





Climate and Clean Air Coalition *Municipal Solid Waste Initiative*

GMI Steering Committee Meeting Montreal, Canada Thursday October 16

Municipal Solid Waste Initiative

Objective:

Work with cities around the world to implement new actions to reduce SLCP emissions, mainly methane and black carbon, from the waste sector.

Aspiration:

reaching 1000 cities by 2020 through working directly with cities to develop and implement quantifiable plans of action to reduce SLCPs and scale up actions nationally and regionally.



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Canada, US, Mexico, Japan, International Solid Waste Association (ISWA), World Bank, UNEP IETC, C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group.

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Framework

ASSESS

Identify key areas for improving and/or establishing solid waste management practices at the city or national level

BUILD

Build capacity in cities

to develop, operate,

govern, and fund

sustainable solid

waste systems that

reduce SLCPs.

SCALE

A program of knowledge-sharing that enables cities and national governments to accelerate action at home.

TARGETED ASSESSMENT	PREFEASIBILITY STUDY	MENTORING PROGRAM
ACTION PLAN	NAMA DEVELOPMENT	REGIONAL WORKSHOPS
WORK PLAN	OUTPUT BASED AID	KNOWLEDGE PLATFORM



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Progress to date

- More than 20 cities have joined the network
- 8 pilot cities are implementing their work plans with a variety of emissions-reducing activities
- Mentoring partnerships established
- Knowledge platform launched
- Emissions quantification and Financing tools under development









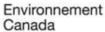
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Synergies with GMI

GMI	CCAC	SYNERGY
Country-focused approach	City-focused approach	Coordination can help scale up action in both national and municipal jurisdictions.
Pipeline of projects	Small scale projects and tool development	CCAC is starting to develop financing guidance for waste projects, while development banks typically only lend to national governments.
Focus on methane and clean-tech solutions	Focus on source separation and basic best practices	As cities move up the waste hierarchy, the context will shift from CCAC to GMI.
MSW Sub committee (national policy discussions)	Regional workshops (targeted capacity building)	There is a need to align these groups to support further cross-pollination.
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Questions...



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