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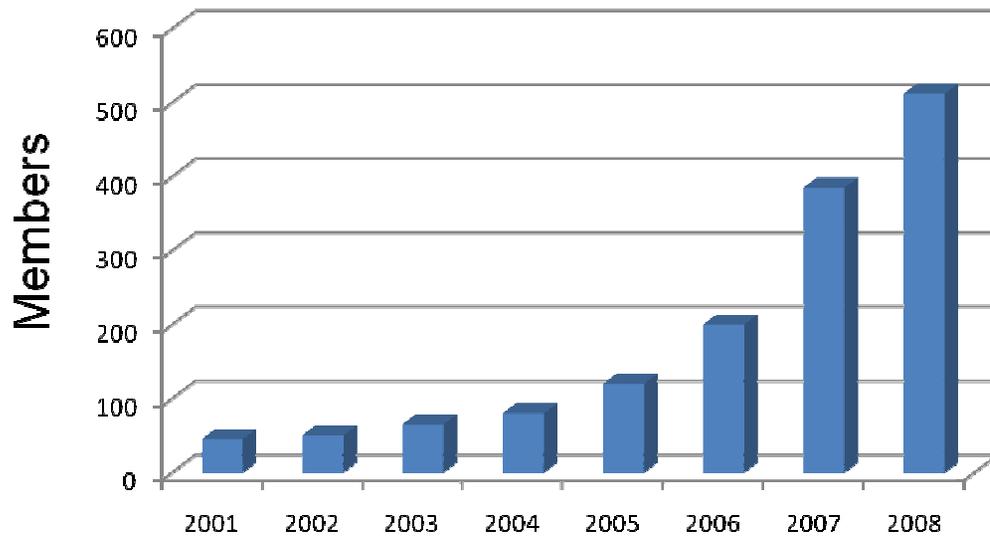


Local Government Reporting Protocols Workshop
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Our mission is to build, serve, and drive a movement of local governments to advance **deep reductions** in greenhouse gas emissions and achieve **tangible improvements** in local sustainability.



The Growing Movement



600 U.S. Member
Local Governments
(representing 30%
of the US population)



ICLEI's Five Milestones for Climate Protection



Value of LGOP to ICLEI Network

- **Inventories that are:**

- **Relevant**
- **Complete**
- **Transparent**
- **Consistent**
- **Accurate**

- **Reporting**

- **Comprehensive**
- **Quick Action**



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- **Approximately 50% of members who have done an inventory have used LGOP**

- **Silicon Valley Climate Protection Partnership**
- **St. Louis County, MO**
- **Richmond, VA**
- **District of Columbia**
- **New York**
- **Boston**
- **Chicago**
- **Charlotte**
- **Oklahoma City**



Community Inventories

- **Based on ICLEI's International Local Government GHG Emissions Analysis Protocol – “IEAP”**
- **IEAP sets broad framework and suggests individual countries produce their own supplements**
 - **Buildings**
 - Residential
 - Commercial
 - Industrial
 - Vehicles
 - Solid Waste

Community Protocol

- Identify all major and relevant minor sources of emissions
- Establish a standard emissions inventory boundary
- Identify best practice and alternative methods for quantifying these emissions
- Provide a standard reporting framework
- Provide best practice data sources for activity data and emissions factors
- Provide direction on conducting emissions inventories that responds directly to the opportunities and challenges faced by local governments
- Identify the context of emissions quantification

Thank you!

Questions?

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