



Suncor Supplemental Environmental Projects (SEP)

August 13, 2020

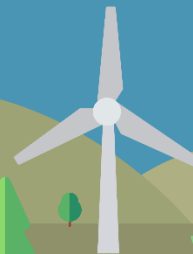
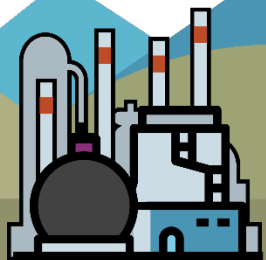
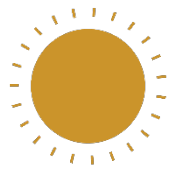
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Meeting Overview

- Discussion of how the State settlement funds process works
- Overview of State's evaluation criteria and selection process for project
- Answer your questions about this process, the city's role, how feedback will be used, and next steps
- Discuss your environmental concerns, possible project ideas, and areas the city should prioritize in it's submittal



Please Note!

- While we welcome your feedback during tonight's meeting, completing the online suggestion form at c3gov.com/SEP is the best way to contribute your input and project ideas to this process.
- Feedback provided to staff during this town hall meeting will not substitute for filling out the [suggestion form](#) on the Suncor SEP webpage.
- Thank you for taking the time to attend, and we look forward to seeing your written forms following this meeting!



State SEP Overview

- **On March 6, Suncor reached settlement agreement with CDPHE for past violations**
 - \$2.6 million of settlement to be utilized for environmental projects
- **Local Governments & nonprofit organizations that are considered an “impacted community” as it relates to the settlement will have the opportunity to submit project proposals for any portion of the funding amount**
 - RFA would go live sometime in September

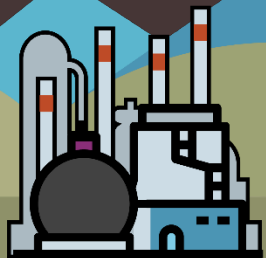


State Evaluation Criteria

 The project creates measurable environmental or public health impacts

 The project benefits the geographic area impacted by the violation

 The project is not required to address the same **environmental concerns caused by the violations** (i.e. projects do not need to address only air quality, even though the Suncor settlement is for air pollution violations)



Other Notes - Criteria

- **SEP Funds cannot be utilized for items that are already within an adopted city budget or long term Capital Improvement Plan (CIPP)**
- **Example: If the city has already allocated money for the construction of a park or trail, or previously identified it as part of the CIPP, SEP funds are not eligible to be used for that project**



Previously Funded SEP Projects

- Home energy and weatherization upgrades for low-income families.
- Solar energy installations.
- Building efficiency or lighting upgrades.
- Electric vehicle charging stations or purchases.
- Electric lawn mower purchases to replace gas powered machines.
- Environmental restoration projects, such as creek cleanups and tree plantings.
- Diesel emissions reduction projects.
- Environmental education projects.



State SEP Overview

- **A state Formal Evaluation Committee will determine which project submissions are ultimately funded – Will consist of:**
 - 1 CDPHE staff member
 - 1 Suncor representative
 - An undetermined number of community representatives
- **CDPHE currently in process of conducting stakeholder engagement to form evaluation committee**

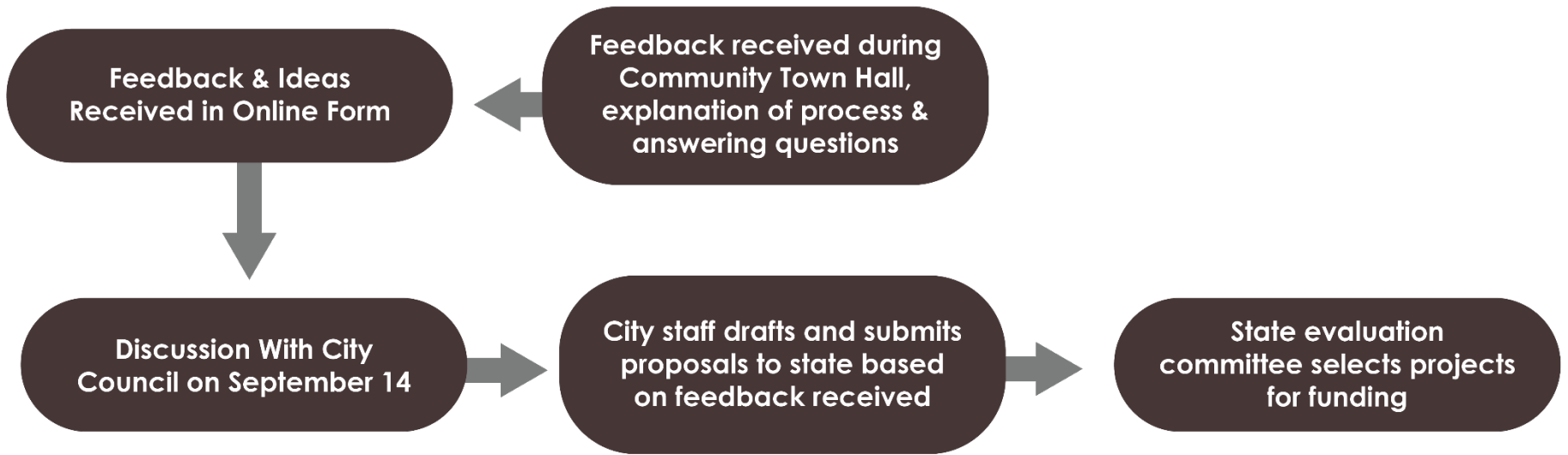


City Process

- The city wants input from the community to drive this process
- The priorities we hear from the public and the ideas that represent the greatest community need, will help guide the city's submission(s) to the state.
- By demonstrating community need and benefits of these projects, the city's proposals may have a better chance of being selected by the state committee.



City Process



Areas the City should focus on?

- **Air Quality**
- **Water Quality**
- **Renewable Energy Development**
- **Environmental Restoration**
- **Public Health**
- **Community Education & Information**
- **Community Visual or Aesthetic Improvements**
- **Odor, Noise, and Other Nuisances**
- **Other Topics**



Questions

- If you have additional questions following this town hall, send an email to:
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Discussion

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