

CLIMATE POLLUTION REDUCTION GRANT PROGRAM REGISTER FOR UPCOMING TOPICAL STAKEHOLDER SESSIONS!

The State of New Jersey has received \$3 million from the United States Environmental Protection Agency to update and enhance the state's existing climate action plans. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) is leading the development of a Priority Climate Action Plan (PCAP). The PCAP will be a highly focused, near-term list of measures that can be implemented quickly to help the state achieve its 2030 goal of a 50 percent reduction in greenhouse gas emissions. The PCAP will focus on six priority areas: transportation, buildings, electric generation, food waste, halogenated gases, and natural working lands.

The New Jersey Climate Change Resource Center at Rutgers University is working with the NJDEP to gather input from stakeholders regarding three of those six priority areas: food waste, halogenated gases and natural working lands. Stakeholders are invited to participate in an upcoming topical virtual stakeholder session to provide input on each of these three priority areas. Dates and registration links for these sessions are below:

Natural Working Lands – November 8, 2023. 10:00 am - 12:00 pm REGISTER HERE

Food waste – November 9, 2023. 1:00 - 3:00 pm REGISTER HERE

Halogenated gases – November 13, 2023. 10:00 am - 12:00 pm REGISTER HERE

For more information about the NJDEP Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program or to submit a comment on the development of the Priority Climate Action Plan, please visit: https://dep.nj.gov/climatechange/mitigation/cprg/

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