data and Rural Resilience Adaptation	David Grass	March 1, 2025
Building Equity into the CAP and Ensuring a Just Transition	Councilor Rep to the Just Transitions	<i>Kelly Klein</i>	March 1, 2025
The Vermont Climate Economy: Energy, Resilience, and Opportunities Related to Climate Action	Councilor Rep to the Science and Data	Ken Jones	March 1, 2025
Climate Action Plan Progress Assessment and Implementation Table created by CAO with opening by Councilor	CAO and Council	Jane Lazorchak and <i>Councilor</i>	March 1, 2025
Top Priority Actions	Council	<i>Steering Committee Rep TBD</i>	March 1, 2025
Using this Plan – <i>Create a Callout Box</i>	CAO	Liz Amler	March 1, 2025
Foundational Criteria	CAO	Jane Lazorchak	March 1, 2025

Callout Box			
Cross-Cutting Pathways	CAO and Council	Liz Amler	March 1, 2025
Mitigation Pathways Overview	Councilor Rep to Cross Sector Mitigation	Richard Cowart	March 1, 2025
Scientific Underpinning of the Climate Action Plan	Councilor Rep to Science and Data	Jared Duval	March 1, 2025
Transportation Pathways for Mitigation	Councilor Rep to Cross Sector Mitigation	<i>Johanna Miller</i>	March 1, 2025
Buildings & Thermal Pathways for Mitigation	Councilor Rep Cross Sector Mitigation	Richard Cowart	March 1, 2025
Electricity Pathways for Mitigation	Councilor Rep to Cross Sector Mitigation	Liz Miller	March 1, 2025
Agriculture Pathways for Mitigation	Councilor Rep to Agriculture and Ecosystems	Ryan Patch	March 1, 2025
Other Non-Energy Emissions Pathways for Mitigation	CAO and Cross Sector Mitigation	Liz Amler	March 1, 2025
Cumulative Assessment of Action on Carbon Reduction for 2025 and 2030 requirements	Councilor Reps to Cross Sector Mitigation, Science and Data, and CAO	Brian Woods	March 1, 2025
Pathways for Adaptation and Building Resilience in Communities and the Built Environment	Councilor Rep to Rural Resilience and Adaptation	<i>Chris Company</i>	March 1, 2025
Pathways for Adaptation and Building Resilience in Natural and Working Lands	Councilor Rep to Agriculture and Ecosystems or Rural Resilience and Adaptation	David Mears	March 1, 2025
Pathways for Sequestration and Storing Carbon	Councilor Rep to Agriculture and Ecosystems	Jaiel Pulskamp	March 1, 2025

Coordination of CAP with other State Plans and Initiatives	CAO	Jane Lazorchak	March 1, 2025
Climate Council Next Steps	Council	<i>Steering Committee Rep TBD</i>	June 1, 2025
Legislative Action and Rule Making Table	CAO	Liz Amler	June 1, 2025
CAP Action Table	CAO	Liz Amler	June 1, 2025
Connect with the Council and CAO Callout Box	Council	<i>Councilor</i>	June 1, 2025
Climate Stories Throughout	CAO	<i>Sophi Veltrop</i>	<i>June 1, 2025</i>
Attachments	CAO	Liz Amler	June 1, 2025
Vermont Climate Action Plan Requirements (Appendix)	CAO	Liz Amler	March 1, 2025
Definitions and Acronyms	CAO	Liz Amler	June 1, 2025