

North Central Texas Council of Governments



North Texas Regional Integration of Sustainability Efforts (RISE) Coalition July 21, 2023 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams

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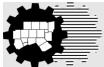
Chair: Katherine Barnett, City of Denton Vice Chair: Mendie White, City of Lewisville

1. Welcome and Introductions.

ACTION ITEMS AND DISCUSSION

- 2. **Meeting Summary.** Review previous meeting summary and vote on approval. The May 12, 2023 Meeting Summary can be viewed <u>here</u>.
- 3. **FY2023 Work Program and Project Update.** (*Members and NCTCOG*) NCTCOG will provide an update to the group on FY2023 Work Program initiatives:
 - FY2023 Events Discuss regional education opportunities including recent and upcoming workshops and webinars.
 - Energy workshop series sponsored by the City of Dallas
- 4. **FY2024 Work Plan Discussion and Approval.** *(Members and NCTCOG)* NCTCOG Staff will provide a draft of the <u>RISE Coalition Work Plan for FY2024</u>. The Members will discuss priorities for the next fiscal year, including preferred sustainability focus areas and member recruitment strategy. The Members will vote on approval of the Work Plan.
- 5. FY2024 Member Cost Share Commitments. (Members and NCTCOG)

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- 6. **2019 Regional GHG Emissions Inventory.** (*Nicholas Vanhaasen, NCTCOG*) Nicholas Vanhaasen from NCTCOG's Air Quality Technical Team will discuss the results of the 2019 Regional Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory, data takeaways, and potential next steps.
- 7. **Regional GHG Emissions Reduction Toolkit.** (Meghan Reisenauer, EDF Fellow) NCTCOG's Environmental Defense Fund Summer Fellow will present on her work expanding the Regional GHG Emissions Reduction Toolkit to include strategies for the solid waste, water, and wastewater sectors.

INFORMATION ITEMS

8. **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

- 9. **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.
- 10. Future Agenda Items. Suggestions for future agenda items.
- 11. **Next Meeting Date.** The next meeting is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on Friday, October 20, 2023. This meeting will be held in person at NCTCOG's offices:

Regional Forum Room 1st Floor, Centerpoint II 616 Six Flags Dr. Arlington, TX 76011

12. Adjournment.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Breanne Johnson at (817) 695-9148 or <u>bjohnson@nctcog.org</u>. 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.

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