



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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## Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 5/23/17  
Agenda Item #: B.1  
Est. Start Time: 1:30 pm  
Date Submitted: 5/17/17

**Agenda Title:** **Climate Action Plan Progress Report**

**Requested Meeting** May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 **Time Needed:** 30 Minutes

**Department:** Non-Departmental **Division:** Office of Sustainability

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## General Information

### 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

No action is requested, this is an informational briefing only.

### 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer(s) this action affects and how it impacts the results.

In August 2015, Multnomah County adopted the 2015 Climate Action Plan (CAP) jointly with the City of Portland. The CAP is focused on a number of five year actions that put Multnomah County on track to significantly reduce greenhouse gas emissions, prepare our community for the impacts of climate change, and ensure that climate actions are rooted in achievement of equitable outcomes for the community. Since its adoption, much progress has been made and the County and City are on track to meet their five year commitments under the CAP. This briefing is an opportunity to highlight success, and discuss work ahead, and present to the board a progress report. This action is supported by Non-Departmental Office of Sustainability program offer.

### 3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

CAP implementation is supported by the Office of Sustainability primarily, and work in a number of different Departments/programs that is aligned their principle/core missions.

### 4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

Multnomah County Board adopted Resolution No. 15-076, directing implementation of the 2015 Climate Action Plan. The 2015 Climate Action Plan established a goal of reducing countywide greenhouse gas emissions 80% below 1990 levels by the year 2050. It includes 171 five year actions to be completed by Multnomah County and the City of Portland to put

**5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.**