



Colorado Climate Action Panel
Agriculture, Forestry, and Waste
Policy Work Group
Meeting #8
July 13, 2007



Agenda

- Introductions
- Approval of draft summary of Policy Work Group (PWG) Call #7
- Review of AFW Policy Options Document Revisions
- Next Steps for the PWG on Completing Policy Options Document
- Revisions to the Colorado GHG Inventory and Forecast
- Agenda, Time and Date for Next Meeting
- Public Input and Announcements

Ten Step Work Plan

- Develop initial GHG inventories and forecasts
- Identify possible GHG mitigation options
- Identify initial priorities for first round evaluation
- Evaluate GHG reduction potential, cost effectiveness, additional issues
- Identify potential barriers to consensus, alternatives
- Modify, add or subtract mitigation options as needed
- Evaluate cumulative results of mitigation options
- Iterate to consensus with new alternatives, with votes as needed
- Aggregate options into implementation scenarios
- Finalize recommendations and report language

AFW Policy Options Document

- Refer to the Options Document Distributed via email

AFW PWG Policy Options

<i>Revised Number</i>	<i>Preliminary Title</i>	<i>PWG Volunteers (lead volunteer in bold)</i>
AFW-1	<i>Agricultural Crop Management</i>	<i>Tony Frank¹, Mike Bowman, Keith Paustian</i>
AFW-2	<i>Manure Management and Energy Utilization</i>	<i>Mike Bowman, Meg Collins, Susie Gordon</i>
AFW-3	<i>Reductions in On-Farm Energy Use</i>	<i>Tony Frank¹, Tom Compton</i>
AFW-4	<i>Biodiesel Production</i>	<i>Tony Frank¹, Keith Paustian, John Ashworth</i>
AFW-5	<i>Ethanol Production</i>	<i>Keith Paustian, Tom Compton, Mike Bowman, Tony Frank,¹ John Ashworth</i>
AFW-6	<i>Preserve Lands with Carbon Storage Value</i>	<i>Tim Sullivan, Tom Compton, Will Shafroth, Tom Fry</i>
AFW-7	<i>Biomass Feedstocks for Energy Production</i>	<i>Mike Bowman, Mike Ryan, Tom Fry, Lynda Joyce</i>
AFW-8	<i>Forestry Programs to Enhance GHG Benefits</i>	<i>Mike Ryan, Tom Fry, Tim Sullivan</i>
AFW-9	<i>Prevent Landfilling of Unprocessed Organic Material</i>	<i>Susie Gordon, Eric Lombardi</i>
AFW-10	<i>Landfill Methane Energy Programs</i>	<i>Eric Lombardi, Susie Gordon</i>
¹ With the Farmer's Union.		

Next Steps for the PWG

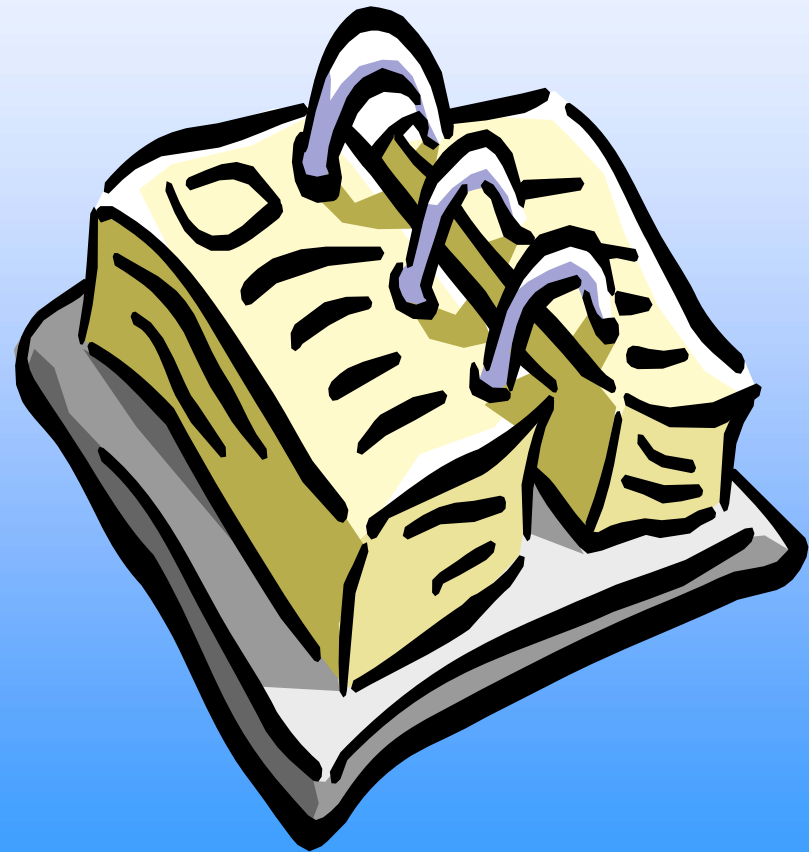
- PWG volunteers complete work on drafting the following sections:
 - *Existing Policies/Programs In Place*
 - *Implementation Mechanisms*
 - *Additional Benefits and Costs*
 - *Feasibility Issues*

Inventory and Forecast Revisions

- Steve to provide brief discussion of revisions to waste management sector estimates
- PWG members should make CCS aware of any other I&F issues that need to be addressed.

Next PWG Meeting

- Agenda:
 - Review Progress on Policy Options
 - Discuss any Remaining Steps on Policy Option Development
 - Continue review and potential revision of Colorado GHG inventory and forecast, as needed
- Date & Time: see next slide



Remaining PWG Meetings

- CAP Meeting Schedule: Late July or early August; 9/11 or 9/12.
- Suggested PWG Dates: 8/9 and 8/30.

Public Input, Announcements