

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Item 8.2 Science Based Targets for GHG Reduction
- a) Derek Coronado, Coordinator, Citizens Environment Alliance of SW Ontario submitting the ***attached*** email as additional information.

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Hi. Below is the CEA submission regarding Item 8.2. Thanks.

Item 8.2 Science Based Targets for GHG Reduction – City Wide

The Citizens Environment Alliance (CEA) supports the recommendations in the report *Science Based Targets for GHG Reduction – City Wide*

The latest climate science is clear in that cities must work to fully decarbonize by mid-century. Any credible action plan must be anchored around a target for 2050 or sooner, and will benefit from realistic (i.e. strong short and medium term) interim targets that align with a community-wide plan to reach them.

Science based targets are fundamental for the integrity and accountability of Windsor’s climate action plans. An unscientific plan is the equivalent of a facile public relations exercise, such as Transit Windsor’s “Clean Diesel” program.

The CEA looks forward to working with the City of Windsor to enact science based targets for GHG reduction.

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