

Re: PE19.4

Climate Action for a Healthy, Equitable and Prosperous Toronto

Parks & Environment Committee May 4, 2017







Collaboration



Co-benefits

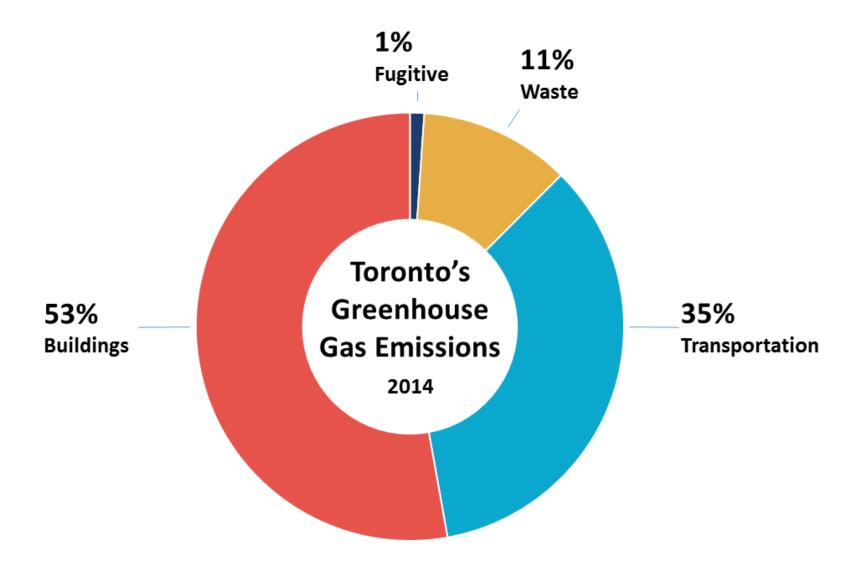
Future Modelling

COLLABORATION IS CRITICAL TO SUCCESS

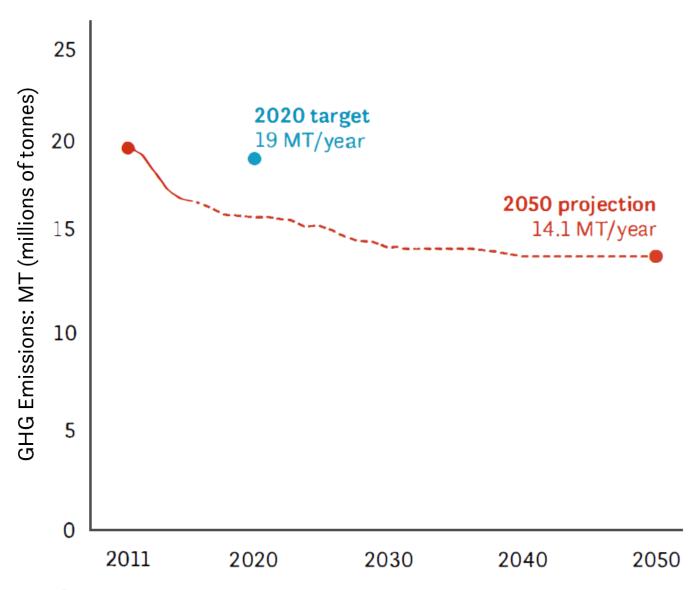
Cities that collaborate with other actors are able to deliver twice as many climate actions."



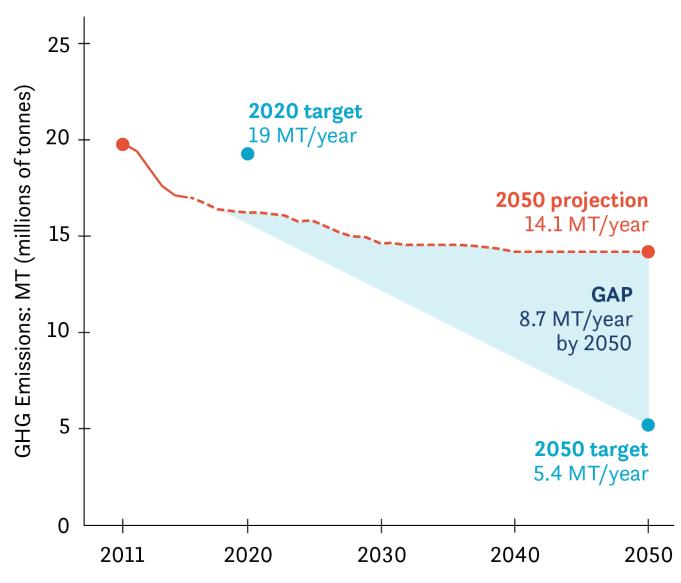
TORONTO'S EMISSIONS SOURCES



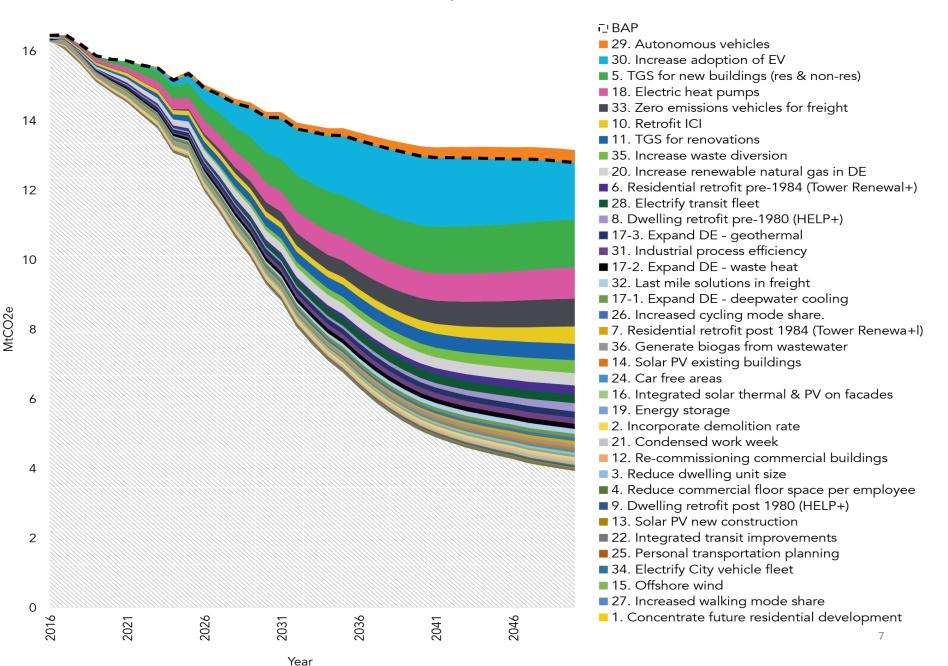
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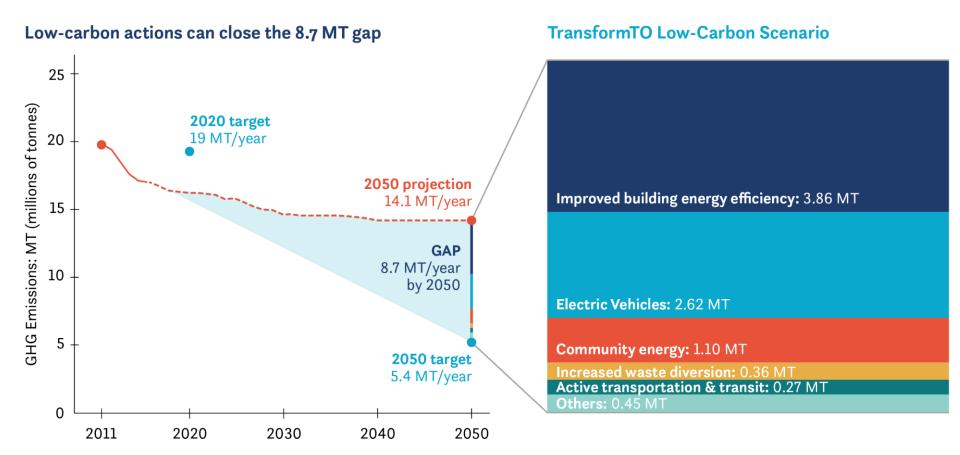
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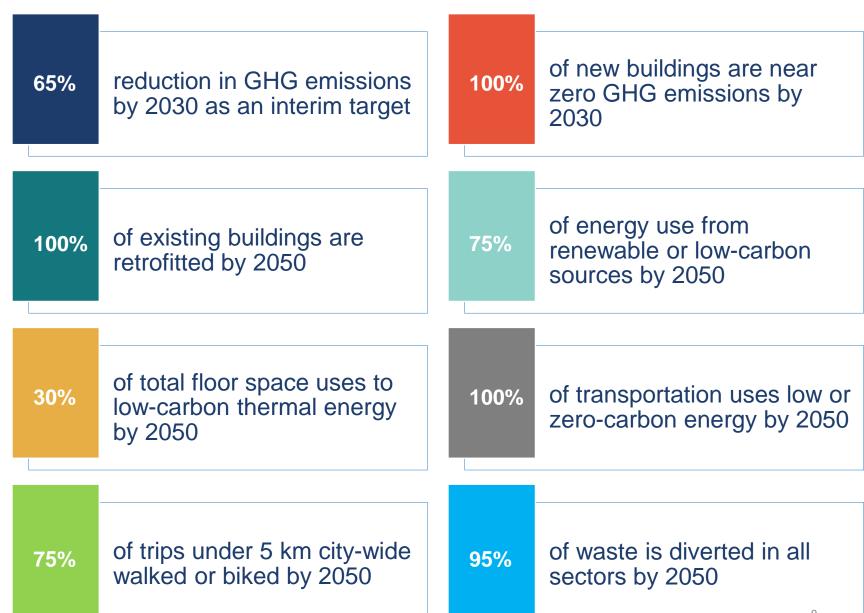
EMISSIONS RESULTING FROM THE ACTIONS MODELLED IN THE CITY OF TORONTO INTEGRATED LOW CARBON SCENARIO, 2016 - 2050



THE GOOD NEWS: WE CAN CLOSE THE GAP



LONG-TERM LOW-CARBON GOALS



ACCELERATED BUILDING PERFORMANCE

of new buildings are near zero GHG emissions by 2030

100% of existing buildings are retrofitted by 2050 where technically feasible



NEW ENERGY MIX

of energy use from renewable or low-carbon sources by 2050

30% of total floor space connected to low-carbon thermal energy by 2050



LOW-CARBON TRANSPORTATION

100% of transportation uses low or zero-carbon energy by 2050

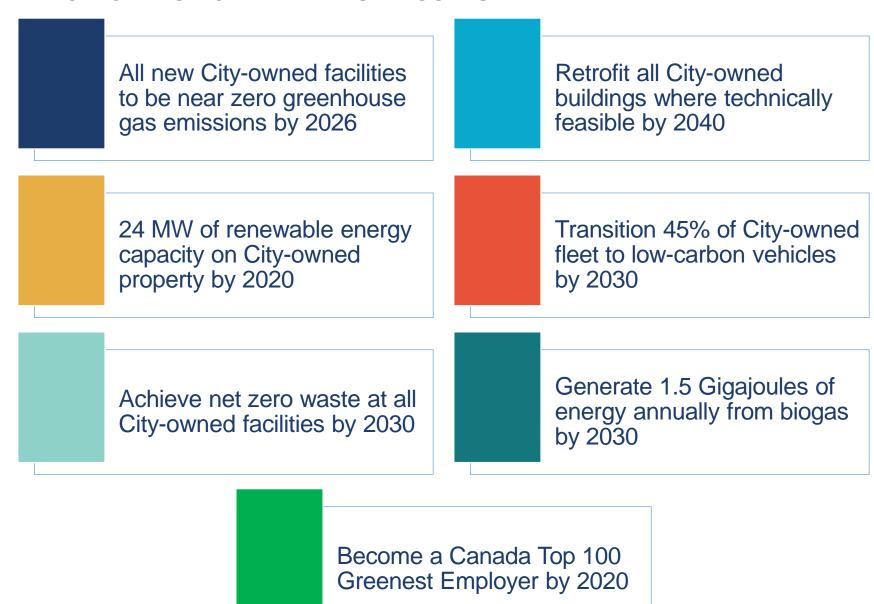


WASTE DIVERSION

95% of waste is diverted in all sectors by 2050



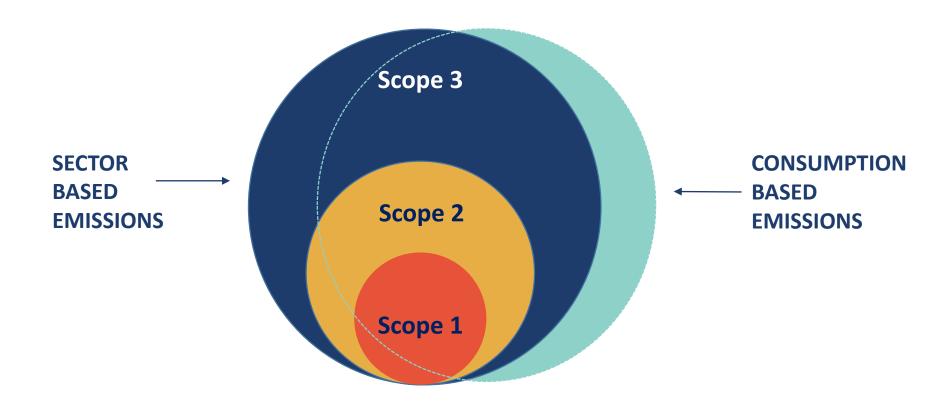
LOW-CARBON CITY LEADERSHIP GOALS



GUIDING PRINCIPLES OF LOW-CARBON ACTION

- Advance social equity
- Improve affordability particularly for vulnerable populations
- Contribute to poverty reduction and protect low-income residents and Enhance and strengthen the local economy
- Maintain and create good quality local
- Improve public health
- Create resilient communities and infrastructure

EXPLORING TORONTO'S CONSUMPTION GHG EMISSIONS



REPORTING AND IMPLEMENTATION PLANS

Every 2 years: update on TransformTO key performance indicators

Every new term of Council: Progress towards City of Toronto lowcarbon leadership goals, and KPIs

Every new term of Council: Revisions and additions to implementation plan for that term

LOW CARBON PATHWAY

- 1. Implement existing low-carbon policies, plans and programs
- 2. Pick up the pace by implementing the TransformTO Report #1 strategies approved in 2016
- 3. Start three acceleration campaigns that embrace a multi-benefits approach

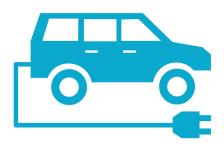
REPORT #1 STRATEGIES





1. Mobilize Low-Carbon Neighbourhoods

- Advance best practices in neighbourhood-based engagement;
- Cultivate local leaders who can support climate actions;
- Identify how TransformTO initiatives could improve affordability and support the City's poverty reduction and social development strategies;
- Explore how neighbourhood-scale TransformTO initiatives could enhance community resilience;
- Take action with 3 to 5 quick start projects.



2. Prepare for Electric Mobility

- Co-develop an electric vehicle (EV) transition strategy for Toronto;
- Develop an electric vehicle charging infrastructure strategy;
- Identify best practices in EV preparedness to ensure equitable outcomes for all residents;
- Prioritize EV approaches that maximize community benefit;
- Launch quick start projects to test implications of EV use for local grid;
- Explore how EVs could enhance community resilience.



3. Develop the Workforce for High-Performance Buildings

- Create an existing buildings energy performance strategy;
- Identify priority approaches to drive community benefits, including an early focus social housing renewal;
- Co-develop a workforce strategy to support high-performance buildings and create opportunities for people who face barriers to employment;
- Improve resilience of building stock

CONCLUSION

1

Implementing planned actions

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Starting work immediately on approved Report 1 short-term strategies.

3

Investing in three acceleration campaigns while providing a wide range of community benefits.

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