Clean Heat Standard Technical Advisory Group

Subgroup on Pacing

May 8, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Attendees

- Members of the Subgroup present
 - o Michelle Keller, Fraktalas Energy
 - o Emily Levin, Northeast States Coordinated Air Use Management
 - o TJ Poor, Department of Public Service
 - o Haley Roe (designated representative from Efficiency Vermont)
- Facilitator
 - Catherine Morris, Consensus Building Institute
- Participating Vermont Public Utility Commission staff
 - Deirdre Morris

Agenda & Actions

Opening the Meeting

[Meeting commenced at 3:33 pm ET.]

Discussion

[Group generally in agreement with the Department's proposal and finds it to be a good starting point. The group discussed 3 possible options to establish the baseline/reference year: using 2020 (or 2021 in a few months) GHG inventory emissions; 2022 Vermont fuel tax data; or 2024 GWSA target emissions level. The group discussed what could affect this decision: the consequence of early action credits, the aggressiveness of the curve, and an apples-to-apples comparison with starting and ending with the inventory.]

• Action Items and Wrap Up

[Group to meet again next week. TJ to invite someone from ANR to help the group clarify the inventory methodology and how to address the inventory-LCA reconciliation]

- Public Comment Opportunity
- Closing the Meeting

[The meeting adjourned at 4:58 pm ET.]

Meeting Recording YouTube (https://youtu.be/B110 wG8MbQ)