Global Methane Initiative (GMI) Administrative Support Group (Secretariat) Update

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Outline

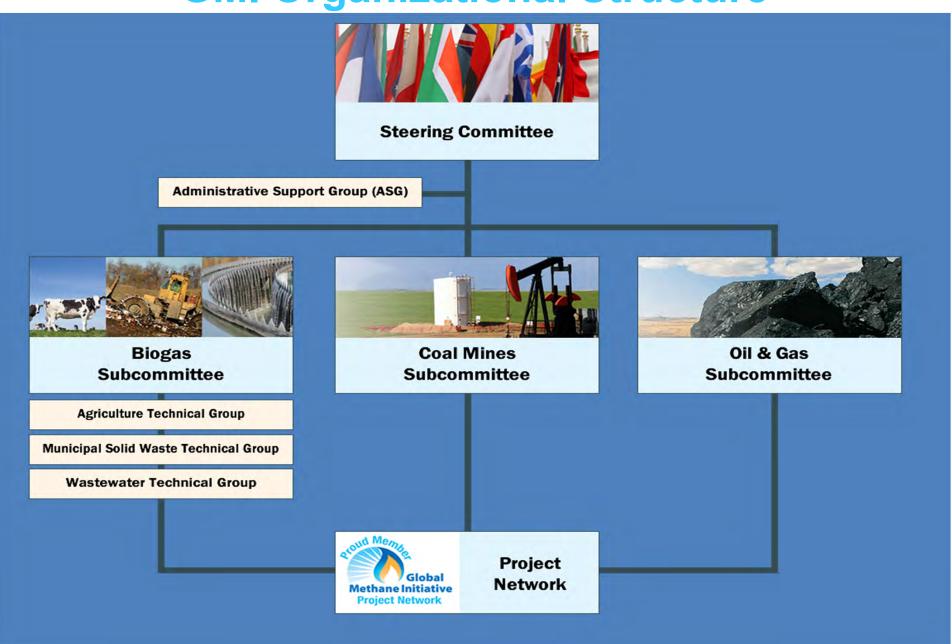
- GMI Charter First year
- Steering Committee Charges
- 2018 Global Methane Forum
- Website and Communication
- Collaboration with CCAC and UNECE



Activities Under the New GMI Charter

- Charter renewed for 5 years to April 2021
- Biogas Subcommittee formalized
- Emphasis on information sharing and policy development rather than site-specific projects
- Continue collaboration with:
 - United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)
 - Climate and Clean Air Coalition (CCAC)
- Canada and Mexico are new Steering Committee Co-Chairs

GMI Organizational Structure



Charges to Subcommittees

Virtual Steering Committee meeting held June 2017

- Begin planning for 2018 Global Methane Forum
 - Organize Subcommittee Meeting
 - Work jointly with CCAC and UNECE



2018 Global Methane Forum

- Hosted jointly by GMI, CCAC and Canada
- Audience: partner country delegates, private sector, NGOs, academia



2018 Global Methane Forum: Draft Agenda

Monday, April 16, 2018	
AM	Site tour of organics recycling facility (3 hrs)
PM	Site tour(s) of wastewater treatment plant
Tuesday, April 17, 2018	
AM	Plenary
	GMI and CCAC Joint sector-specific technical sessions (2 hrs)
PM	GMI Subcommittee meetings and technical sessions (3 hrs)
Wednesday April 18	
AM	Key Note Opening
	Plenary – Methane Science
PM	Update on latest SLCP Science (CCAC lead, open to all)
Thursday April 19	
All day	CCAC Working Group Meeting (Open to GMI)
Friday April 20	
All day	CCAC Working Group Meeting (CCAC Partners Only)





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- 2016 gathered usability feedback
- Launched updated website 2017
 - User and mobile friendly
 - Enhanced search functions
- Coming soon
 - knowledge management platform
 - Detailed data maps



GMI Collaboration with CCAC and UNECE

GMI and UNECE

- Opened Center for Excellence on Coalmine Methane in 2017 – Poland and China
- Coalmine Methane 2017 best practice workshops –
 India, Kazakhstan, China, and Poland
- Meeting jointly: Oil and Gas Subcommittee and Group of Experts on Gas

GMI and **CCAC**

- Global Methane Forum
 - Joint methane technical sessions
 - Joint key note and plenary session
 - Joint Science and Policy Dialogue



Thank you!

Questions?

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