



Arkansas Governor's Commission on Global Warming

Transportation and Land Use
Technical Work Group
Meeting #2, March 12, 2008

Office of the Governor
Center for Climate Strategies

Welcome and Introductions

- Technical Work Group (TWG) Members
- Advisory Body Members
- Governor's Office
- Members of the Public
- Center for Climate Strategies

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Review and Approval of Prior Call Summary
3. GCGW Process Progress
4. Review of Results of GCGW Meeting #4
5. Review Goals for GCGW Meeting #5 (April 9, 2008)
6. Development of Catalog of State Actions with Rankings
7. Review Balloting Process
8. Review of Next Steps
9. Agenda, Date and Time for Next Meetings
10. Public Comments and Announcements

Stepwise Planning Process

1. *Develop inventory and forecast of emissions*
2. Identify a full range of possible actions
3. *Identify initial priorities for analysis*
4. Develop straw proposals
5. Quantify GHG reductions and costs/savings
6. Evaluate externalities, feasibility issues
7. Develop alternatives to address barriers
8. Aggregate results
9. Iterate to final agreements
10. Finalize and report recommendations

Review of Results of GCGW Meeting #4

- Changes to TLU Catalog:
 - For 1.2.3 include improve traffic flow in description.
 - In description of 1.3.4 modified language so not just first time purchase.
 - Added note in comments column of strategy 1.3.6 to indicate AR has no vehicle inspection program currently.
 - In notes under 1.4.1 and 5.6 indicate may want regional fuel standard.
 - New strategy 2.1.18, roundabouts to improve traffic flow at intersections.

Review of Results of GCGW Meeting #4

- Changes to TLU Catalog, Cont.:
 - Add to 2.2.4 use of turnback funds for trails.
 - For 2.2.11 FlexCar/ZipCar, indicate in description this could be used at college campuses.
 - New strategy 2.2.23, encourage school age children to take the bus to school or rideshare with other students.
 - Add crop dusters to description for 4.3.
 - Added strategy 5.12 focusing on reducing GHG emissions in road construction/maintenance (paving materials, construction techniques, etc.)

Goals for GCGW Meeting #5 (April 9, 2008)

- Complete the Catalog of Potential State Actions for Arkansas
- Develop recommendations on priority options for analysis for GCGW review/approval
- Develop recommendations for improving draft Arkansas GHG Inventory and Forecast
 - On-going - GCGW Meetings #5 - #7

Development of Catalog of State TLU Actions with Rankings

- Discussion of TLU actions with potential GHG reductions and cost effectiveness rankings
 - Note: Rankings used along with other information in developing recommendations for priorities for analysis
- Discussion of any suggested changes to rankings
- Complete development of Arkansas Catalog of State Actions

Balloting Process Summary

- Each TWG member to receive balloting instructions via email
- Each member may cast 10 ballots, with no more than one ballot per action
- Return ballot to CCS (lemCCS@gmail.com and Leotta@pbworld.com)
- CCS will compile results and distribute to the TWG for review and discussion
- TLU TWG will review and decide on priorities to recommend for analysis for GCGW review/approval
- Recommended priority options may include bundled options that combine several individual actions from the catalog

Next Steps

- Review of balloting results
- Discussion of bundling (consolidation) of actions
- Finalize TWG recommendations on priorities for analysis for GCGW review/approval
- Begin discussion of Arkansas GHG Inventory and Forecast

Next TLU TWG Meeting

- Agenda:
 - Review balloting results
 - Finalize TWG recommendations on priorities for analysis for GCGW review/approval
 - Discuss next steps in developing straw proposals for priority policy options approved by GCGW
 - Begin review of Arkansas GHG emissions inventory and forecast information
- Tuesday, March 18th, 10:30 to 12:00 pm



Public Input, Announcements