

EPA's Climate Pollution Reduction Grants (CPRG):

Engaging with Communities on CPRG Benefits

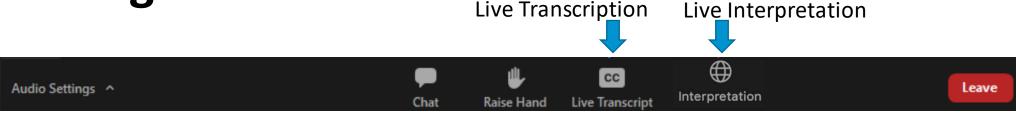
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Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program

- 1. Planning grants to develop strong climate pollution reduction strategies (\$250 million)
- Administered through cooperative agreements to states, territories,
 Tribes, air pollution control agencies, and local governments
- 2. Competitive implementation grants to help put plans into action (\$4.6 billion)

Tackling Climate and Air Pollution from Multiple **Angles**



Sector-based: Mobile Sources

Clean School Bus program Clean heavy-duty vehicles Clean ports **Diesel Emissions Reductions**



Top-down: Climate Plans

Climate Pollution Reduction Planning and **Implementation Grants**

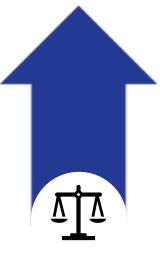






Bottom-up: Environmental Justice

Env. & Climate Justice Program Thriving Communities Program EJ Govt.-to-Govt. Program Collaborative Problem-Solving Coop. Agreement Program



Sector-based: Stationary Sources

Methane Emissions Reduction Program

Funding to Address Air Pollution / Air Monitoring

Instructions/Norms

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- Please...
 - keep remarks under 3 minutes
 - Let us know which question you will be answering or if you will be answering more than one
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 - always be respectful, and
 - use I statements.

Questions Overview

- 1. What specific greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction measures (programs, policies, projects, or actions) that could be implemented through the CPRG would achieve the most significant benefits to low-income and disadvantaged communities (LIDAC)? At the state level? At the municipal level? Within tribes?
- What are the most important additional outcomes that a program like CPRG could bring to you and your community?
- 3. What should EPA consider in the design of the program criteria to support **meaningful engagement** with communities?
- 4. What are the best strategies for states/locals/tribes to conduct meaningful engagement?

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Thank you

Additional Resources:

- FAQ
- Optional Workplan and Reporting Tool



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