
Ag Sector Workgroup on Climate Change Mitigation

Monday, September 22, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Moses Lake, Washington

- 10:00 AM Convene and Welcome
- 10:05 AM General Updates
Co-Leads update from the September CAT meeting
Update on cross-sector discussions with Beyond Waste
- 10:15 AM Topic Area 2: Agriculture Carbon Management
Review subgroup draft recommendations
 - Document: Draft Ag Carbon Management RecommendationsDiscussion (followed by consensus voting, if feasible)
 - Identify language modifications
 - Identify minority opinions, if any
- 11:15 AM Topic Area 4: Manure Digesters/Other Waste Energy Utilization
Review subgroup draft recommendations
 - Document: Draft Anaerobic Digester RecommendationsDiscussion (followed by consensus voting, if feasible)
 - Identify language modifications
 - Identify minority opinions, if any
- 12:15 PM Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00 PM Topic Area 1: Preservation of Open Space/ Ag Land
Review Final Recommendations
 - Document: Final Preservation of Open Space RecommendationsFatal flaw identification followed by consensus voting
 - Identify minority opinions, if any
- 1:30 PM Topic Area 3: Agriculture Nutrient Management/ Precision Ag
Review draft recommendations
 - Document: Draft Precision Ag RecommendationsDiscussion (followed by consensus voting, if feasible)
 - Identify language modifications
 - Identify minority opinions, if any
- 2:30 PM 10% Issue Statement
Review of Draft WCI Position Paper
 - Document: Draft WCI Position PaperDiscussion (followed by majority voting, if feasible)

- Identify language modifications
- Identify minority opinions

3:15 PM Process for Finalization

Review of what will be included in the final recommendations package

- Format
- Recommendations to-date
 - Document: Draft Ag Story/ Package Intro
 - Document: Final Assumptions and General Policy Statement
- Additional data/ Appendices

Discussion on potential for recommending on additional topic areas

- Biofuels
- On-farm energy use
- Others?

3:30 PM Public Comment

3:45 PM Next Steps

Review meeting decisions and draft recommendations

Overview of October meeting topics

Work assignments

4:00 PM Adjourn