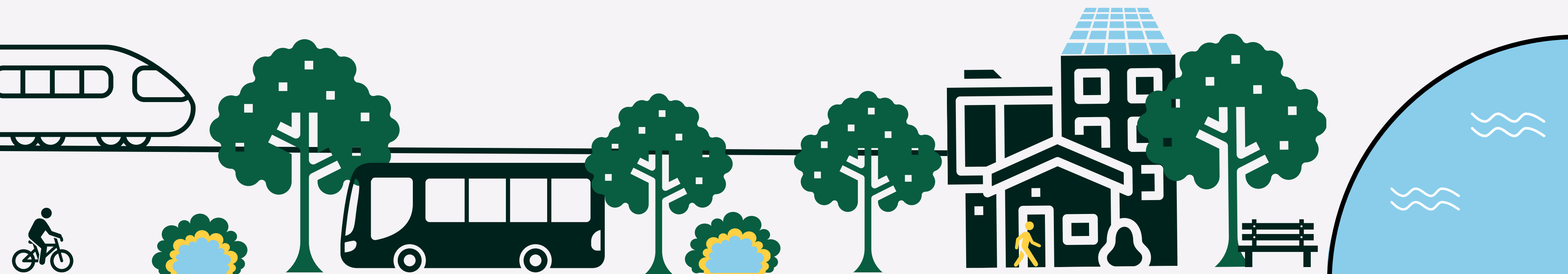


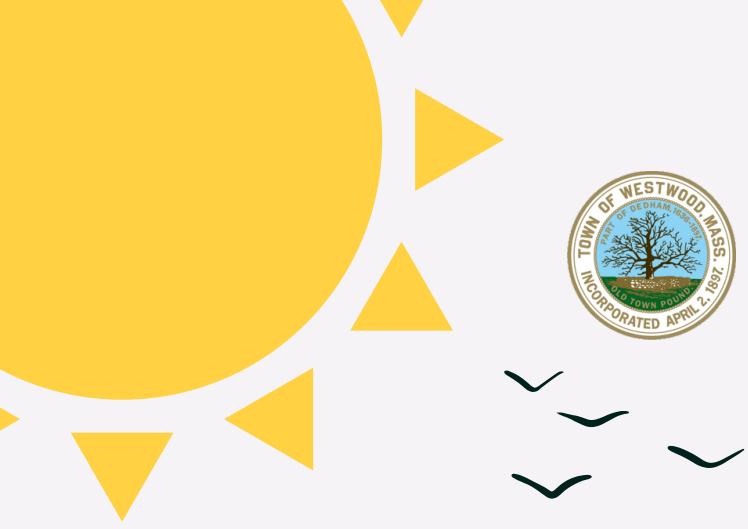


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October 19, 2023 & November 2, 2023**



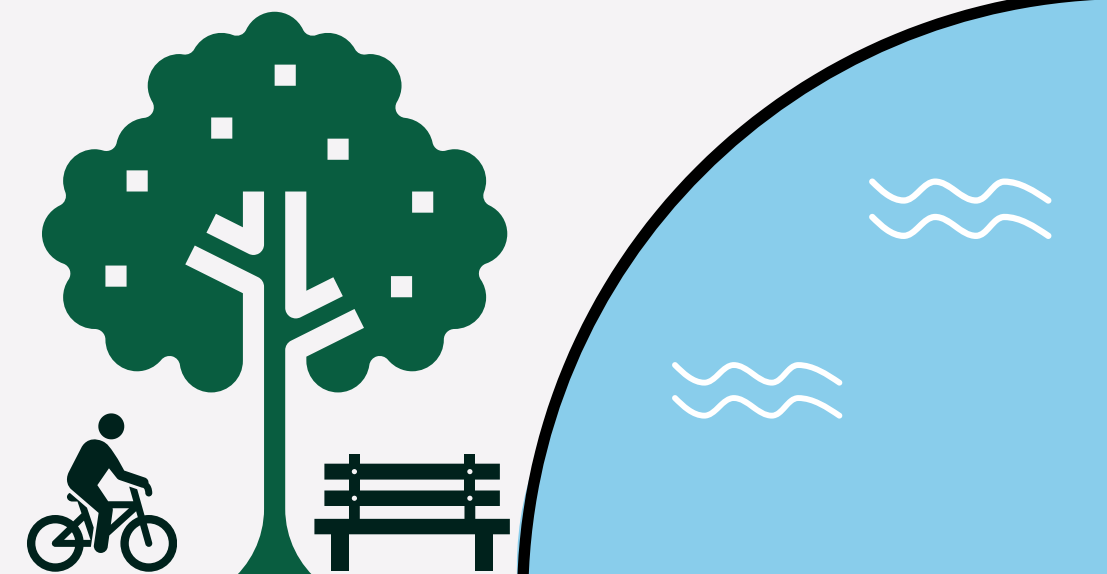


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Agenda

- **Introductions**
- **Icebreakers**
- **PSA**
- **What's in the CRS Plan?**
 - Overview of GHG emissions
 - Timeline
 - View Guidelines & Goals
 - Taskforce Updates
- **Breakout Session**
- **Open Discussion**
- **End**





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Greetings

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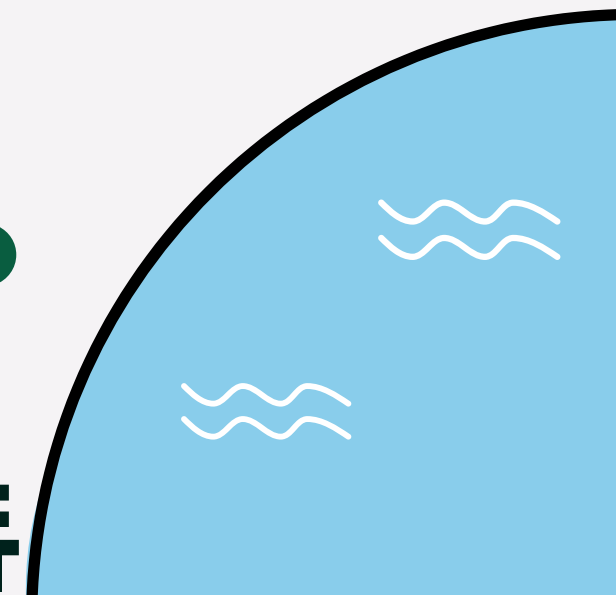
Nora Loughnane, Director

Elijah Romulus, Town Planner

Amanda Wolfe, Housing & Land Use Planner

**Planning
Division**

Tiana Malone, Administrative Assistant





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Climate Action Taskforce

Tom Carey | WPS Director of Facilities

Karon Catrone | Conservation Agent, Tree Warden, Staff to Stormwater Authority

Chris Coleman | Town Administrator

Karyn Flynn | Zoning & Licensing Agent

Melinda Garfield | WMC Executive Director

Leslie Greffenius | Westwood Environmental Action Committee (WEAC) Member

Molly Kean | Assistant Town Administrator/Director of HR

Todd Korchin | Director of Public Works

Stephen Harte | WEAC Member

Kate La Croix | WEAC Chair

Stephen Locke | Operations Manager - Dedham-Westwood Water District

Nora Loughnane | Director of Community & Economic Development

Steven Lund | Assistant Chief - Fire Department

Jim McCarthy | Director of Facilities

Lizzy McGovern | Library Director

Tony Mullin | School Committee Chair

Jared Orsini | Health Director

Mike Perkins | Building Commissioner

Tom Philbin | Energy Manager

Dottie Powers | Town Clerk

Joe Previtera | Westwood Selectboard

Steven Olanoff | Planning Board Associate Member

Ellen Rollings | Planning Board Chair

Elijah Romulus | Town Planner

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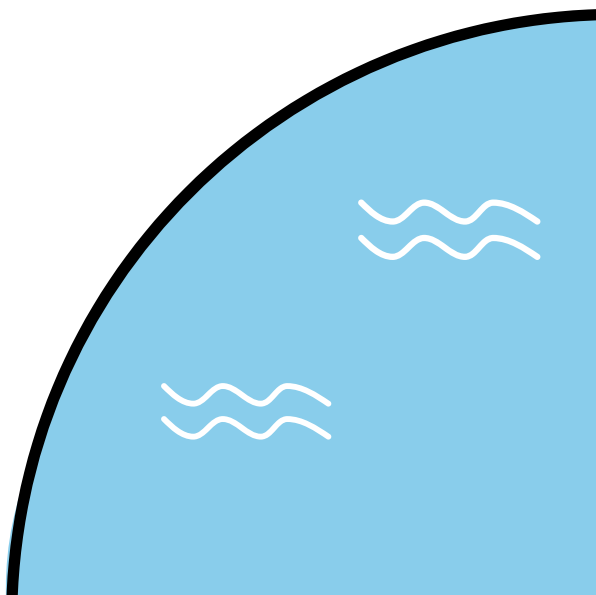


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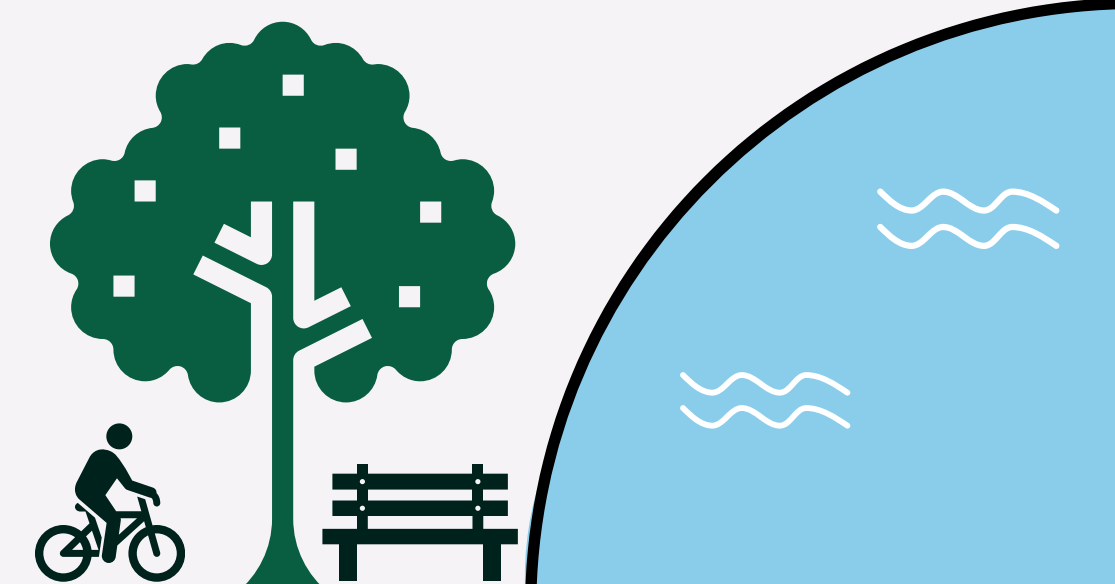


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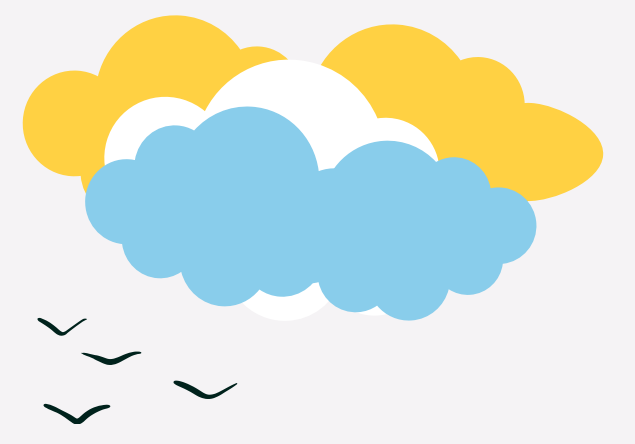
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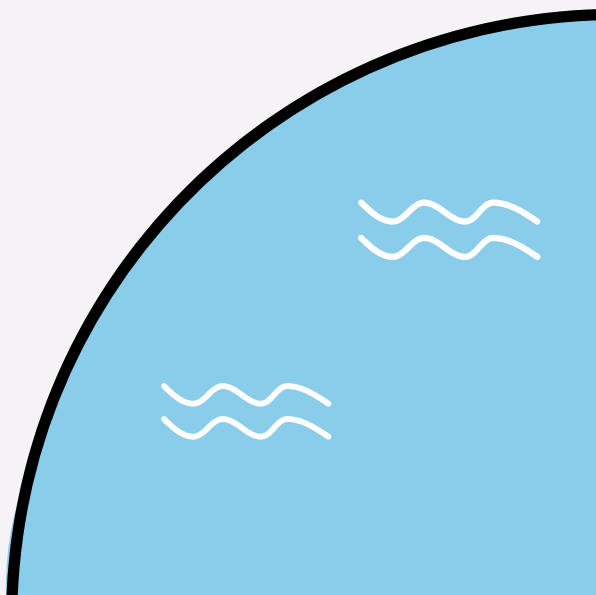
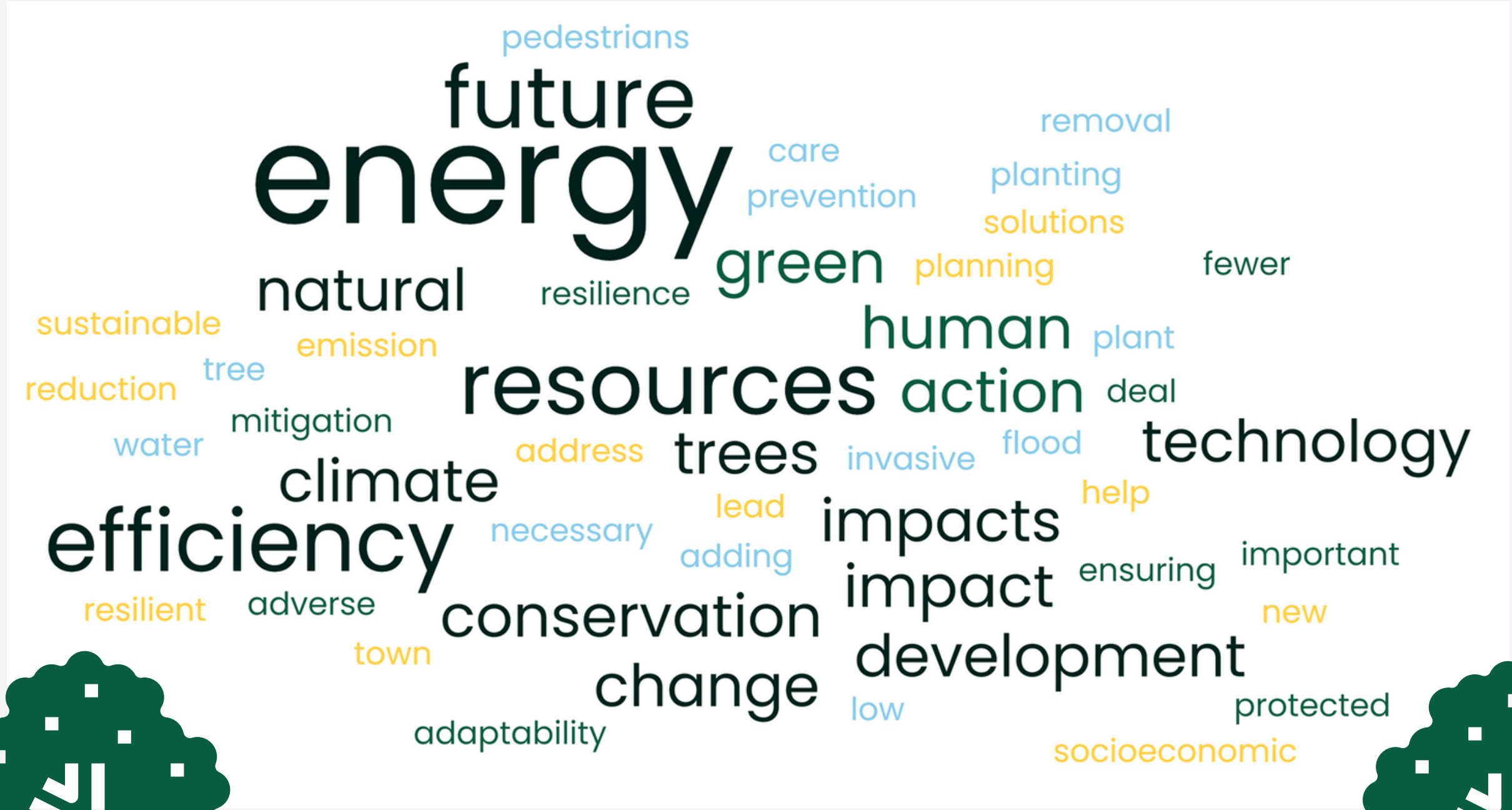




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We asked the taskforce:





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What does the CRS plan cover?





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LAND USE & TRANSPORTATION



**ZONING
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
TRANSPORTATION**



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NATURAL & WORKING LANDS



**OPEN SPACE
CONSERVATION LAND
& MORE**





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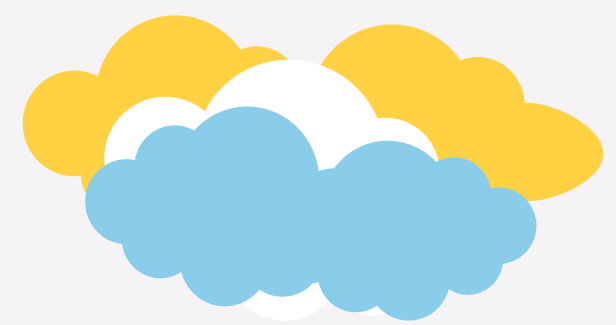
SUSTAINABLE BUILDINGS & CLEAN ENERGY USE



**REDUCE CARBON FOOTPRINT
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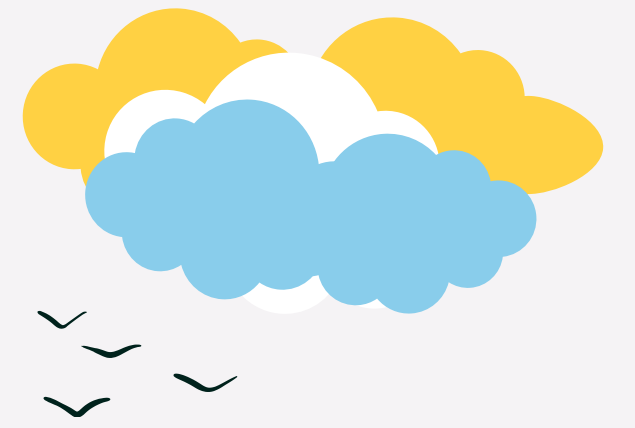


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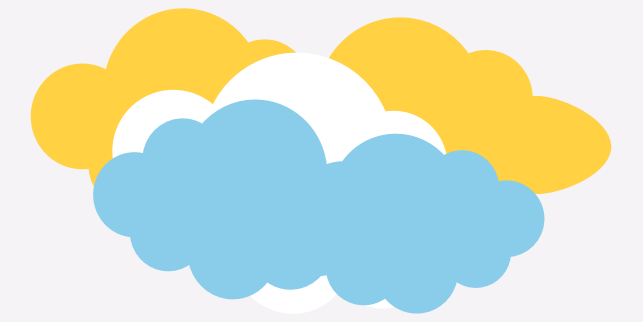
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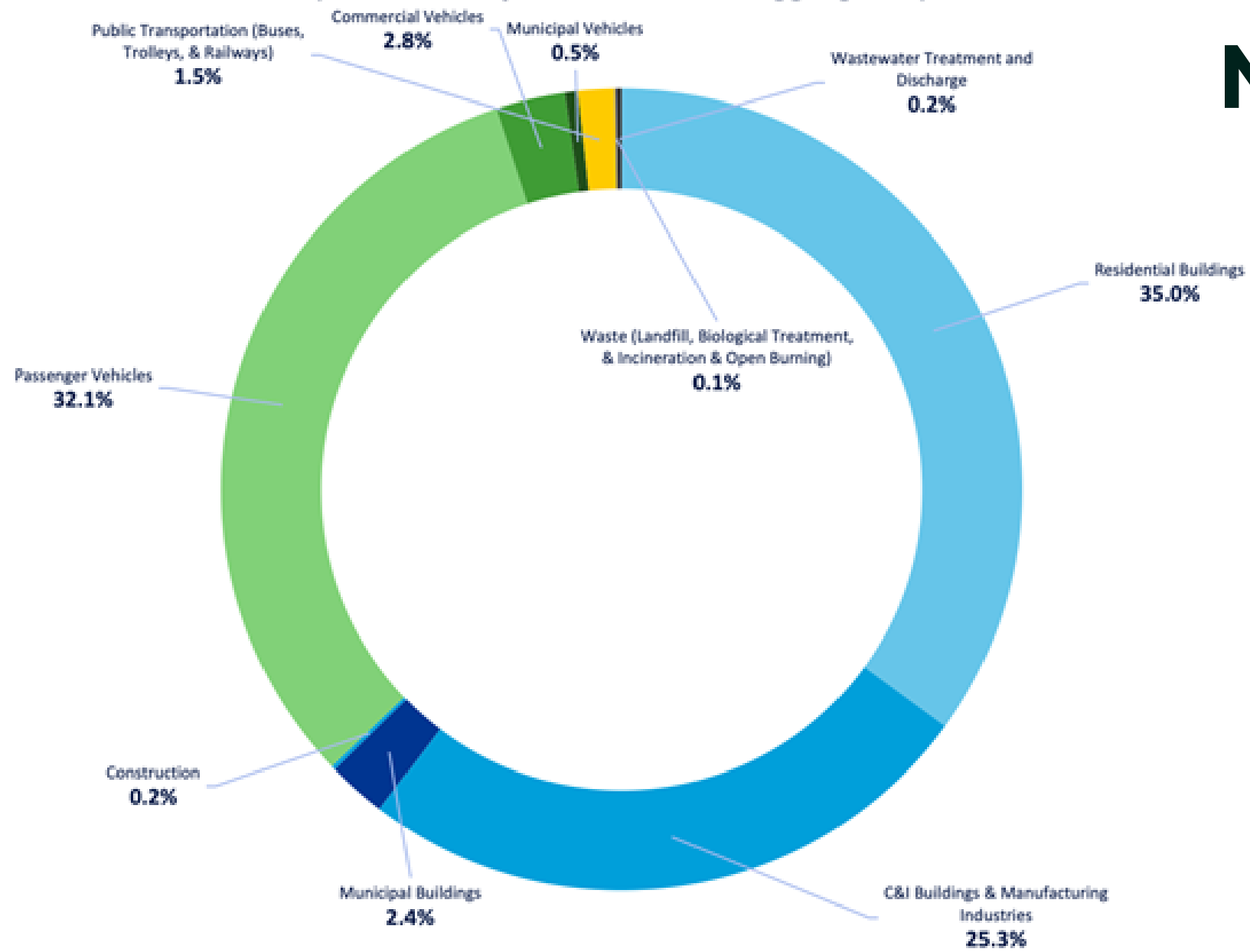
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Westwood GHG Emissions

147,768 MT CO2e

Percent of Total Community-Wide Emissions by Subsector
(with Municipal Emissions Disaggregated)



Municipal facilities and activities were 3% of total emissions.

MAJORITY of town's emissions 92.4% come from:

- 1. Residential Buildings 35%**
- 2. Passenger Vehicles 32.1%**
- 3. Commercial/Industrial 25.3%**



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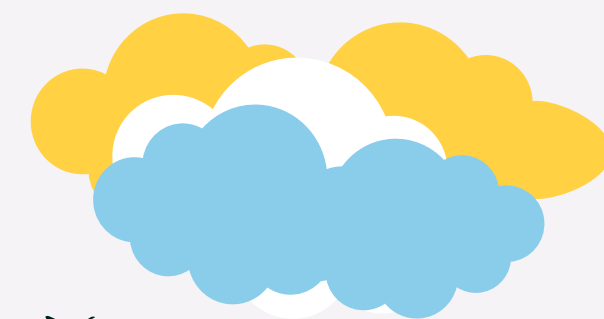


Westwood GHG Emissions





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Timeline





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Proposed Guiding Principles

- **Promote Comprehensive Climate Action & Resiliency Planning,**
- **Educate the greater community regarding the urgency around climate change action,**
- **Promote Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions reduction,**
- **Promote clean renewable energy use,**
- **Promote an equitable, clean & healthy community.**



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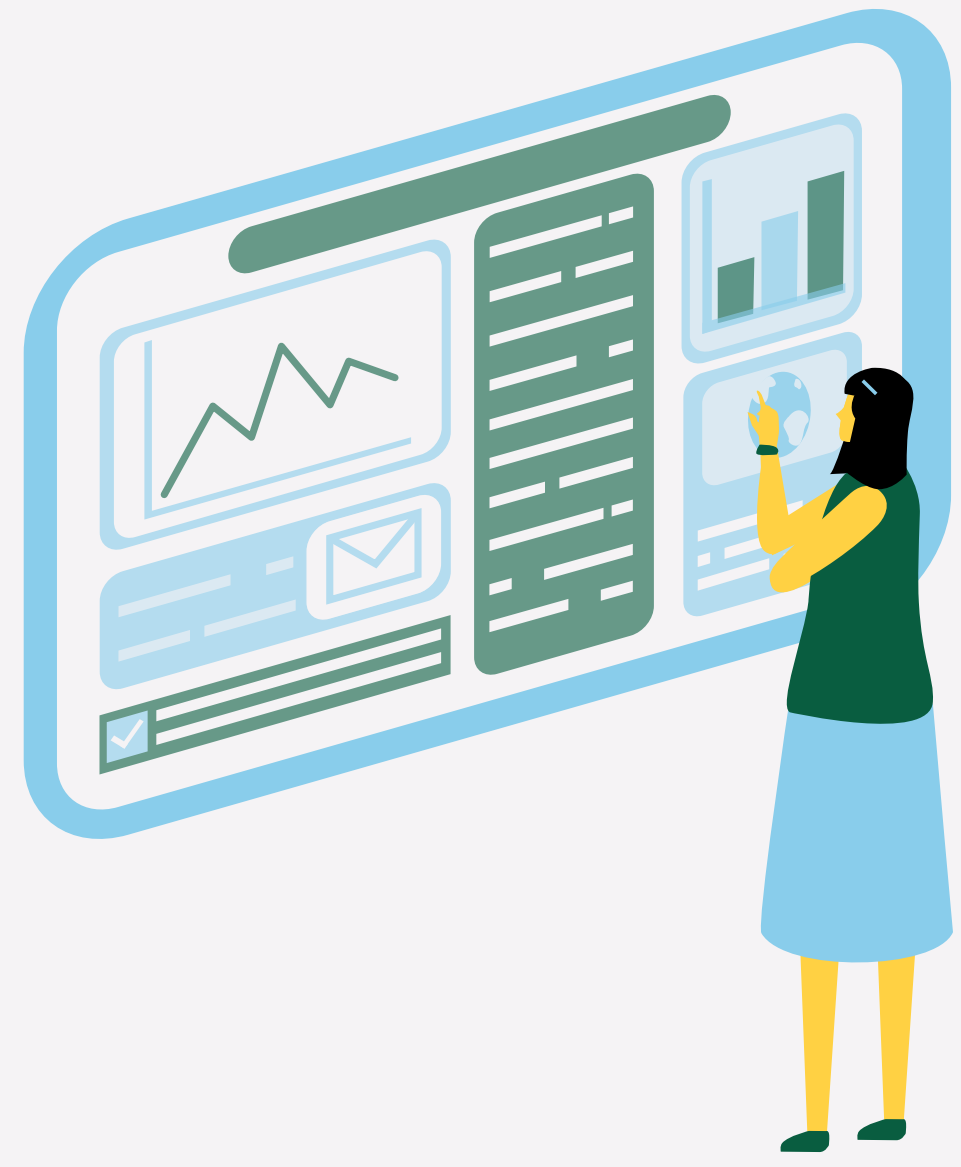


Proposed Goals

- 1. Town Synchronization & Public Education**
- 2. Transportation Improvements**
- 3. 85% Townwide GHG Emissions Reduction in 2050**
- 4. Zero Waste & Stormwater Master Plan**
- 5. Improved Resiliency**
- 6. Land Preservation and Rehabilitation**
- 7. Netzero Townwide GHG Emissions Reduction in 2060**



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Taskforce Updates



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Breakout Session





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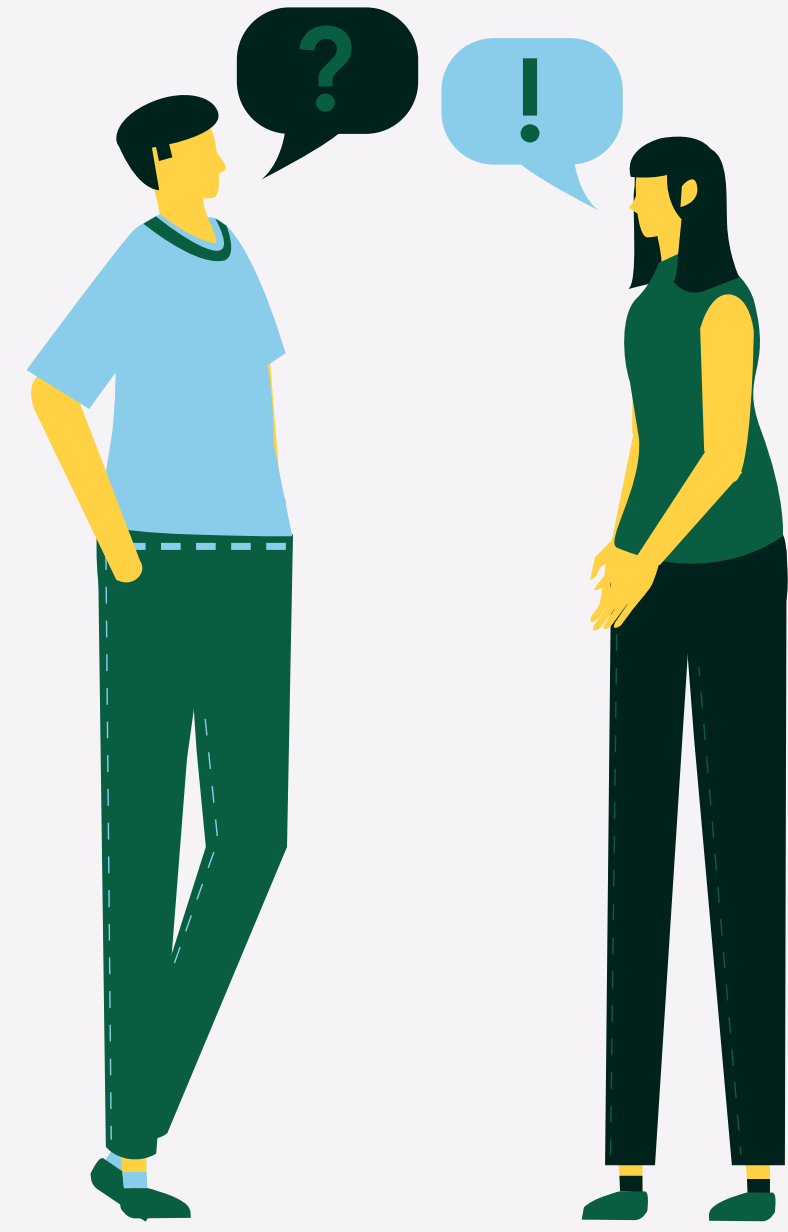
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- 1. Count off 1-5 and breakout to respective stations**
- 2. 15 minutes to discuss and write down action steps for the topic**



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Open Discussion



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- 1. Recap - What did your group come up with?**
- 2. Any other thoughts?**

**Open
Discussion**



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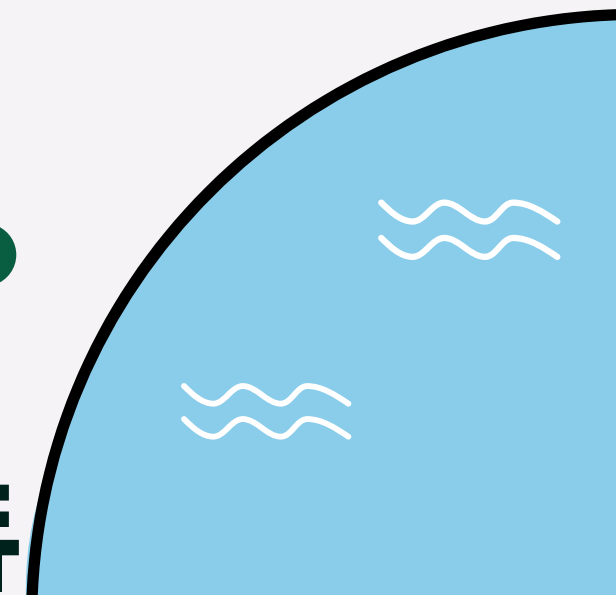
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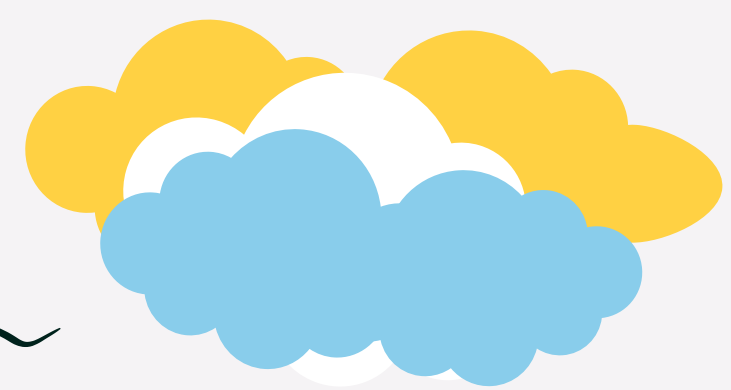
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Westwood Public Library

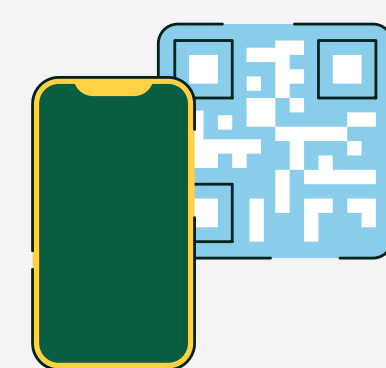




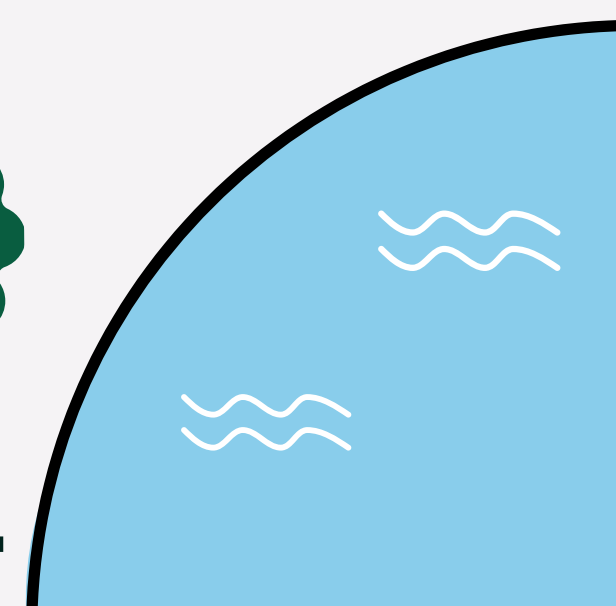
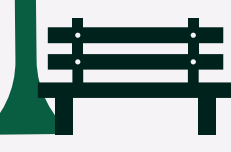
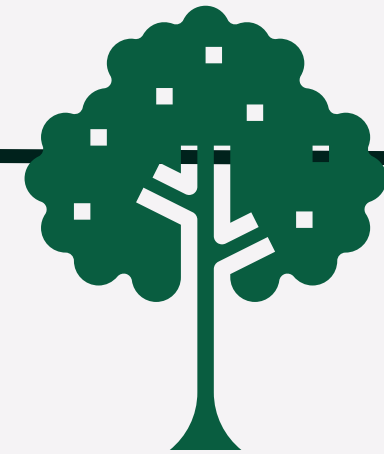
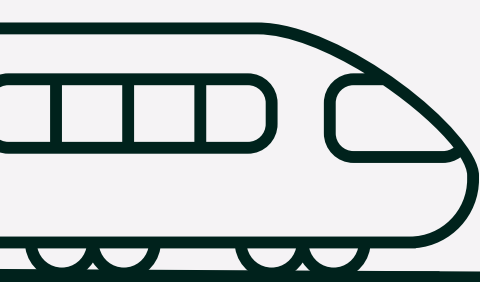
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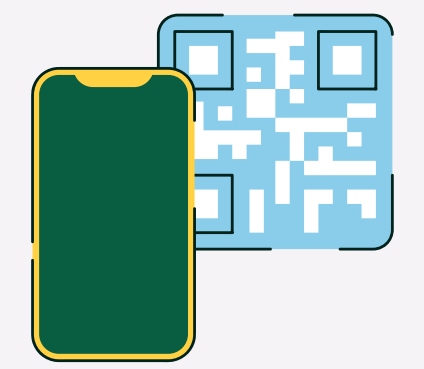
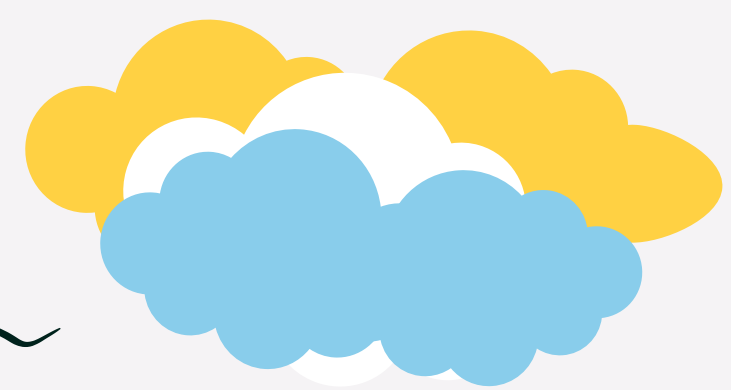


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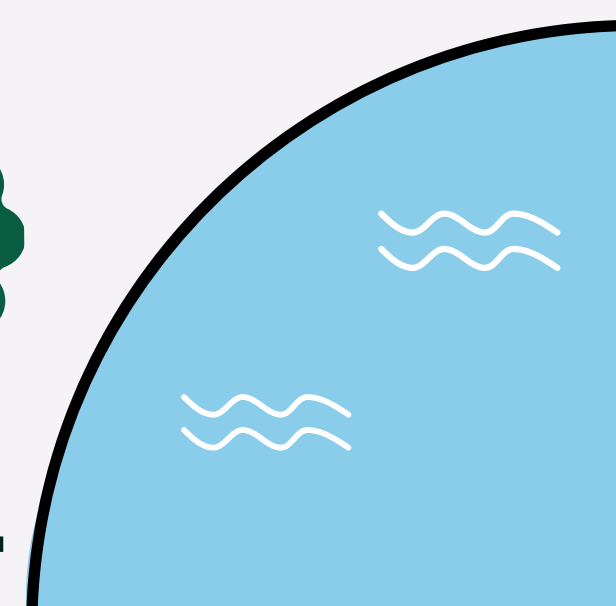
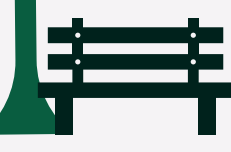
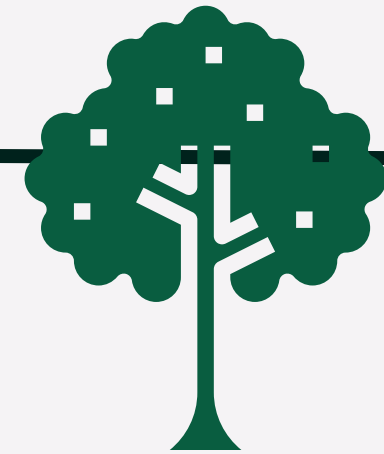
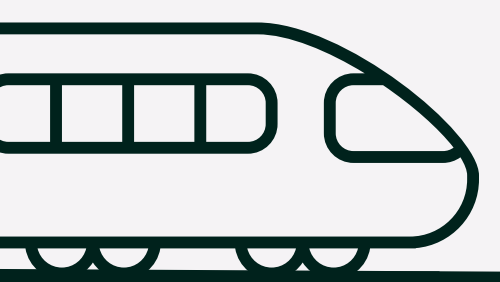


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