

Climate Justice Working Group

Wednesday, February 24, 2021 3pm

Meeting Procedures

Before beginning, a few reminders to ensure a smooth discussion:

- Working Group Members should be on mute if not speaking.
 - If using phone for audio, please tap the phone mute button.
 - If using computer for audio, please click the mute button on the computer screen (1st visual).
- Video is encouraged for Working Group members, particularly when speaking.
- In the event of a question or comment, please use the hand raise function (2nd visual). Click the participant panel button (3rd visual) for the hand raise function. Rosa or Alanah will call on members individually, at which time please unmute.



Welcome and Roll Call



Agenda

- Welcome and Roll Call
- Business Items (10 minutes)
- Public Engagement Planning
- Indicators and Data Discussion
- Next Steps



Business Items

- > Reflections from 1/27 Meeting
- > Minutes from 1/27 Meeting
- > Reflections from 3/10 Transportation Advisory Panel Meeting



Public Engagement Planning

February 2021	 Two CJWG Meetings Finalize draft criteria and list Discuss strategies for holding public/virtual meetings; platforms; langu ages; etc. Further engagement with Advisory panels
March 2021 Two Meetings	 Climate Justice WG provides draft disadvantaged communities criteria for comment (anticipated) Begin 6 Public hearings for draft criteria discussion and 120 day comment period

Elements:

- Six Regional Public Hearings
- 120-Day Comment Period



Where we are in the process





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Where we are





Updates on the indicators



Update on indicators

	Number of Indicators		manufacturing site are almost ready t download!
Indicators (data) downloaded	49		
Still need to download	75		
Need GIS Transformations	13		e.g. redlined communities, school lunches
Total	124		

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Next steps with indicators

- 1. Continue downloading data
- 2. Make sure data are good enough to use (see examples)
- 3. Working group to explore snapshots
- 4. Explore how indicators "work together"
- 5. Start narrowing down the list of indicators needed to create a solid designation
- 6. Provide working group with example combinations to ground-truth

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Indicator snapshots – go to doc



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Critical points where we will need your guidance



Regional Splits

Why: Depending on what regional splits we use, the % of DACs by region will vary widely.

There are NO right or wrong answers here, but our choices here will matter

No decisions today, but discussion will be ongoing



Example: Interim DAC Approach



Interim DAC Criteria is **primarily income**based

 HUD 50% Area Median Income (AMI) threshold + within DEC PEJAs (income + race/ethnicity)

or

 New York State Opportunity Zones: Individual poverty rate + Family income indexed to median



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https://www.nyserda.ny.gov/ny/disadvantaged-communities

Example: Regional breakdown of interim approach





Example: Urban/rural breakdown of interim approach





Region splits - Options

- 1. Data driven like the interim approach (we don't mess with anything)
- 2. Fixed equal shares (25% NYC, 25% rest of NY)
- 3. Somewhere in the middle

We will give you scenarios to review



Initial thoughts



CalEnviroScreen 4.0 just released!

Public webinar March 3 @ 2pm PT for Q&A

Webinar will be followed by six virtual public workshops to collect regional input The <u>public comment period</u> is open from February 22 to April 30, 2021.

OEHHA will review the comments and consider revisions before releasing a final version of CalEnviroScreen 4.0 in summer 2021

Meeting notices and links will be posted here: https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen

Summary of changes: <u>https://oehha.ca.gov/media/downloads/calenviroscreen/document/calenviroscreen40summaryofchanges</u> <u>d12021.pdf</u>



Next Steps

