



**NYS Energy
Planning Board**

State Energy Planning Board Meeting/Webinar

April 8, 2020

Welcome and Roll Call

Agenda

- Minutes
- Presentation on Amendment
- Planning Board Discussion
- Other Business
- Next Steps

Minutes of December 18, 2019 Meeting

Amendment

Amendment to the State Energy Plan

- The Board may amend upon a finding that there has been a material and substantial change in fact or circumstance.
- Upon completion and consideration of public comments, the Board shall reconvene to advance any resolution to amend the Energy Plan
- Amendment proposed in light of the change in circumstance due to enactment of CLCPA
- Amendment addresses Clean Energy Goals and power plant community support

Clean Energy and GHG Reduction Goals

SEP Energy and GHG Goals	CLCPA Energy and GHG Goals
Statewide limit on GHG emissions of 20% of 1990 levels by 2050	Statewide limit on GHG emissions of 15% of 1990 levels by 2050
50% of electric companies' sales must be from renewable sources by 2030	70% of electric companies' sales must be from renewable sources by 2030; technology contributions
	Statewide electric system must have zero GHG emissions by 2040
600 TBTU of (source) energy efficiency by 2030	185 TBTU of (site) energy efficiency by 2025; achieves existing goal approx. 5 years early
	Minimum 35% (goal 40%) of clean energy and energy efficiency investments benefit disadvantaged communities

Electric Generation Facility Cessation Mitigation Program

- Program established in 2015 to assist power plant host community transitions
- Need has been elevated statewide due to market forces, State policies, and the CLCPA
- Amendment directs the Public Service Commission to develop a process to consider a mechanism for providing a stable source of funding

Public Comment Process

Schedule

- Public Notice in *State Register* January 8, 2020
- Comment Deadline March 9, 2020
- Albany Public Hearing February 27, 2020
- New York City Public Hearing March 2, 2020

Comment Summary

Component of Amendment	Number of Comments
Clean Energy and GHG Reduction Goals	17 (5 in support, 12 in opposition)
Cessation Program	74 (73 in support, 1 in opposition)
Indirectly Related or Unrelated	29
Total # of Comments	120 (101 commenters)



Recommended Change from Comments

- Add reference to CLCPA section 7(3):

In considering and issuing permits, licenses and other approvals, that state agencies not disproportionately burden disadvantaged communities, as well as prioritize reductions of co-pollutants and greenhouse gases in these communities

Planning Board Discussion and Motion

Other Business

Next Steps