

# CITY OF CAMBRIDGE CLIMATE COMMITTEE

NOVEMBER 13, 2025 | 6:00 – 8:00 P.M.

CITY HALL ANNEX, 344 BROADWAY, 2ND FLOOR & VIRTUAL ([ZOOM LINK](#))

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## AGENDA

6:00 PM Welcome & Approval of Minutes

6:05 PM Deputy Chief's Update

6:25 PM Net Zero Action Plan Subcommittee Draft Letter Discussion  
*Megan, Tom, Cynthia*

- Summary of City's accomplishments and challenges in FY2025 (presentation by NZAP working group)
- Additional Comments by City Staff
- Breakout groups
- Shareout and Next Steps

### *Pre-Read items:*

- [FY24 Committee Letter](#)
- [FY23 Committee Letter](#)
- 10/29 staff [presentation](#) to the Health & Environment Committee

7:10 PM Education/Engagement/Outreach Subcommittee Share Out  
*Megan, Tom, Lucas, Priya, Yi, Hannan, Anna*

- Updates from the subcommittee
  - Changing the name from "Education" to "Capacity Building"
  - Top ideas we have for capacity building
- Discussion
  - Which projects do people think we should prioritize?
  - What roles would people want to play?
- Next steps

7:45 PM Public Comments

## Upcoming

December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Resilient Cambridge Review - OOS staff</li><li>• Thermal Energy Network Update</li></ul>
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## For Reference:

### ***What is the role of the Climate Committee?***

*The Climate Committee has three roles that help the City reduce climate change impacts, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, increase equity, and serve as a partner to and example for other communities:*

- 1. Provide feedback and ideas to the City on ways to reduce and live with climate change while prioritizing the needs of the most at-risk populations.*
- 2. Share information about City climate programs with community members, listen to community concerns, and raise feedback with City staff so programs effectively serve all community members.*
- 3. Stay informed about the City's climate goals and provide accountability and feedback on barriers and opportunities to improve effectiveness.*

### ***Officer Section of Bylaws***

*Officers will be elected on an annual basis. Elections will take place in September of each year unless the Committee decides otherwise.*

#### ***Chair***

*The chair shall be responsible for setting the agenda in coordination with City staff, for facilitating meetings, for organizing Committee work program and subcommittees in coordination with City staff, and for signing Committee correspondence.*

#### ***Vice Chair***

*The vice chair shall assist the chair in his/her duties and fill in for the chair in his/her absence.*

#### ***Secretary***

*The secretary shall be responsible for meeting minutes and attendance records.*