Twentieth Meeting of the Oregon Global Warming Commission

Friday, October 21, 9:00am to noon
2 World Trade Center
25 SW Salmon Street, Portland OR, 97204
Mezz Level; The Oregon Room

Listen-only phone number: 1-877-336-1831 code: 872206

Meetings of the Oregon Global Warming Commission (OGWC) are open to the public. Public comment is welcome during the designated period(s). A listen-only phone number is also available to listen in on meeting proceedings (see above).

Agenda items will be addressed in the order listed during the meeting. However, the Chair may elect to re-order agenda items during the meeting, or to delay action on an item until the next meeting, in order to accommodate the priorities of the Commission.

I. Introduction of Agenda and Attendees

II. Informational items

1. Presentation of preliminary Oregon greenhouse gas inventory update (ODEQ staff)
2. Discussion of preliminary findings from OGWC Forest Carbon Task Force (Task Force Chair Catherine Mater; Andrew Yost, ODF)
3. Presentation of preliminary findings from Third Assessment Report of the state of climate change science in Oregon (Dr. Phil Mote, Director, Oregon Climate Change Research Institute)
4. Presentation of findings from Climate and Health Resilience Plan (Oregon Public Health Division)
5. Update on study of market-based mechanisms to reduce GHG emissions (DEQ and ODOE staff)
6. Discussion of OGWC future membership, staffing, and funding (Angus Duncan, OGWC Chair)

III. Decision item:
7. Briefing and Commission discussion on topics to be included in a 2016 update report to the legislature (Angus Duncan, Chair; Jessica Shipley, ODOE)
IV. Public Comment

Public comment will be taken at the end of the meeting. Please be aware that the Chair may choose to limit public comment to a specific amount of time per individual in order to accommodate a diversity of opinion.

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Information on all meetings of the Global Warming Commission can be found on the Commission’s web site at http://www.keeponcool.org.

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