



Oregon Department of Environmental Quality Climate Programs

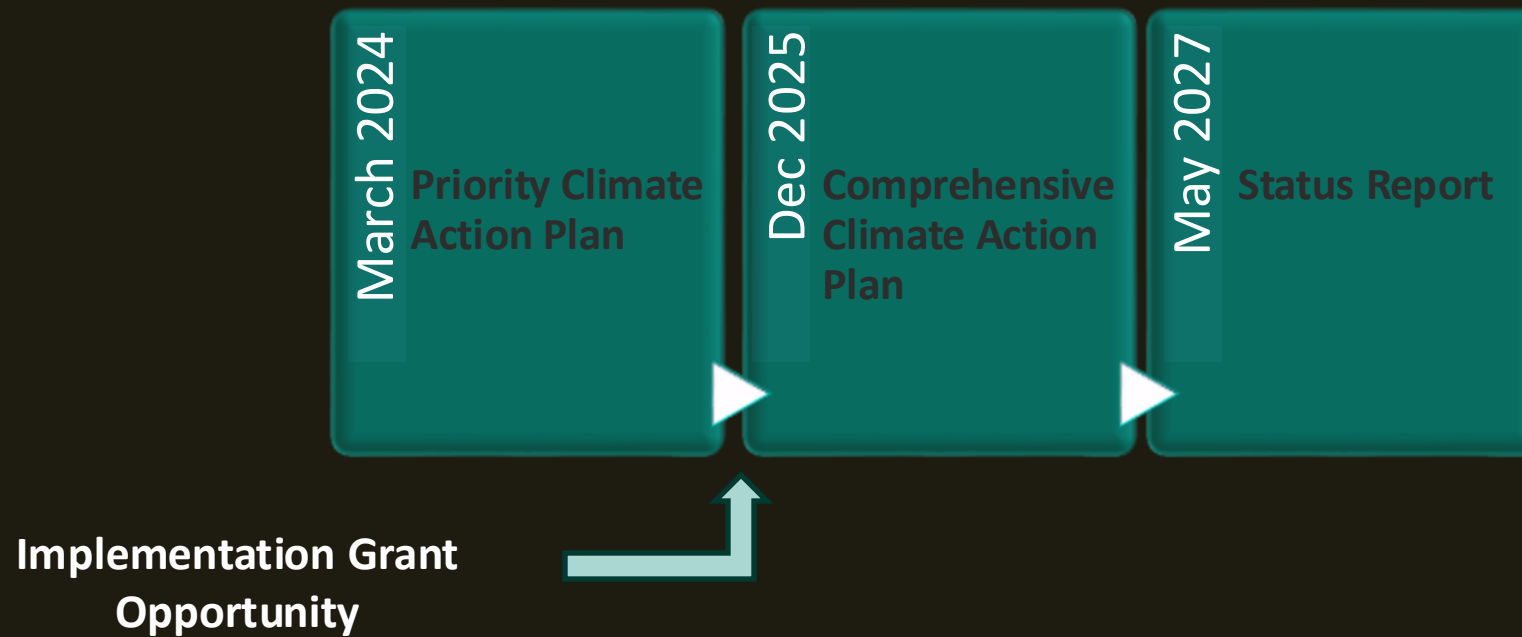
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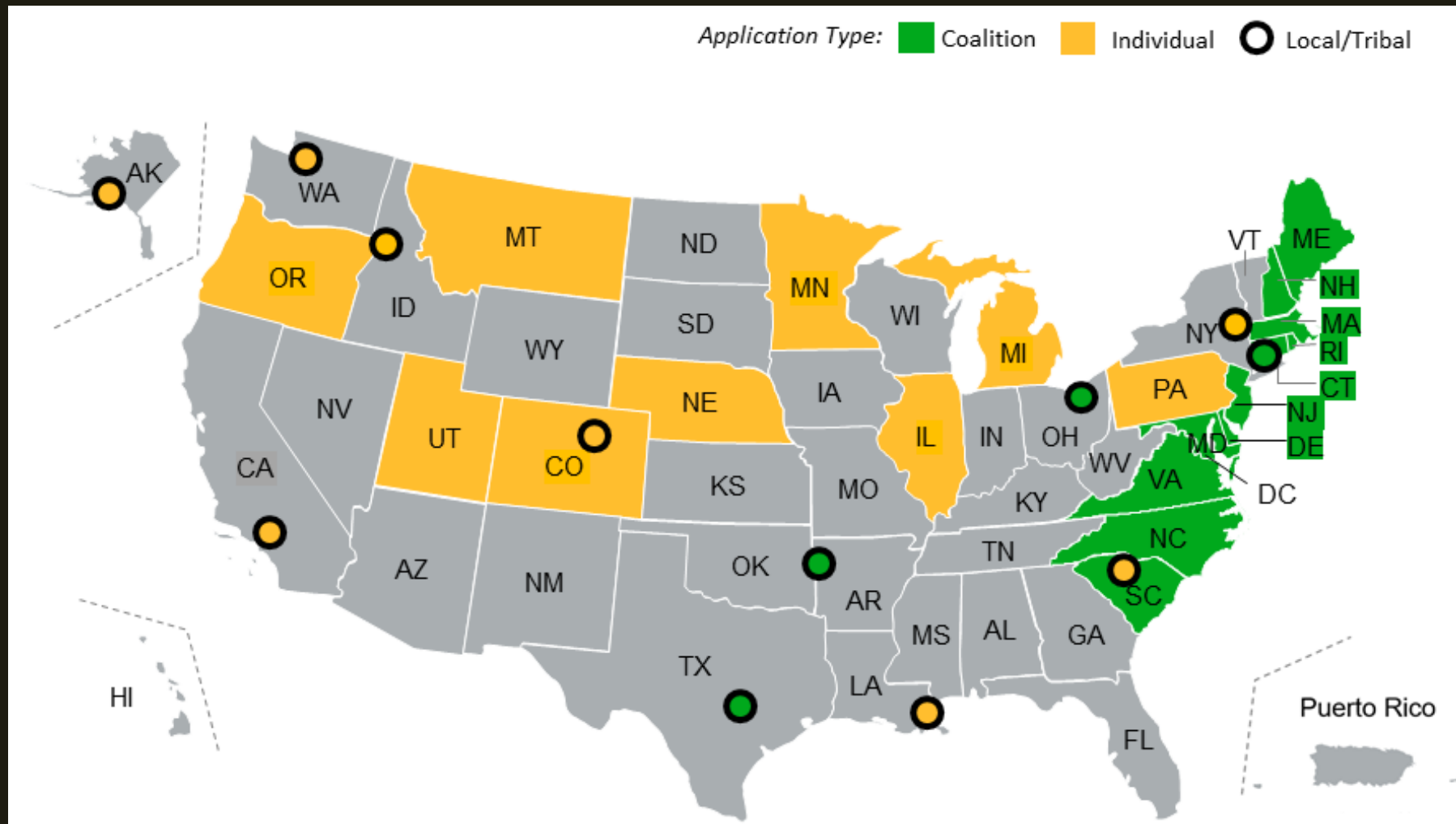
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EPA's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant

Climate Pollution Reduction Planning Grant



EPA Implementation Awards



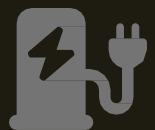
Climate Equity and Resilience Through Action



Zero Emission Vehicle Rebates
\$31 million



Building Performance Standards Incentives
\$12.1 million



Electric Vehicle Chargers
\$10.9 million



Heat Pump Incentives
\$25.3 million



Medium- and Heavy-Duty ZEV Rebates
\$14.8 million



Residential Weatherization
\$8 million



Medium- and Heavy-Duty ZEV Grants
\$6 million



Building Reuse and Space-Efficient Housing
\$25.6 million



Medium- and Heavy-Duty EV Chargers
\$3 million



Food Waste Infrastructure
\$28.9 million



Energy Efficient Housing Incentives
\$21.3 million



Landfill Gas Controls
\$6.6 million



\$197 Million for Oregon

6.5 MMT Greenhouse Gases Reduced



Materials

- 940 space efficient and reuse affordable workforce housing incentives
- Up 26 new and expanded food waste recovery projects
- 6 landfills with added methane capture controls



Buildings

- 4500 multi-family and 4920 single family unit incentives for energy efficiency
- 321 commercial building incentives for early and voluntary compliance
- 12,000 heat pump incentives
- 2690 incentives for residential weatherization



Transportation

- 4403 rebates for light duty electric vehicles
- 688 rebates for charging stations in low income and disadvantaged communities
- 164 rebates for Medium and Heavy-Duty electric vehicles
- 37 grants to replace Medium and Heavy-Duty diesel vehicles with electric
- 11 new Medium and Heavy-Duty electric vehicle charging stations

What is Oregon doing about Climate Change?

Oregon's Department of Environmental Quality is implementing the **Climate Equity and Resilience Through Action** program—a \$197 million federal grant to reduce Oregon's greenhouse gas emissions, and deliver secondary benefits like lower utility costs, more housing production, and improved health outcomes.



How can CERTA benefit Tribal Members?



Rebates for electric vehicles and trucks



Rebates for the installation of heat pumps and insulation in homes



Incentives to build climate friendly housing in specific cities and towns

How can CERTA benefit Tribal Governments?



Rebates for zero-emission trucks for fleets



Installation of electric vehicle charging stations



Incentives to improve energy efficiency in Tribal Government-owned buildings over 20,000 square feet



Rebates for energy efficient upgrades, such as insulation and heat pumps, for Tribal Government-owned housing



Funding for projects to capture methane in landfills and increase food waste processing in composting facilities and communities

Status Report

Climate and public health nexus

- Health perspective
- Measures and opportunities that address resilience and mitigation for future funding
- Added benefits to addressing health along with climate

Climate work at DEQ

- Consolidation of work across DEQ, additional planning studies and data analysis, Equity Advisory Committee

Engagement

- Workshops, intergovernmental agreements with tribes, youth art contest, vignettes of what is working





YOUTH CLIMATE ART CONTEST

Share your passion for art and climate



From Pollution to Solution- the Earth We Want to See

Why participate

- Join the effort to protect and preserve Oregon's environment and natural wonder by sharing your experience with the changing climate.
- Showcase your artistic talent.
- Help us illustrate DEQ's Climate Action Plans with art from Oregon's youth.
- Enter a raffle to have lunch with DEQ's Director, Leah Feldon.
- First 100 submissions get **\$30 electronic gift cards**.

Competition opens **Oct. 20, 2025**; last day for submissions is **Earth Day, April 22, 2026**.



Check the QR for more information and submission guidelines

Email the program at CPRG@deq.oregon.gov

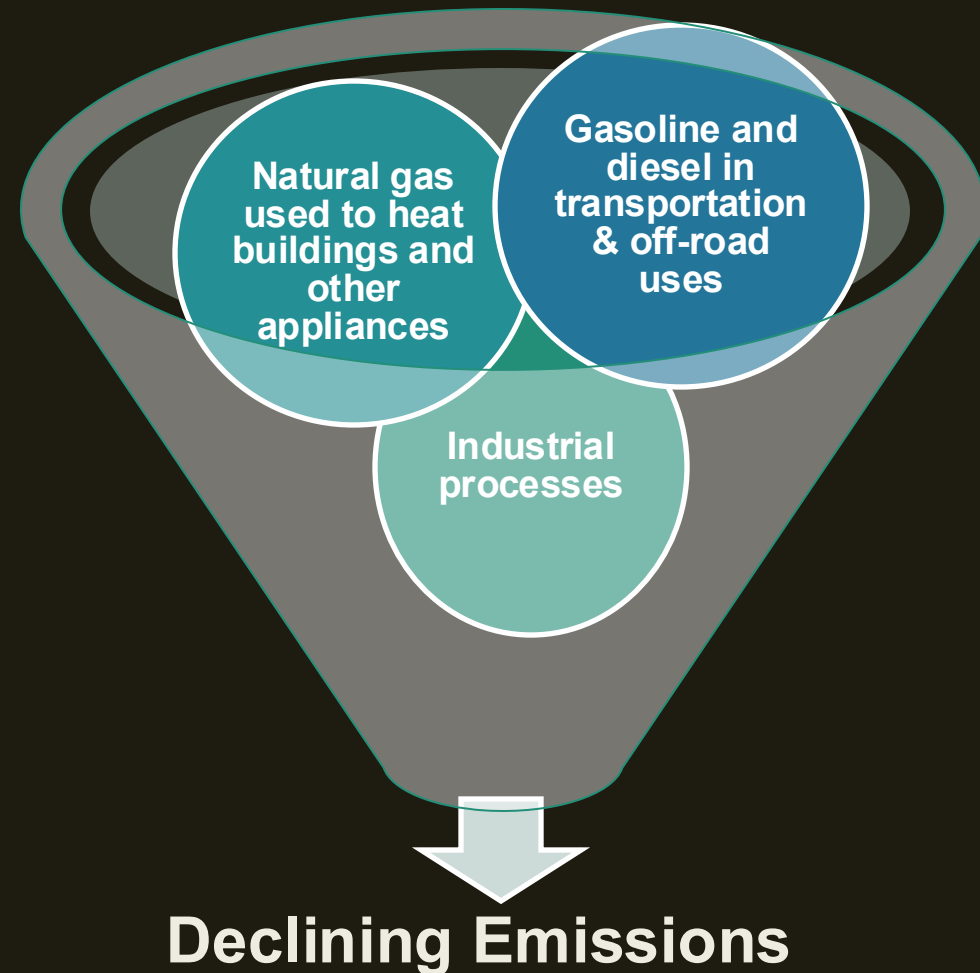


What is the Climate Protection Program?

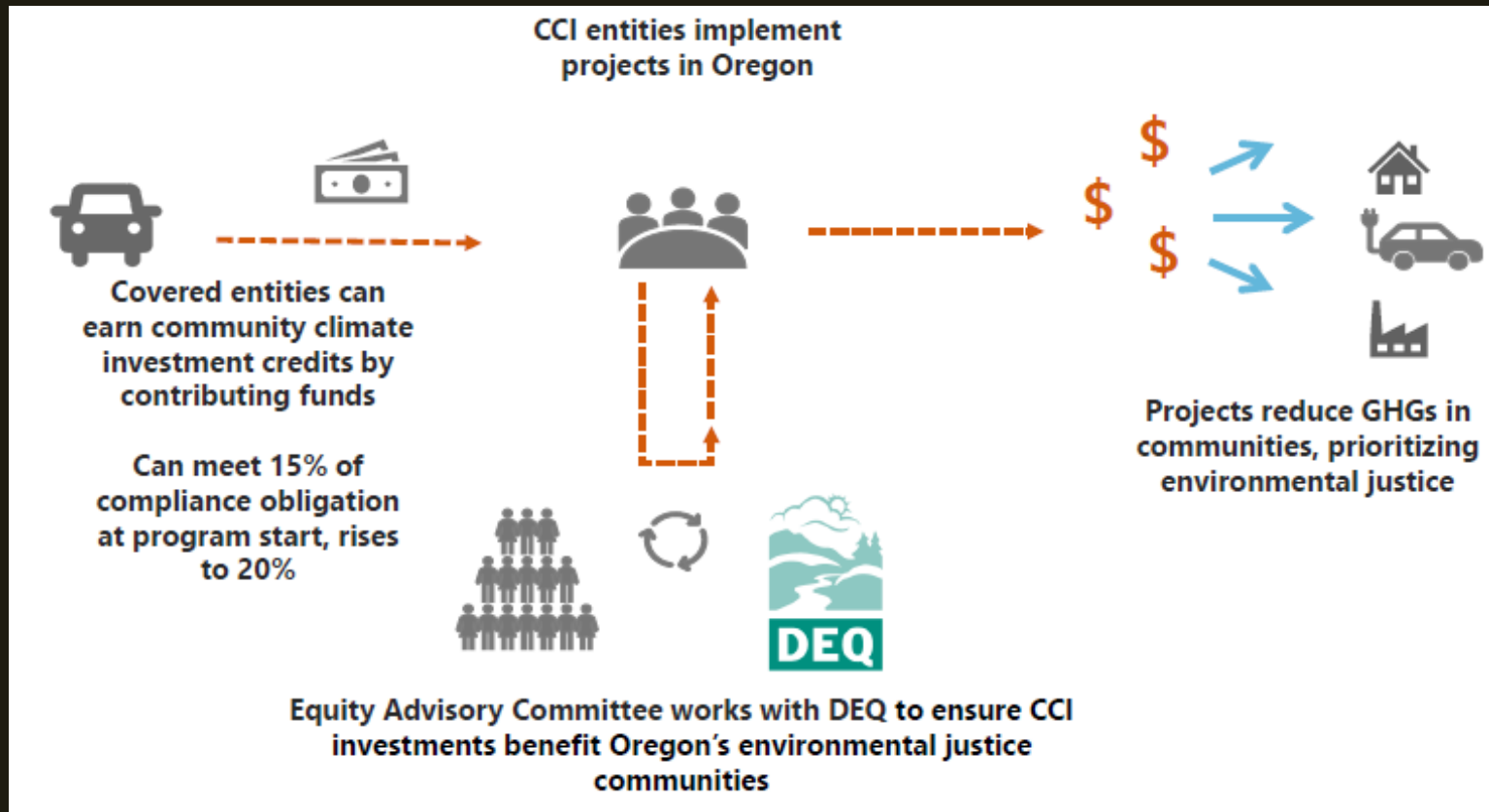
Cornerstone of Oregon's carbon pollution reduction goals

Places limits on climate pollution in across multiple sectors

- Residential
- Commercial
- Industrial
- Transportation



Community climate investments



- Reduce anthropogenic greenhouse gas emissions
- Projects in residential, industrial, commercial, and transportation sectors
- **15% of funds must benefit tribes and tribal communities in Oregon**

Community Climate Investment priorities

- **Reducing** greenhouse gas emissions on average at least one ton per CCI credit
- **Reducing** emission of other air contaminants, particularly in or near environmental justice communities
- **Promoting** public health, environmental, and economic benefits for environmental justice communities
- **Accelerating** the transition to clean energy particularly in or near environmental justice communities



Eligible projects

Actions that reduce greenhouse gas emissions from:

- Transportation of people or freight
 - Ie) Diesel fleet replacement with electric
- Residential structures
 - Ie) Installing heat pumps or weatherizing
- Industrial processes or structures
 - Ie) Increasing energy efficiency
- Commercial structures
 - Ie) Installing solar and storage on a business





REDUCE, REUSE, REIMAGINE

Materials Management Grant Program

Built for Well-Being: Reducing Exposure to Toxic Substances in Building Materials

Many building materials — such as carpet, paint, furniture, insulation, and contract textiles — contain toxic chemicals that are harmful to people and to the environment. This grant cycle will fund projects that help reduce exposure to these toxic chemicals.

Important Details:

- ✓ \$2 million available funding
- ✓ \$500 thousand prioritized for Tribal projects
- ✓ Funding Range \$25,000 - \$225,000
- ✓ Applications open Spring 2026
- ✓ Awards anticipated December 2026



Scan the QR code for more information about the application process, to join our email list, and to create your grants application account.

Contact: RRRGrants@deq.oregon.gov



DEQ Food Systems Strategic Plan

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information



Earlier this year, the Food Systems Team released their new Strategic Plan.

This plan outlines three focus areas:

- Sustainable Food Production
- Sustainable Food Consumption
- Sustainable Food Waste Management

The Team is currently working on scoping projects with partners around the state to increase the sustainability and resilience of Oregon's food systems.

If you have ideas or would like to get involved, please reach out to Lily Herd (Lily.herd@deq.oregon.gov).

Feedback is important!

- What work already exists that we should include in our report?
- What should we highlight- what's working, what isn't working?
- What organizations or communities should we prioritize for engagement?
- Is there any other feedback you want to provide?

Thank you!

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