

City of Tacoma Standing Committee Memorandum

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SUBJECT: 2030 Climate Action Plan Update

DATE: April 9, 2025

PRESENTATION TYPE:

Informational Briefing

SUMMARY:

Staff will give an overview of the 2030 Climate Action Plan (CAP) update and review the new GHG inventory, draft actions, community engagement, and next steps. Committee input on draft actions is requested.

BACKGROUND:

The actions in the 2030 Climate Action Plan expired end of 2024, so new actions and/or updated actions are needed to ensure the City moves forward on its 2030 GHG goal. Council received a high-level overview of the CAP update process at its March 25th Study Session meeting; this presentation will expand on that presentation.

ISSUE:

When the 2030 CAP was adopted in late 2021, only short term, 2022-2024, actions were included. Those actions have since expired, so new and updated actions are needed. Additionally, opportunity exists to align CAP actions with other complimentary City plans.

ALTERNATIVES:

This is an information briefing only. There are no alternatives presented.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This is an information briefing only. There is no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

This is an information briefing only. There is no recommendation.