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Michigan Climate Action Council (MCAC)

Agriculture, Forestry, & Waste Technical
Work Group (AFW TWG) Meeting #4
March 27, 2008

Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
The Center for Climate Strategies

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Meeting Purpose and Goals
3. Approval of Summary of Prior Call/ Meeting
4. Goals for MCAC Meeting #3- April 25, 2008
5. Discuss the Balloting Results and Develop the Proposed Priority Options from the Catalog to Recommend to MCAC for Detailed Design
6. Discussion of MI GHG Inventory and Forecast
7. Review of Next Steps
8. Agenda, Date and Time for Next Meetings
9. Public Comments
10. Announcements

Goals for MCAC Meeting #3

April 25, 2008

- Determine Priority State Policy Options from the Catalog for Detailed Design
- Review MI Emissions Inventory and Forecast
- Review Options for Establishment of Preliminary State Goals and Targets

MI AFW TWG Catalog

- See separate Catalog of State Actions.
- Formulate Proposed Priority State Policy Options from the Catalog based on Results of the Balloting

Balloting Process Summary

- a) Balloting by e-mail will occur after Call #3.
- b) CCS will document the initial list of priority options based on ranked voting outcomes.
- c) On call #4, TWG will review and identify priority options for analysis to be recommended to MCAC.
- d) Priority options for analysis may include bundled options that combine several individual options from the catalog.

Voting on Priorities for Analysis

- Each TWG member will receive a ballot via e-mail
- Each member may cast 10 votes, with no more than one vote per option
- Return ballot to CCS
- CCS will compile results and distribute to the TWG for review and discussion on call #4

Balloting Results Tables

- See separate results table

Policy Design Proposals

- MCAC identifies about 50 draft potential options for further development
- Subcommittees screen, prioritize, and propose initial policy option design (“straw proposals”)
 - Timing
 - Goals
 - Coverage
- CCS quantifies and presents for review
- MCAC revisits list of potential priorities, as needed

Policy Option Template

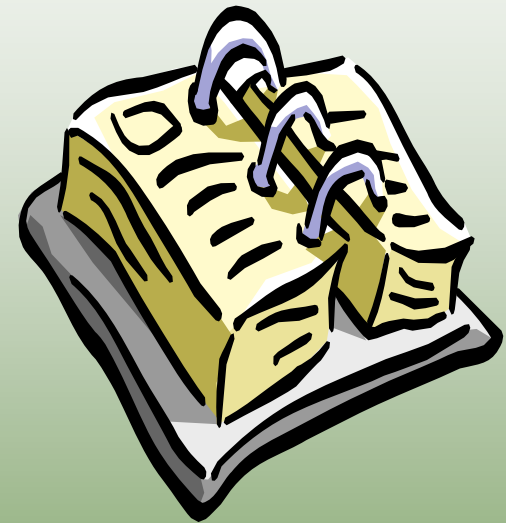
- Policy Description (Concept)
- Policy Design (Goals, Timing, Coverage)
- Implementation Methods
- Related Programs and Policies (BAU)
- Estimated GHG Savings and Costs Per MMTCO_{2e}
 - Data Sources, Methods and Assumptions
 - Key Uncertainties
- Additional (non-GHG) Benefits and Costs, as Needed
- Feasibility Issues, if Needed
- Status Of Group Approval
- Level of Group Support
- Barriers to Consensus, if any

Next Steps

- Present TWG recommended draft Priorities for Analysis from the Catalog using the balloting process
- After MCAC meeting #3 begin development of Detailed Policy Options
- Continue discussion of MI GHG Inventory- Forecast

Next TWG Meeting

- Agenda:
 - Develop beginning elements of Straw Proposed Policy Option Designs
 - Continue Review of Michigan GHG emissions inventory and forecast
- Date and Time
 - Thursday, March 27th, 1-3 PM EST
- Upcoming TWG meetings:
 - May 1
 - May 29
 - June 26
 - August 7



Public Input, Announcements