

**CAP Update Equity-Focused Workshop Q&A**

Question	Answer(s)
How soon should we "raise hand" to be in line to comment?	Thank you for your interest, we have noted that you would like to provide a comment. You can now lower your hand. We will have a slide later in the presentation that will show participants how to provide comments.
Will you be explaining to participants how to choose the Spanish interpretation?	Yes, that's coming up.
9 years ago you were sued and the Plaintiffs proposed a good car parking system for your employees. That system would operate the parking for the financial gain of the employees, since it is said to be "employee" parking. Why not give the employees the choice to decide what to do with their parking space, which could earn up to \$450 per month at the downtown location. The ruling stated that "enforceable measures are needed now." That was 9 years ago. Why not start work (circulate an RFI because a good parking system is too complicated for government and I can give you a draft version) now, concurrently with your creating a CAP, which will not be done until 2022. Why not provide economic equity for those that, for whatever reason, don't drive to work every day?	Thanks for your comment. We are aware of this concern and will be taking a close look at it in the CAP Update.
Wonderful to see Mixte in the house. I already feel better. :)	Love seeing your name here too!
Comment: Thank you to the County and the new Board for moving forward now a truly EFFECTIVE and legally compliant CAP. Re: equity: Those first, and worst, impacted by climate change, are our disadvantaged communities. Having an aggressive, effective County CAP that implements quickly is a key equity issue.	Thank you for your comment!
South County is not on this poll....	live answered
Chat appears to be disabled....	live answered
South County	Thank you!
South County	Thank you!
(I live in South County...thank you)	Thank you!
Just a technical detail: it appears to be sli.do, not slido.com.	Thank you! We'll update that for future meetings.
I managed the preparation of Oceanside's first Climate Action Plan, which received very low marks from Climate Action Campaign for failing to adequately address equity issues. I'm committed to fixing this with our next iteration of the CAP. To this end, I've been participating in various webinars on social equity and environmental justice. While I'm becoming more literate on key concepts and terminology, I'm still struggling to understand what equity in climate mitigation and adaptation looks like on the ground in Oceanside. I thus welcome as many tangible examples of local equity-focused actions and programs as you have time to provide.	Thanks for your comment. I'd be happy to discuss with you as we begin to develop our work. Tonight is just the first of many conversations on this topic. Also stay tuned for future workshops.
Additional comment: Land use sprawl creates inequity as well as causing climate change; the County must end sprawl in unincorporated lands	Thanks for your comment.
Thank you. I appreciate you holding this workshop. I'll be checking in with you throughout your update process.	Absolutely, we look forward to coordinating.
Have those working on this CAP reviewed the 9 years of the legal arguments and comment letters on the previous CAPs?	Yes, I wrote much of the 2018 EIR. We look forward to getting it right this time. Thanks for your help.
Hi, all I'm new to this group. I'm curious if you all can provide examples of types of resident/community concerns this group has addressed and taken forward. And what has it looked like in the past.	live answered
Do you agree that any Climate Action Plan must be a Climate Stabilization Plan? Nothing is as inequitable as destabilizing the climate which will end most life forms on the planet. Low income people will starve first. Young are most harmed. Old people are harmed the least.	
Thanks, Kelly, this workshop is a welcome new way that seems to have promise. Hopefully, the effort will lead to actionable, concrete results instead of polemics.	Thank you, we are very lucky to be in the position to have honest conversations about this topic. We're all very much looking forward to learning more about how we can create solutions.
The Spanish slide link was posted; can you post the English link? Thanks	We will send out a link to the English slides at the end of the presentation.
Do you agree that "making progress" is not enough? Either we achieve the reductions specified by the climate scientists or we don't. If we don't, the climate destabilizes. Please email me to find out the details of what must be done.	The County is committed to making progress toward our net zero goal by 2035-2045. This goal is in alignment with recommendations provided by climate scientists to the IPCC in their most recent Assessment.
I agree with all the buzz words climate mitigation; adaptation; equity in climate change and environmental justice.	Thank you for your comment!
sli.do no .com or slido.com	Thanks for the clarification.
The San Diego Organizing Project would be a good group to engage on equity in climate action: <a href="https://sdop.net/">https://sdop.net/</a> .	Thank you for your suggestion and the link!
I had to step away for a second, will these questions be available to answer in another form?	If you would like to respond to the polling questions at a later date, please request these via email at CAP@sdcounty.ca.gov and we can send you the questions for you to respond at your leisure. Please submit a separate Q/A to let us know if you do not have access to email and we can provide these to you through another format.
Great listening session. We'll put together a similar event for Oceanside's CAP update.	Thanks! We look forward to coordinating in the future.
I know you're probably getting a lot of technical questions, but how are you all FEELING about this? Is there anything that you wish was going better? What do you all need from us?	Thank you for asking! This kind of feedback and poll/ Q&A engagement is EXACTLY what we need.
Why are you not repsonding to the issue of white supremacy?	
Here is another view on sprawl: <a href="https://californiapolicycenter.org/new-suburbanism-a-smart-alternative-to-smart-growth/">https://californiapolicycenter.org/new-suburbanism-a-smart-alternative-to-smart-growth/</a>	Thank you for this resource.

Sorry, but Google Translate is not acceptable. It is only about 75% accurate for Spanish.	Thank you for this helpful feedback.
The County website needs a lot of work to be more accessible not just from a general usability perspective (how to find the information the general public needs) but especially for foreign language speakers. The Google Translate takes a complex website and makes it even more confusing.	Thank you for elaborating on your earlier point about website accessibility.
NO. (you said you only have control in the unincorporated areas) You also have control over how you treat your many employees. If you found a 3rd-party vendor to operate a fair car-parking system that was favored by your employees, other companies would want that system. A good system will prevail. Currently we only have really bad car-parking systems. Your county's current system is absurd, given how valuable parking is downtown. So you could go from the worst to the best. We need a disruptive vendor like Uber is to taxis.	Thanks for your comment. As indicated, we have recorded your suggestion for the car parking system and will be evaluating this during our CAP Measure development process for reducing emissions from County operations.
What percentage of unincorporated county residents are living within "disadvantaged communities (per Cal EnviroScreen, low/very low average income and/or high school vs. some college education level by zip code, etc.)? While a CAP and GHG reductions are county-wide concerns, by implementing/focusing CAP mitigation measures in these areas might be value-added for disadvantaged communities.	Thank you for your comment.
I would like to add the obvious: we need to get lots of level 2 EV chargers added to multi-unit dwellings in order to have equity.	Thank you for your comment. We will record this and consider during our CAP Measure development process.
Please make the GHG inventory that has been done, available for review and critique	Thank you for your comment.
These people have some great videos under online course for general education. I'm not sure how realistic drawdown or reversal is, but some good resources: <a href="https://www.drawdown.org/">https://www.drawdown.org/</a>	Fantastic! Thank you for providing the resource.
Thank you for this participatory event!	
Thanks for doing this and working late, all.	
Thanks. :)	
When you refer to my suggestion, is it has described in my presented papers and in the previous comment letters?	