

# 2026 ORIENTATION

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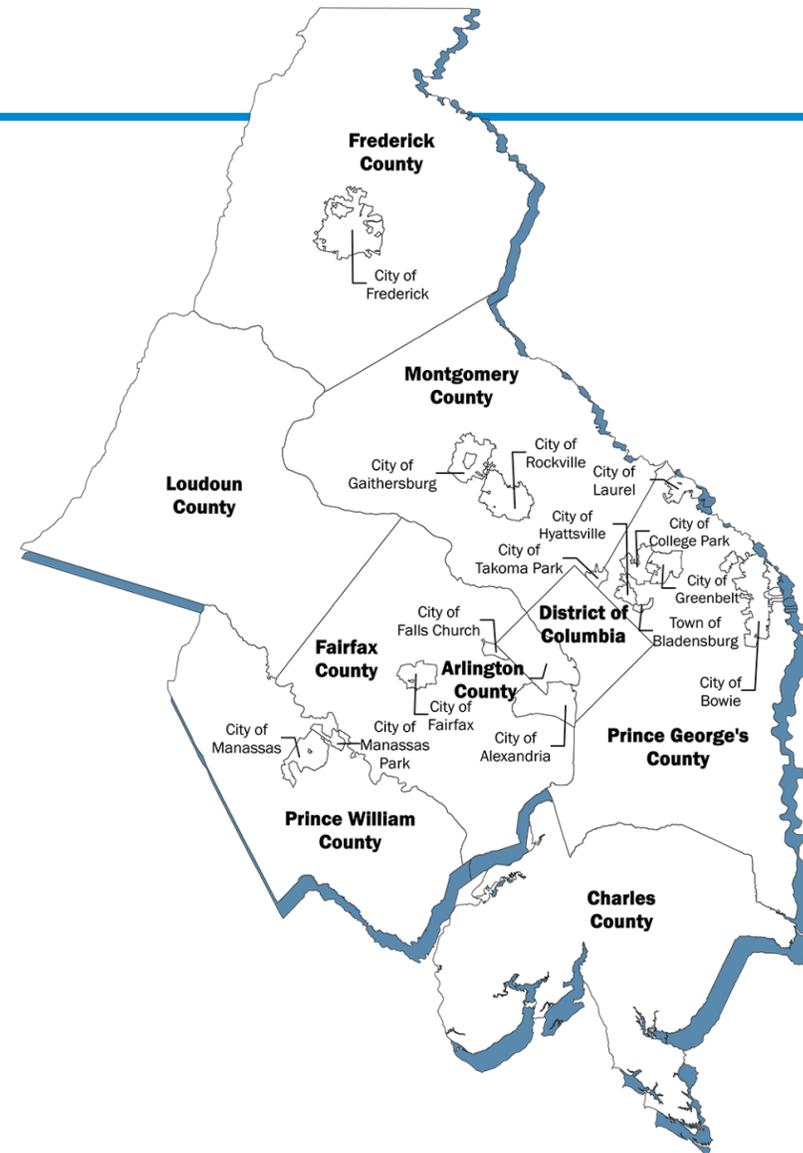
## Climate, Energy and Environmental Policy Committee (CEEPC)

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# About COG

- An independent, nonprofit association founded in 1957.
- Brings area leaders together to address regional issues and plan for the future.
- 300 elected officials from 24 local governments, the Maryland and Virginia state legislatures, and U.S. Congress, representing about 6 million residents.
- Region Forward is our common vision to ensure a more prosperous, accessible, livable, sustainable, and equitable future for all area residents.
- 125+ staff.



# CEEPC's Purpose

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**Created by the Board of Directors in 2009 for the following purposes:**

To provide leadership on climate change, energy, green building, alternative fuels, solid waste and recycling issues.

To help support area governments as they work together to meet the regional climate goals:

- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions 50% by 2030, 80% by 2050
- Becoming a Climate Ready Region and making significant progress towards becoming a Climate Resilient Region by 2030

# COG Boards and Policy Committees

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# Membership

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## COG MEMBERS - 25

- 1 Elected Official per COG local govt +
- 1 Additional Elected Official for:
  - District of Columbia (Mayor)
  - Fairfax County
  - Montgomery County (Exec)
  - Prince George County (Exec)

## STATE GOVERNMENT - 13

- MD, VA Senate + House
- State Environment, Energy, Transportation Directors

## STAKEHOLDERS - 20

- Federal/Regional Agencies - 4
- Electric & Gas Utilities - 3
- Environmental Community - 3
- Business Community - 3
- Academic Community - 3
- At-Large - 3
- Chair, Air and Climate Public Advisory Committee

## REGIONAL\*

- Transportation Planning Board
- Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee
- WMATA Board of Directors

\*Added if not represented by COG members.

# CEEPC



# CEEPC - 10 Year



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# Voting

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## Quorum: 1/3 of voting members (or alternates)

The vote of the majority of the CEEPC members (or their officially designated alternates) present and voting shall decide any question brought before the Committee; except that two-thirds of local government officials present and voting must affirmatively support any matter concerning work program, Bylaw amendment, advocacy statement, or recommendation to the COG Board of Directors.

# CEEPC Committee Structure



# BEEAC



# ACPAC



# 2024 Advancing Forests and Trees



# CLEAN VEHICLES

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# DIESEL EMISSION REDUCTION: 2010 Loudoun County Construction Equipment Repower



# DIESEL EMISSION REDUCTION: 2014 Amtrak Switcher Repower

**DIESEL EMISSION  
REDUCTION:  
2015  
Amtrak Switcher  
Site Visit**





**DIESEL EMISSION  
REDUCTION:  
2020  
Spirit of Washington  
Repower**



**DIESEL EMISSION  
REDUCTION:  
2021  
Odyssey Repower**





## 2011 Electric Vehicle Showcase



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# 2014 Clean Cities Alternative Fuel Vehicle Fueling Station Site Visit





## 2015 Electric Vehicles Readiness Workshop, and Ride and Drive

# 2016 3D Printed Electric Vehicles Tour





# 2017 Zero Emissions Vehicles Bus Training and Tour



## 2019 Auto Show

# CLEAN ENERGY

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# 2013 Charles County Energy Tour



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# 2014 Solar Ready II Fun





# 2014 WMATA Net Zero Energy Stormwater Facility Tour in Largo

**2015  
Prince George's  
County's Net Zero  
Home  
Redevelopment  
Tour**





# 2016 Alice Ferguson Foundation Net Zero Energy Building Tour





# 2019 Falls Church Geothermal Study Planning and Site Tour

# INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES

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**2011  
International  
City/County  
Management  
Association -  
China**





## 2016 Germany Energy Transitions Tour



# 2019 Germany Energy Tour



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# 2019 CEEPC and GCoM Metro Scale Climate Leaders



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# 2019 Global Covenant of Mayors GCoM IUC



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# 2023 Southeast Asia Climate Exchange YSEALI Group

# OUTREACH & ENGAGEMENT

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# 2010 Energy Saver Kit



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# 2014 Climate Awards Loudoun County Public Schools



# 2025 Climate Awards Emerald Cities Collaborative



# 2015 Greenbelt Fall Fest Climate Games



# ENGAGEMENT: 2026 Arlington Electric Vehicles Tabling Event



# TRAININGS & EVENTS

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# 2015 Green Purchasing Fair



# 2018 GHG Emissions Training





## 2017 Regional Resilience Team



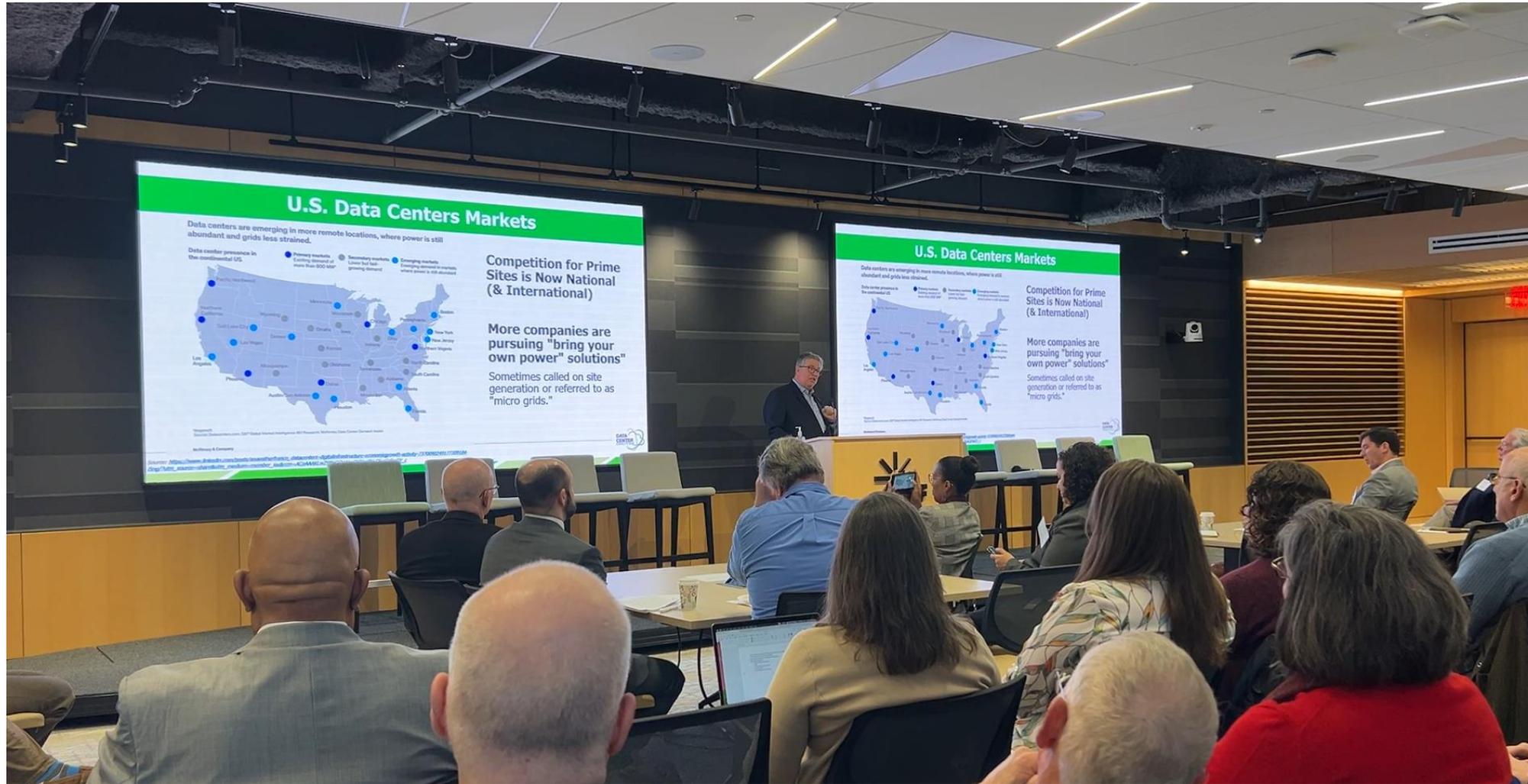
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Agenda Item #2 2026 CEEPC Orientation  
March 25, 2026

# 2019 Climate Planning Work Session



# 2026 Data Center Energy Forum



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# 2026 Auto Show



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2020  
Stuart Freudberg  
Retirement



# 2013 Joan's Rolphs Retirement





Joan Rohlfs  
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