

Cross-Sector Mitigation Subcommittee Meeting
August 12, 2021 Meeting – Minutes

Date/Time: August 12, 2021 / 8:00 AM
Location: Meeting was recorded and [posted publicly](#)
Members Present: Johanna Miller, Liz Miller, Richard Cowart, Peter Walke, Kelly Klein, Peter Bourne, Christine Donovan, Ed McNamara, Jared Duval, Gina Campoli, David Farnsworth, and Christine Donovan
Staff Present: Marian Wolz, Ken Jones, Dan Dutcher, Deirdra Ritzer, Dan Edson and Diane Bothfeld
Members Absent: Adam Knudsen and Chad Farrell

8:05 AM Welcome / Opening Remarks (Richard Cowart)

8:06 AM Approval of [8/5/21 CSM Meeting Minutes](#) (Richard Cowart)

8:07 AM VCC Steering Committee Update (Jane Lazorchak)

Jane Lazorchak provided an update to the subcommittee on discussion with in the Steering Committee about future meeting scheduling, the pace of the effort, and the status of the plan development and drafting.

8:11 AM Electricity Sector Stakeholder meeting recap

Electricity task leads provided an overview of the electric sector stakeholder meeting and heard about some of the information provided by other states.

8:18 AM Update from the Science and Data Subcommittee (Jared Duval)

Jared Duval provided an update on the work of the S&D Subcommittee related to the Greenhouse Gas Inventory and the Social Cost of Carbon.

8:20 AM Scheduling Discussion

The Subcommittee discussed conflict in the upcoming schedule, the likely trajectory of proposed work products, and the need to move to a weekly meeting starting 9/2.

8:34 AM Transportation Feedback

The Subcommittee discussed some key ideas being considered by the Transportation task leads including TCI, a feebate model, a low carbon fuel standard, and California emissions regulations Vermont currently follows.

9:22 AM Discussion with Judy Dow, member of the Agriculture and Ecosystems Subcommittee

The Subcommittee engaged in a conversation with Judy Dow, who is a member of the A&E Subcommittee, on matters related to our evaluation of equity. The Subcommittee agreed that additional conversation was warranted, especially as

resources to help evaluate potential policies through an equity lens came online.

9:41 AM Public Comment

George Gross made a public comment and his full remarks can be viewed in the meeting link above.

9:46 AM Adjourn

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