

North Central Texas Council of Governments

AGENDA

North Texas Regional Integration of Sustainability Efforts (RISE) Coalition

October 21, 2022

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Teams Meeting

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Chair: Katherine Barnett, City of Denton

Vice Chair: Mendie White, City of Lewisville

1. Welcome and Introductions.

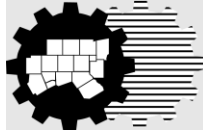
ACTION ITEMS

2. **Meeting Summary.** Review previous meeting summary and vote on approval. The July 22, 2022 Meeting Summary can be viewed [here](#).

DISCUSSION ITEMS

3. **FY2022 Work Program and Project Update.** (*Members and NCTCOG*) NCTCOG will provide an update to the group on FY2023 Work Program initiatives:
 - FY2023 Event Planning – Discuss regional education opportunities including potential ideas for workshops and webinars.
 - Energy workshop series sponsored by the City of Dallas
 - Regional GHG Inventory & ICLEI GHG Inventory Cohort
 - Final update on Organic Waste to Fuel Feasibility Study
4. **Coalition Member Recruitment Strategy.** (*Members and NCTCOG*) NCTCOG Staff will give a brief update on recruitment activities since the last meeting as well as any upcoming recruitment and funding opportunities. Staff will provide an update on the FY2023 Call for Members and current membership commitments. The Members will discuss a recruitment strategy.

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5. **Featured Sustainability Presentation.** (*Cassidy Ellis, Ameresco*) A federal energy policy expert for Ameresco will provide an overview of the recently passed Inflation Reduction Act (IRA). The IRA includes funding and incentives for clean energy jobs, energy efficient buildings, electric vehicle charging infrastructure, and more.

INFORMATION ITEMS

6. **NCTCOG Regional Opportunities.** (*NCTCOG*) NCTCOG will go over other opportunities in the North Central Texas region that relate to sustainability and the Coalition's focus areas.

OTHER BUSINESS

7. **Participant Roundtable** (*All*) Participants will have an opportunity to share activities happening in their communities/organizations to identify areas for collaboration and sharing sustainability programs or success stories.
8. **Future Agenda Items.** Suggestions for future agenda items.
9. **Next Meeting Date.** The next meeting is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on Friday, January 27, 2023. This meeting will be held in-person at NCTCOG's offices in Arlington, pending approval from Coalition members.
10. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Breanne Johnson at (817) 695-9148 or bjohnson@nctcog.org. If you plan to attend this public meeting and you have a disability that requires special arrangements at the meeting, please contact Liliana Sheppard at (817) 695-9231 or LSheppard@nctcog.org at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Reasonable accommodations will be made to assist your needs.