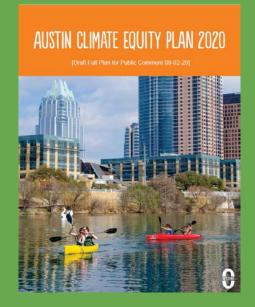
Austin Climate Equity Plan - Status Update -



September 25, 2020

Updates and Announcements

- Draft Plan was released on September 2nd
- Comment Period Closes on September 30th
- SpeakUP Austin page and Survey 170 survey responses so far <u>https://www.speakupaustin.org/community-climate-plan</u>
- Comment Review / Revisions in early October
- Aiming for the Oct. 29 or Nov. 12th Council Meeting

Boards and Commissions Presentations (24)

Commission on Immigrant Affairs Zero Waste Advisory Commission Commission on Seniors Asian American Quality of Life Advisory Commission Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities Joint Sustainability Committee Parks Board **Environmental Commission** Water and Wastewater Commission African American Resource Advisory Commission Urban Transportation Commission **ATC Food Policy Board**

Electric Utility Commission Resource Management Commission LGBTQ Quality of Life Advisory Commission Pedestrian Advisory Council **Bicycle Advisory Council** Economic Prosperity Commission Hispanic/Latino Quality of Life Commission – 9/25 Human Rights Commission - 9/28 Design Commission -9/30Community Development Commission - 10/13 Planning Commission - 10/13 Commission on Women - Pending

Boards and Commissions - Feedback

The presentation is a LOT of information and most are new to this topic Webex plus only allowing 15-20 min. restricts discussion

Distinct interest in the Ambassador Program Support for the focus on equity Clarify Transportation goals for Trips/Distance and how Project Connect fits into our goals

Support for stronger building electrification / decaronization goals

What's the cost and how will we prioritize cost / benefit? When do we get started on implementation?

Austin Climate Leaders Initiative

- Invited over 330 Businesses / Organizations
- Sign up by November 3rd to be a Founding Partner
- 3 Part commitment
 - Confirm support for the Climate Equity Plan through a letter from a company executive on letterhead
 - Take action to lower the business carbon footprint by committing to at least 4 actions aligned with the Climate Equity Plan
 - Amplify Success through social media, official list of supporters, and participation in future implementation teams

Thank you!