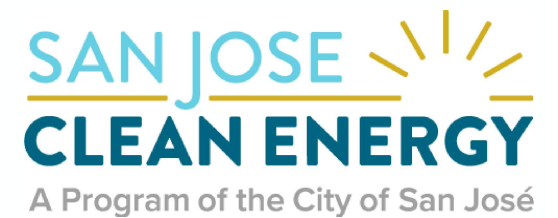


# CLIMATE COMMISSION

Clean Energy Community Advisory Commission

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# AGENDA

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- Background and purpose
- Timeline
- Discussion

# COUNCIL DIRECTION

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- City Carbon Neutral by 2030 goal
- Council directed staff to return with recommendations on establishing a new climate commission
- Council memo recommends merging CECAC with new climate commission, if established

# SCOPE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

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- Advising and making recommendations to staff on San José climate and environmental policy
- Providing feedback on staff recommendations to the Council and the Transportation and Environment Committee
- Identifying and vetting potential strategies for meeting San José's Climate Smart goals
- Monitoring best practices employed by other municipalities around the world
- Serving as the community's voice in matters related to San José environmental and climate policy

# CECAC'S ROLE

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- CECAC members will be invited to serve the remainder of their term on the new commission
  - If term continues in 2024
- Continue to provide input on SJCE's rates, integrated resource plan, and programs
- Provide input on a wider scope of climate initiatives

# CLIMATE SMART KEY STRATEGIES

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Transportation



Zero-emission vehicles



Reduce miles traveled by at least 20%



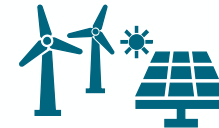
Buildings



Switch from gas to electric



Power Source



Power the community with 100% carbon neutral electricity

Multi-department effort

# COMPOSITION

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- Technical experts with experience in clean energy, power planning, transportation, planning and building, environmental law, and other relevant fields
- Climate scientists
- Climate and environmental advocacy organizations
- Community representatives
- One seat should be reserved for a youth representative
- Staff will also recommend a seat from:
  - Business, labor, educational institution



# TENTATIVE TIMELINE

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# DISCUSSION

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- What are your questions and suggestions?

