### **Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG)**

### MONTHLY REPORT

Virginia Department of Environmental Quality

<u>March 2024</u>

### **CPRG Meetings**

- Internal DEQ CPRG Meetings
  - o 3/1, 3/4, 3/5, 3/11, 3/12, 3/18, 3/20, 3/22, 3/25, 3/26, 3/27, 3/29
- Contractor Meetings
  - 3/1, 3/6, 3/8, 3/12, 3/15, 3/19, 3/21, 3/22, 3/26, 3/29
- Inter-Agency Meetings
   3/5, 3/6, 3/7, 3/8, 3/11, 3/12, 3/15, 3/20
- Tribal, Local, Regional, and Industry Meetings
  - o 3/6, 3/7, 3/13, 3/14, 3/15, 3/27
- Interstate Meetings
  - o 3/4, 3/6, 3/7, 3/11, 3/12, 3/13, 3/14, 3/15, 3/18, 3/20

# What's Coming Up in April?

- CCAP planning process begins
- What's the difference between the CCAP and PCAP? The CCAP includes:
  - More robust stakeholder involvement
  - Analysis of all significant GHG sources/sinks/sectors in the state, rather than just priority measures
  - GHG emissions comprehensive inventory, projections, and targets
  - $\circ\;$  A benefits analysis for the entire state
  - A plan to leverage other federal funding
  - A workforce planning analysis

#### **Implementation Grants Due 4/1**

DEQ is involved with four implementation grant applications

- Funds requested in the grants totals to ~\$383 million
- More details about the applications will be released once EPA announces awards

EPA will announce award decisions during summer 2024 and will award funds in October 2024

## Comprehensive Climate Action Plan (CCAP)

- After grant submission, DEQ will begin the CCAP process, which is due summer 2025, and does not have associated funding
- The CPRG CCAP will be Virginia's first statewide comprehensive climate action plan

#### **Contact Us**

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