



Governor's Action Team on Energy and Climate Change

State of Florida

Governor's Action Team for Energy and Climate Change Phase II Process

*Agriculture, Forestry, and Waste
Technical Working Group (TWG)
Meeting #11
August 26, 2008*

Agenda

- Meeting Purpose and Goals
- Review and Approval of Summary of Prior Call/Meeting
- Review Policy Options
 - Forestry
 - Agriculture
 - Waste
- Review of Next Steps for TWG
- Agenda, Date and Time for Next Meetings
- Public Comments
- Announcements

Approval of Call #10 Summary

- Review draft meeting summary for AFW TWG meeting #10
- Consider any corrections or additions to meeting summary
- Accept meeting summary with agreed upon changes

Stepwise Planning Process

- Get organized
- *Review and refine inventory & forecast of emissions*
- Identify a full range of possible actions
- Identify initial priorities for analysis
- Develop straw policy design proposals
- *Quantify initial GHG reductions and costs/savings*
- *Fully develop policy option templates, including externalities, feasibility issues*
- *Develop alternatives to address barriers as needed*
- *Aggregate and integrate results*
- Finalize and report recommendations

Policy Option Document

- Policy Description (Concept)
- Policy Design (Goals, Timing, Coverage)
- *Implementation Methods*
- *Related Programs and Policies (BAU)*
- *Estimated GHG Savings and Costs Per MMTCO_{2e}*
 - *Data Sources, Methods and Assumptions*
 - *Key Uncertainties*
- *Additional (non-GHG) Benefits and Costs, as Needed*
- *Feasibility Issues, if Needed*
- Status Of Group Approval
- Level of Group Support
- Barriers to Consensus, if any

Review Policy Options

- CCS Technical leads will review quantification as well as verbally convey updates and requests for input from TWG
- Please refer to Policy Options Document posted on FL AFW website
 - AFW-1 Forest Retention – Reduced Conversion of Forested to Non-Forested Land Uses
 - AFW-2 Afforestation and/or Restoration of Non-forested Lands
 - AFW-3 Forest Management for Carbon Sequestration
 - AFW-6 Reduce the Rate of Agricultural Land and Open Green Space Conversion to Development
 - AFW-5 Promotion of Farming Practices that Achieve GHG Benefits
 - AFW-4 Expanded Use of Forestry, Agriculture and Waste Management Biomass Feedstocks for Electricity, Heat and Steam Production
 - AFW-8 Promotion of Advanced Municipal Solid Waste Management Technologies
 - AFW-9 Improved Commercialization of Biomass to Energy Conversion & Bio-Products Technologies
 - AFW-7 In-State Liquid/Gaseous Biofuels Production
 - AFW-10 Programs to Support Local Farming/Buy Local (unquantified option)

Next Steps

- Finalize Options for Presentation to FL Action Team (September 17-18th)
- Finish all documents for final report – Policy Options and Inventory & Forecast

Next TWG Meetings

- Upcoming Calls/Meetings:
 - Tuesday, September 9th, 10 am. – 1 p.m.
 - (*Action Team, September 17-18th*)
 - Wednesday, September 23rd, 10 am. – 1 p.m. (pending public notice)
 - (*Final Action Team Meeting, September 26th*)



Public Input, Announcements