Tualatin's Community **Climate Action** Plan

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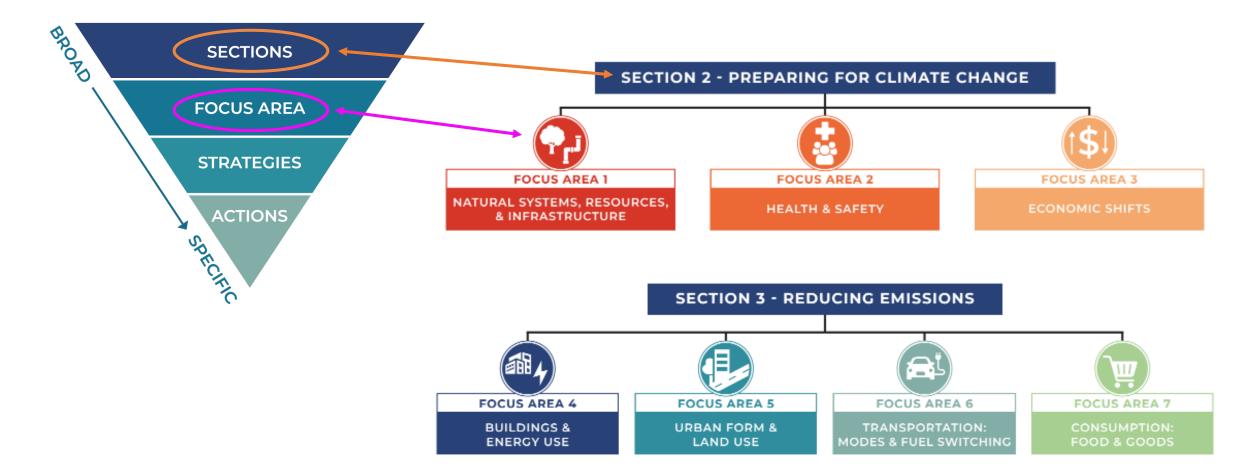
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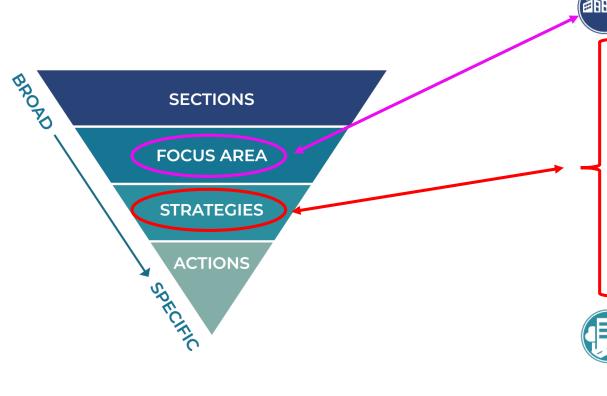
The goal

NET ZERO BY 2050

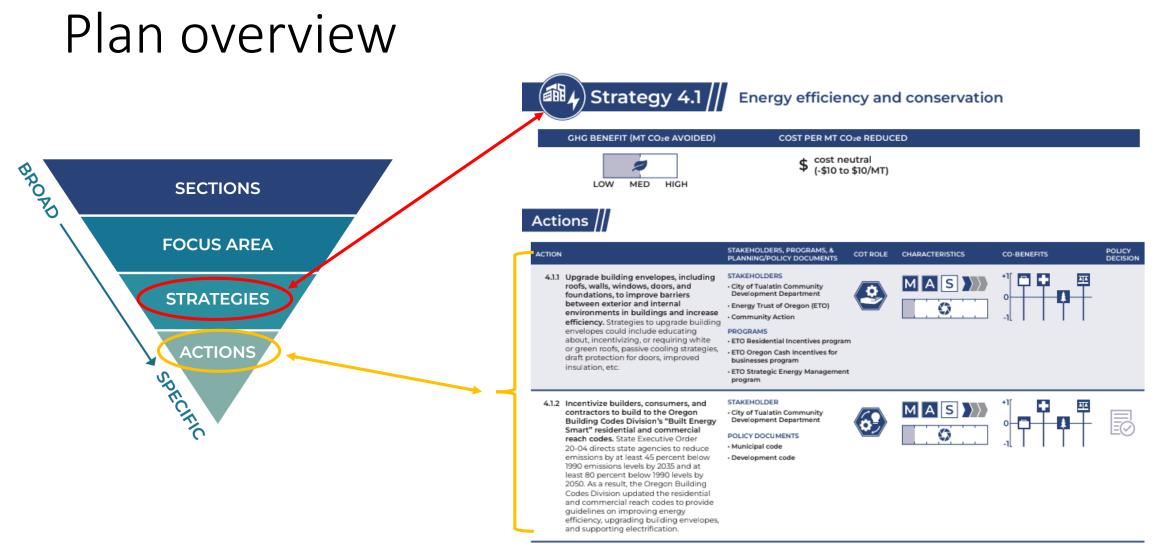
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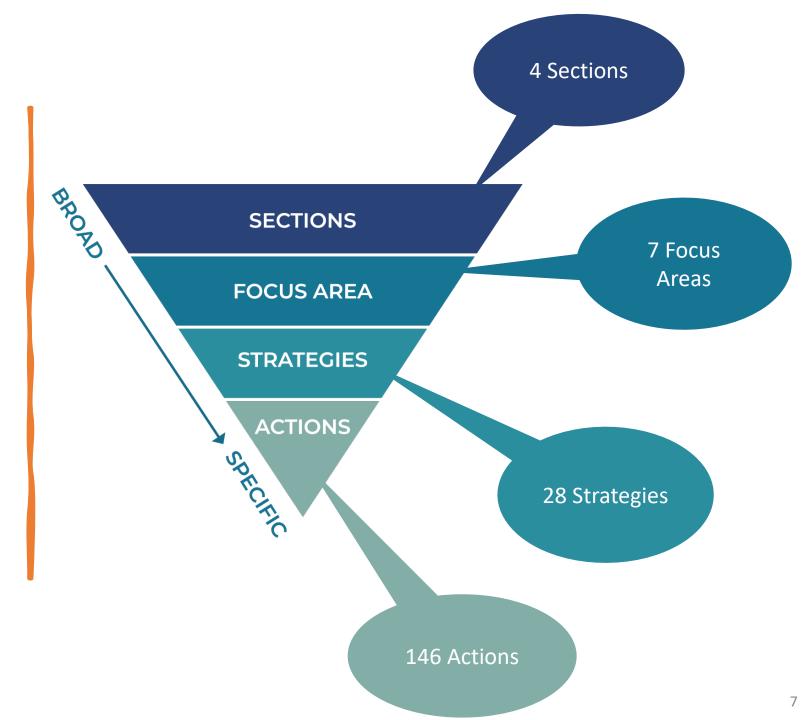


4	FOCUS AREA 4 BUILDINGS AND ENERGY			
	STRATEGY 4.1	Energy efficiency and conservation	13 Actions	
	STRATEGY 4.2	Transition to 100% carbon-free electricity supply	4 Actions	
	STRATEGY 4.3	Transition to 100% renewable natural gas (RNG) and clean hydrogen supply	4 Actions	
	STRATEGY 4.4	Electrification of space and water heating for new buildings	2 Actions	
	STRATEGY 4.5	Electrification of space and water heating for existing buildings	4 Actions	
	STRATEGY 4.6	Voluntary purchase of verified carbon offsets	3 Actions	
FOCUS AREA 5 URBAN FORM AND LAND USE				
	STRATEGY 5.1	Dense future development resulting in reduced future vehicle miles traveled	7 Actions	
	STRATEGY 5.2	Urban/community forestry & carbon sequestration	7 Actions	





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Key Outcomes

Preparing for climate change (adaptation)

- Protecting natural systems and infrastructure
- Protecting people
- Protecting jobs

Reducing emissions (mitigation)

- Reduce building emissions
- More efficient use of land
- Reduce car dependency
- Reduce consumption

Position the City for action (implementation)

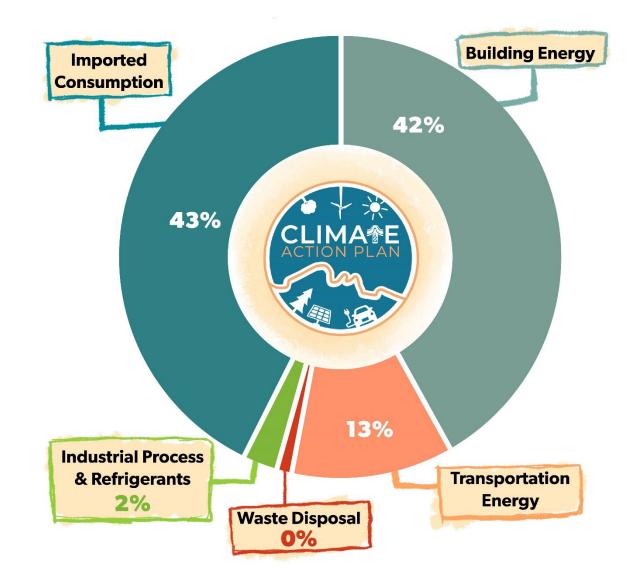
- Clear roadmap
- Accountability & measurable outcomes
- Alignment with regional partners
- Good position for external funding

	SCIENCE-BASED	The emissions reductions actions included in the Climate Action Plan meet or exceed existing regional and state level greenhouse gas and climate action-related policies and plans. Actions are based on the most up-to-date climate science and are proportional to the magnitude of the climate crisis.
	EQUITY	The Climate Action Plan includes projected impacts on different communities and groups within Tualatin. Examples of groups within Tualatin that were considered include, but are not limited to, low-income people and families, Black, indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC) communities, students and youth, and the business community.
The process	COMMUNITY BENEFITS	The Climate Action Plan highlights the benefits of climate action and focus on the potential of the plan to improve community well-being.
Four guiding principles.	PARTNERSHIP	The Climate Action Plan identifies actions Tualatin can take to meet its climate goals and partners that Tualatin can collaborate with to make progress towards these goals.



The process

Science Based



TOTAL COMMUNITY EMISSIONS

677,000 METRIC TONS OF CARBON DIOXIDE EQUIVALENTS





The process

Community based

Phase 1

• Building awareness & understanding

Phase 2

• Creating the plan

Phase 3

• Draft plan review



What's happened since we last met?

- NW Natural Comments
- Phase 3 community engagement
- Density memo (beyond VMTs)
- Final plan design
- Executive Summary



Since we met

Phase 3 engagement

What we learned

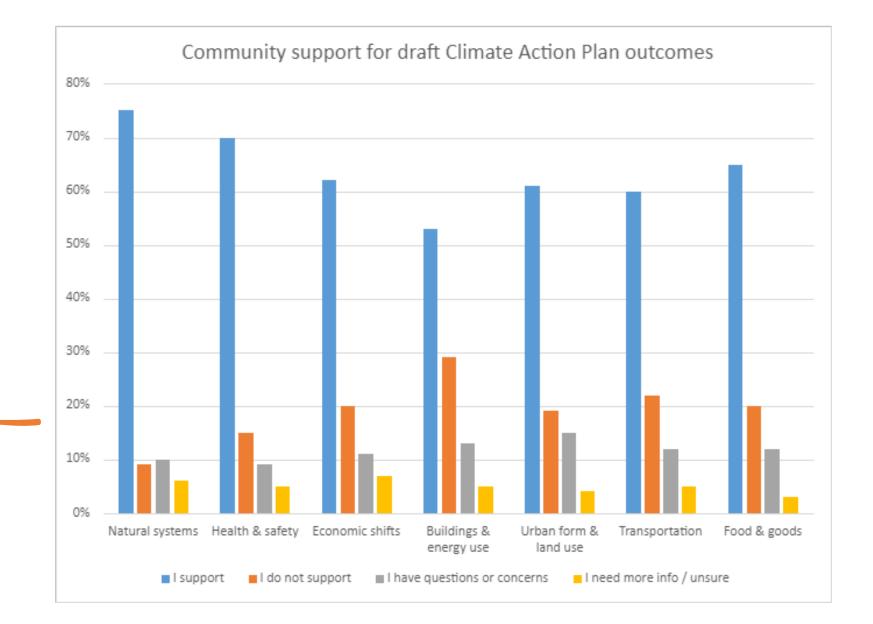
- Majority support for all outcomes
 - Protecting environment (built & natural)
 - Protecting people
 - Reducing car dependency
 - Responsible consumption
- Concerns exist
 - Cost
 - Gov. Regulations (over regulation)
 - Natural gas ban
 - Uncertainty about density

Impact to plan

- Updated community support
- Context for implementation

Since we Met

Phase 3 engagement



NW Natural

Since we met

NW Natural comments

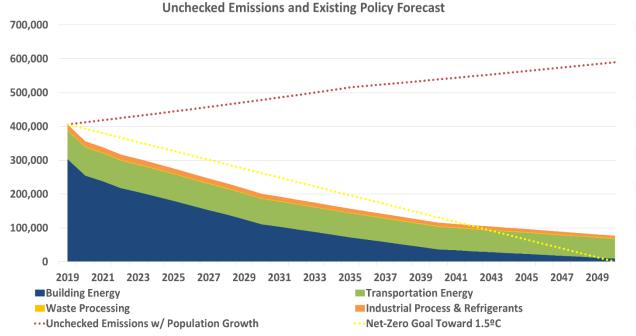
Summary of comments

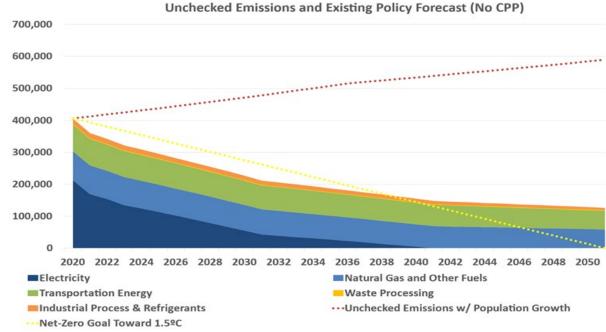
- Concerns over methodology
- Reliance on Climate Protection Program (CPP)
- Comments regarding action language and NW Natural technology and programs

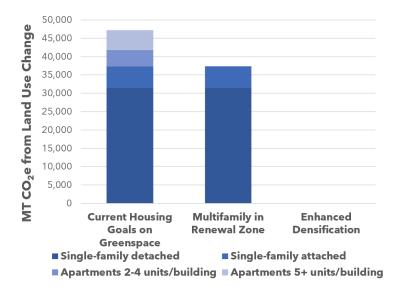
Impact to plan

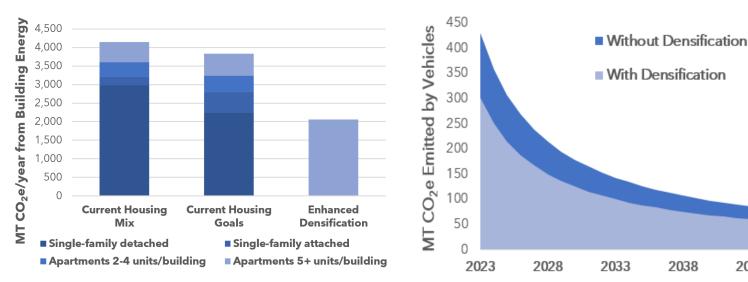
- Updates to action language and NW Natural technology and programs
- Retained all actions

Impact of Climate Protection Program (CPP)









Since we met

Density memo

Looks at benefits from increased density downtown

- Reduced transportation & building emissions
- Lots of co-benefits
 - Health & safety, equity, economy, transit, quality of life, infrastructure
- Helps create more clear, measurable picture of holistic benefits from increased density

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Next steps

- Plan adoption (tonight)
- Return with 5-year work plan with specific, prioritized actions for Council feedback & adoption (*late summer*)
 - Includes capacity and funding considerations
- Implementation (continue ongoing efforts; put work plan into action)
- Annual progress reports (annually each summer)
- Update plan and emissions inventory every 5 years (2029)



Direction on the work plan Any specific actions you'd like to see?

Any specific lens/ criteria to apply?

- Aligned with existing work
- Highest emissions reductions
- Funding opportunities

Any other considerations?

Resolution 5775-24 adopting the community Climate Action Plan (CAP)

Questions?

