

Air Protection Branch Announcement

Stakeholder Meeting on the Climate Pollution Reduction Grant in Georgia

November 2, 2023

Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Phase 2 Information Session

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) Air Protection Branch will hold a stakeholder meeting on November 2, 2023, to discuss the Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG). As part of the Inflation Reduction Act, the Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) program provided \$5 billion in grants to states, local governments, tribes, and territories to develop and implement plans to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and other harmful air pollution. This two-staged grant program provides funding of \$250 million for noncompetitive planning grants (\$3M to each lead agency to develop a Climate Pollution Reduction Plan), and \$4.6 billion for competitive implementation grants. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has a goal for CPRG to help states, tribes, territories, and the largest metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) develop plans to reduce the contributor to climate change, greenhouse gases. On September 21, EPA announced Phase 2 of the CPRG program, which includes two competitions totaling \$4.6 billion: a general competition for applications from states, municipalities, tribes, tribal consortia, and territories, and a competition only for tribes, tribal consortia, and territories.

Join us to learn about Phase 2 of the CPRG and EPD's current plans for the Implementation Grants and status on the required deliverables.

Please contact Claudette Ayanaba at claudette.ayanaba1@dnr.ga.gov if you have any additional questions.

The stakeholder meeting will be held on Zoom on Thursday, November 2 from 10:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Attendance is limited to 300 registrants. To register for the stakeholder meeting click the following link –

<https://gaepd.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMudOivqzMtG9CZ6iWp0SITfQsMdGkYNNC>

Check the Air Protection Branch website for links to past stakeholder meetings and information regarding the next stakeholder meeting.

<https://epd.georgia.gov/georgia-climate-pollution-reduction-grant>

Additional information:

[EPA information on the Climate Pollution Reduction Grant](#)