

CAAP Team Project Updates

Clean Transportation

- Continuing to work with the Fleet Optimization Committee, Department Directors and Purchasing to sort out the logistics of acquiring electric vehicles - taking into consideration factors such as the length of time a purchasing window is open, and whether or not the selected EVs will be available during that window
- The next most reasonable step to take at this time is to plan for the infrastructure necessary to support the number of EVs being considered for purchasing - Funds have been allocated for the installation of some municipal charging stations
- Looking at the logistics of where to place the charging stations, which includes considerations for where the vehicles will be housed, and how they will be used/shared among departments

Clean Energy

- Solar For All grant application narrative made publicly available on Oct. 16 - includes their environmental justice criteria
 - As stated by Guidehouse, all financial and program design information is preliminary and subject to change
- Continuing to look at the needs of the City and what types of solar programs/projects we could employ - both inside and outside of community solar
- Looking at other programs that would support greater community access to solar (workforce development and job training needs, education and outreach programs, and asking the public for feedback on what they would like to see/need in a solar program)

Good Stewards - Resource Stewardship & Buildings

- Municipal benchmarking efforts continue as the Office of Sustainability seeks new Sustainability Analyst
 - Efforts now are focused on benchmarking the remaining approximately 20 municipal buildings left and refining scope of work with contractor to ensure efficiency with this part of the process
 - The phases of benchmarking are based on building size
- How to bring energy use down in buildings once benchmarking is complete and deciding how this will work in a variety of different buildings
- Having conversations about water conservation and utilities - what will this next project look like, what sector should it focus on, and who are the players?
 - Need an uninterrupted leak map
 - Brainstorming how to incentivize water conservation and addressing leaks on privately owned rental properties

Good Stewards - Natural Resources

- The Tree Board will be making physical signage for downtown tree trail
- Currently brainstorming current barriers and solutions to green infrastructure in our city

Healthy Housing

- Still working with GIS to have a map of residential properties with Home Energy Scores posted on the City website
- Neighborhood Services and Utilities have been working together to train inspectors on providing a Home Energy Score during the rental inspection process
 - Rental Energy Efficiency Score program participation and posting of scores on City website will be voluntary
- Having discussions about how best to apply an equity lens to the Rental Home Energy Score program and what we'd like to see come from this program in the future