

Draft Priority Action List - Post Core Team Meeting

4/19/2023

High Priority for Workgroups

Low Priority for Workgroups

Municipal Mitigation Actions

NOTE: Action removed from Plan: "21. Revise Parking Standards"

HIGH (25)
1. Acquire Clean Electricity Sources for the County
4. Develop Additional Renewable Energy Incentives
5. Streamline Solar Permitting
9. Incentivize Energy Efficiency and Electrification Retrofits
10. Propose Green Zoning Regulations
18. Improve Pedestrian Infrastructure around Public Transportation
20. Foster Transit-Oriented Development
23. Expand Existing Programs that Reduce Single-Occupancy Vehicle Trips
24. Upgrade Public Transit Infrastructure
27. Incentivize Zero-Emission Vehicles and Charging
28. Expand Public EV Charging Network
29. Promote Zero-Emission Bus and Rail Transition
38. Launch Suburban and Rural Tree Planting Initiative
6. Purchase Clean Electricity for County Government Operations
7. Install Solar on County Government Facilities
14. Create Net-Zero Plan County Government Facilities
30. Adopt Zero- or Low-Emissions County Fleet
40. Develop Adaptation Plans for Critical Facilities
48. Understand Stormwater Flooding in Areas Outside of the Floodplain
51. Assess Availability of Backup Power for Critical Infrastructure
52. Invest in Backup Power for Critical Infrastructure
55. Improve Grid Resilience During Extreme Weather
57. Assess Shoreline Protection and Nature-Based Solutions
59. Restore Streams to Reduce Flooding
63. Incentivize Technology for Residents to Make Homes Adaptive

Community Mitigation
Municipal Mitigation
Adaptation

MEDIUM (19)
2. Promote Existing Green Power Products
3. Promote Existing Solar Incentive Programs
8. Promote Energy Efficiency and Electrification Incentives
26. Educate on Existing Zero-Emission Vehicle Incentives and Rebates
34. Implement County-Wide Composting
39. Create Voluntary Countywide Reforestation Program
15. Create All-electric Guidelines for New Construction of County Government Facilities
16. Create Mandatory Energy Benchmarking for County Government Facilities
17. Create Policy to Increase Energy Efficiency in County Government Facilities
32. Adopt County Government Zero-Emission Off-Road Policy
36. Promote Sustainable Purchasing Policy
47. Incentivize Nature-based Solutions to Reduce Flooding in Residential Properties
49. Improve Water Infrastructure for Extreme Precipitation Events
54. Adopt Guidelines to Use Nature-based Solutions on County Government Construction
60. Training for Community Members on Climate Change and Mental Health
19. Enhance Sidewalk and Trail Connectivity
62. Increase Protection from the Sun at Childcare Centers
41. Expand Building Insulation Standards to Protect Against Extreme Heat
46. Protect County Infrastructure from Flooding

LOW (20)

22. Discount Transit Passes for Residents
33. Launch Electric Equipment Lending Program
35. Mandate Commercial Food Waste Diversion
37. Support Sustainable Farming Practices
25. Encourage E-Bike and E-Scooter Adoption
11. Incentivize Energy Efficient New Buildings
12. Building Energy Benchmarking
13. Incentivize All-Electric Equipment in New Construction and Retrofits
53. Urban Heat Island Relief Program
64. Plan Alternate Evacuation Routes for Flood-prone Areas
58. Develop Plan to Preserve Estuaries and Wetlands To Reduce Flooding
65. Support Agriculture Resiliency
42. Protect Existing Buildings Against Earthquakes
45. Incentivize Businesses to Reduce Water Usage
44. Incentivize Improved Cooling Equipment in Apartments
43. Protect Existing Buildings Against High Winds
56. Expand Tax Credits for Conservation of Natural Resources
31. Support Zero- or Low-Emissions County Government Contracting of Off-Road Equipment
61. Expand Community Outreach for Education on Climate Change Adaptation
50. Protect Electrical Infrastructure from High Winds