

Climate Change Advisory Committee Meeting

Energy Programs Office
2/19/2026





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- Approval of December Minutes
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- Presentation – Large Loads 101
- Presentation – Regulatory & Policy Efforts
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Public Comment (15 Min)



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Large Loads 101

Melissa Birchard, Georgetown Climate Center



Regulatory & Policy Efforts

Daniel Searfoorce, PA PUC





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**Break
(15 Min)**

Utility Perspective

Andy Tubbs, Energy Association of PA



Rate Payer Impacts

Pat Cicero, PULP



Environmental Org. Perspective

Robert Routh, NRDC





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Meeting Wrap-Up

- Think about for discussion at the next meeting: How does this information received today combined with your knowledge help to inform the development and underlying assumptions needed to develop the next CAP?
- 2027 CIA Status: Discussing TA opportunities with academic institutions to update climate projections/develop adaptation strategies
- 2027 CAP Status: Consultant onboarding to update strategy modeling for final CPRG deliverable, mapping how to transform that deliverable into the 2027 CAP
- We'd like to use our April meeting as a working CIA/CAP session –would like to use that time to get early input to shape the next CIA and CAP, we anticipate we'll have our consultant onboard to discuss CAP modeling assumptions.
- Any closing/further thoughts from the CCAC on items we heard/discussed today that can help inform our future sessions?

2026 Meeting Planning

Upcoming Meetings:

- ~~Thursday, February 19th, 2026~~
- Wednesday, April 22nd, 2026
- Tuesday, June 23rd, 2026
- Tuesday, August 25th, 2026
- Thursday, October 29th, 2026
- Tuesday, December 15th, 2026

Wednesday, April 22, 2026: EARTH DAY!

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