

# CITY OF CAMBRIDGE CLIMATE COMMITTEE

FEBRUARY 13, 2025 | 6:00 – 8:00 P.M.  
CITY HALL ANNEX, 344 BROADWAY & VIRTUAL ([ZOOM LINK](#))

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## **AGENDA**

6:00 PM Welcome & Approval of Minutes (Committee Chair)

6:05 PM Director's Update (Susanne Rasmussen)

6:15PM Departing Member Recognition (Susanne Rasmussen)

6:25 PM New Member Onboarding Plan

6:30 PM 2025 Planning (Committee Chair)

- *Purpose: Identify the Committee's approach for 2025*
- *Outcome: Identification of priority issue areas and actions for the committee to focus on in 2025*
- *Process:*
  1. *Review themes from 2024 reflection*
  2. *Review proposed priority issues and actions from officers*
  3. *Finalize 2025 plan by providing input on proposal*

7:00 PM Financing Groundsetting & Context

- *Purpose: Align committee on key contextual information regarding financing actions and goals*
- *Outcome:*
  1. *Committee is informed of context*
  2. *Committee identifies priority next steps*
- *Process:*
  1. *Staff presentation*
  2. *Committee Q&A*
  3. *Committee discussion of next steps*

7:55 PM Public Comment and Member Updates

8:00 PM Adjournment

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**For Reference:**

***What is the role of the Climate Committee?***

*The Climate Committee has three roles that help the City reduce climate change impacts, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, increase equity, and serve as a partner to and example for other communities:*

- 1. Provide feedback and ideas to the City on ways to reduce and live with climate change while prioritizing the needs of the most at-risk populations.*
- 2. Share information about City climate programs with community members, listen to community concerns, and raise feedback with City staff so programs effectively serve all community members.*
- 3. Stay informed about the City's climate goals and provide accountability and feedback on barriers and opportunities to improve effectiveness.*