

Environment Committee and Energy Subcommittee Meeting

Local Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory and Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) Legislation

Sept. 20, 2022, 10-11:30 a.m.

Virtual – Please register with the link that was sent to the Environment Committee members.

[GRC](#) goals and strategies: Measure and monitor GHG emissions. Reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Support sustainable material management.

[Climate Action Plan](#) objectives and strategies: Demonstrate leadership to reduce emissions. Manage water and waste sustainably. Support circular economies.

1. Opening Comments & Introduction

Kevin Burns, Mayor, City of Geneva & Environment Committee/Energy Subcommittee Chairman, MMC

2. CMAP's Local Greenhouse Gas Emissions Summaries

Jared Patton, AICP, Senior Planner, Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning (CMAP)

3. Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) Legislation for Paper and Packaging Products

Walter Willis, Executive Director, Solid Waste Agency of Lake County (SWALCO)

Sydney Harris, Policy & Programs Manager, Product Stewardship Institute (PSI)

4. Discussion and Closing

Kevin Burns, Mayor, City of Geneva & Environment Committee/Energy Subcommittee Chairman, MMC

Next Environment Committee or Energy Subcommittee meetings:

- Energy Subcommittee meeting on Wed., Oct. 12th, from 10-11:30 a.m. (All Environment Committee members welcome.), topics: 1. Energy Academy the Caucus is creating 2. Utility Low Income Energy Efficiency Program governed by CEJA, opportunities for local governments to participate
- Environment Committee meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 15th, in person at the Gas Technology Institute (GTI) in Des Plaines, topic: the evolution of the natural gas industry

Another meeting:

- Virtual panel on ADA transition planning with the Metropolitan Planning Council (MPC) and the Active Transportation Alliance (ATA), Thursday, Oct. 13th, at noon
This is part of the event series, "Taking Climate Action by Prioritizing Walking, Biking, and Transit."
Register [here](#).