



Chapter Leaders' Monthly Meeting Version 3

October 18, 2022, Tuesday
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM EST

How to join the videoconference

1. Join from PC, Mac, iOS or Android:

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One tap mobile: +16465588656,,4780602406#,,,,*042792# US (New York)

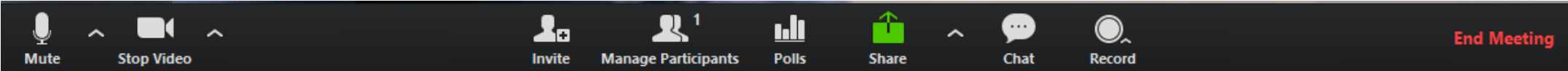
Or dial: +1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 478 060 2406

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You have a choice of computer audio (preferred, if you have a strong internet connection) or getting audio through a traditional telephone

2. Make sure your speaker volume is up and your microphone is unmuted when you are speaking; otherwise, please stay muted to reduce background noise

3. 

The image shows a Zoom meeting control bar with the following icons and labels below them:

 - Mute (Microphone icon) → Audio
 - Stop Video (Video camera icon) → Video, please turn on
 - Invite (Person with plus icon)
 - Manage Participants (Two people icon) → See list of participants
 - Polls (Bar chart icon)
 - Share (Green screen with arrow icon) → Share your screen
 - Chat (Speech bubbles icon) → Chat session
 - Record (Microphone with red circle icon)
 - End Meeting (Red text) → Leave

Agenda

| <u>Time</u> | <u>Topic</u> | <u>Speaker</u> |
|-------------|---|---|
| 5:00 – 5:05 | Welcome ": Late breaking news from Croton 100! | Leo, Patty |
| 5:05 – 5:25 | Spotlight: NYS Environmental Bond Act November 8 | Patty, Gunnel, Dhruv |
| 5:25 – 5:35 | Local action for GOTV: Discussion | Croton100, Ossining100, Phillipstown100, TT Port Washington100, Yorktown100. |
| 5:35 – 5:50 | Carbon Tracker Update/Q&A: Carbon Tracker Advisory Council (in formation!) | Juliane |
| 5:50 – 5:55 | Most recent Newsletter, Blog | Chandu |
| 5:55 – 6:00 | Look ahead to November, Adjournment | Leo |

Croton100 Electric School Bus update! It's here today!!



PAID FOR BY VOTE YES FOR CLEAN WATER & JOBS



VOTE YES FOR THE CLEAN WATER, CLEAN AIR, & GREEN JOBS BOND ACT

PROP 1

WHAT IS THE BOND ACT?

The **Clean Water, Clean Air, and Green Jobs Bond Act** is a ballot measure that New York voters will have the opportunity to approve on November 8th, 2022.

If passed, the measure will protect clean water, uplift public health and environmental protection, and improve quality of life in every county of the state.

As **Ballot Prop 1**, the measure will be located on the backside of ballots. It's imperative for voters to flip their ballots and continue voting to pass this once-in-a-generation opportunity!



**FLIP YOUR BALLOT OVER AND VOTE YES ON PROP 1 FOR
THE CLEAN WATER, CLEAN AIR, AND GREEN JOBS BOND ACT ON NOVEMBER 8!**

WHAT WILL THE BOND ACT DO?



PROTECT CLEAN DRINKING WATER

The Bond Act will safeguard clean drinking water and prevent contamination, runoff, and pollution. It will support communities throughout the state to update aging or failing water, sewer, and stormwater infrastructure.



MODERNIZE INFRASTRUCTURE AND REVITALIZE THE ECONOMY

Replacing lead pipes, upgrading sewers, fixing roads, retrofitting buildings, and expanding clean energy all create jobs and strengthen local economies. For every dollar dedicated to land or water protection projects, \$7 is returned in local revenue.



IMPROVE PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY

The Bond Act will improve public health by mitigating the impacts of climate change, cleaning the air we breathe and expanding access to parks and natural areas. The Act will also support clean school buses, community gardens, street trees, green roofs, and cooling centers that save lives during heatwaves.



CONSERVE NATURAL RESOURCES

We all depend on what natural resources provide: clean water, fresh air, food for our families, and places to explore the great outdoors. The Bond Act will support family farms, protect wildlife habitats, and expand access to parks and green spaces for all New Yorkers to enjoy.

WHAT WILL THE BOND ACT DO?



CREATE GOOD JOBS

The Bond Act will support nearly 100,000 local, family-sustaining jobs. On municipal or state construction projects over \$25 million, prevailing wage requirements and Project Labor Agreements will be required to ensure labor rights are protected to the highest standard.



INVEST IN DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES

The Bond Act will help advance environmental justice by investing at least 35-40 percent of total funding in disadvantaged communities, those most harmed by pollution. This will help ensure all New Yorkers have clean air to breathe and clean water to drink.

GET READY TO VOTE

OCTOBER 14: Voter Registration Deadline

You may register to vote online if you have a New York driver's license, otherwise by mail or in person at your local Board of Elections or any state agency participating in the National Voter Registration Act.

OCTOBER 19: Change of Address Deadline

If you have moved since the last time you voted in New York, you must notify the Board of Elections by filling out a paper voter registration form and returning it by mail or in-person.

GET OUT AND VOTE



VOTE BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

If you prefer to vote by mail,
apply for an absentee ballot!

MAIL APPLICATION DEADLINE:
October 24

IN-PERSON APPLICATION
DEADLINE: November 7

POSTMARK COMPLETED
BALLOT BY: November 8



VOTE EARLY IN PERSON

Every county in New York now
offers early voting at designated
sites! This offers greater flexibility
and generally shorter lines.

EARLY VOTING PERIOD:
October 29 to November 6



VOTE ON ELECTION DAY IN PERSON

Cast your vote in person at your
polling location from 6:00am to
9:00pm.

ELECTION DAY: November 8

JOIN US!



VOTE YES on November 8th for Prop 1: The Clean Water, Clean Air, & Green Jobs Bond Act!



Register to VOTE or update your information at ny.gov/services/register-vote



Visit voteyescleanwaterandjobs.com and take the pledge to vote yes!



Follow & engage with us on social media:
@NYBondAct

Local action to Get Out the Vote for Enviro Bond Act

| | Letters to the editor | Lawn signs (hand made) | Background screens for zoom calls | Other? |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Croton100 | | | | |
| Ossining100 | | | | |
| Phillipstown100 | | | | |
| TT Port Washington100 | | | | |
| Yorktown100 | | | | |
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Local action to Get Out the Vote for Enviro Bond Act

Learn more on the campaign website: voteyescleanwaterandjobs.com.

[See the campaign toolkit here](#) (resources and talking points)

There are easy actions you may decide to get involved with listed below:

1. Post and share, share, share! email your friends, [post on social, talk about it!!](#)
2. Take a lawn sign for your home.
3. Email signature “Vote Yes for Prop 1 on November 8, NYS Environmental Bond Act.”
4. [Zoom background](#)
5. [Slide for powerpoints](#)
6. Soon we will have Bond Act materials for our SW tabling events
7. [Write a letter to the editor of your local paper](#)



Carbon Tracker Update:

| CT User Counts by community | as of Oct 15, 2022 | New since July 2022 |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Bedford2030 | 10 | 3 |
| Croton100 | 70 | 7 |
| DOAS | 10 | 0 |
| Meketa | 16 | 0 |
| Menaududon | 5 | 0 |
| Ossining100 | 23 | 0 |
| Philipstown100 | 5 | 2 |
| Smraudubon | 8 | 1 |
| SustHV | 1 | 1 |
| TTPW100 | 67 | 1 |
| Yorktown100 | 17 | 2 |
| unspecified | 5 | 5 |
| totals | 237 | 22 |

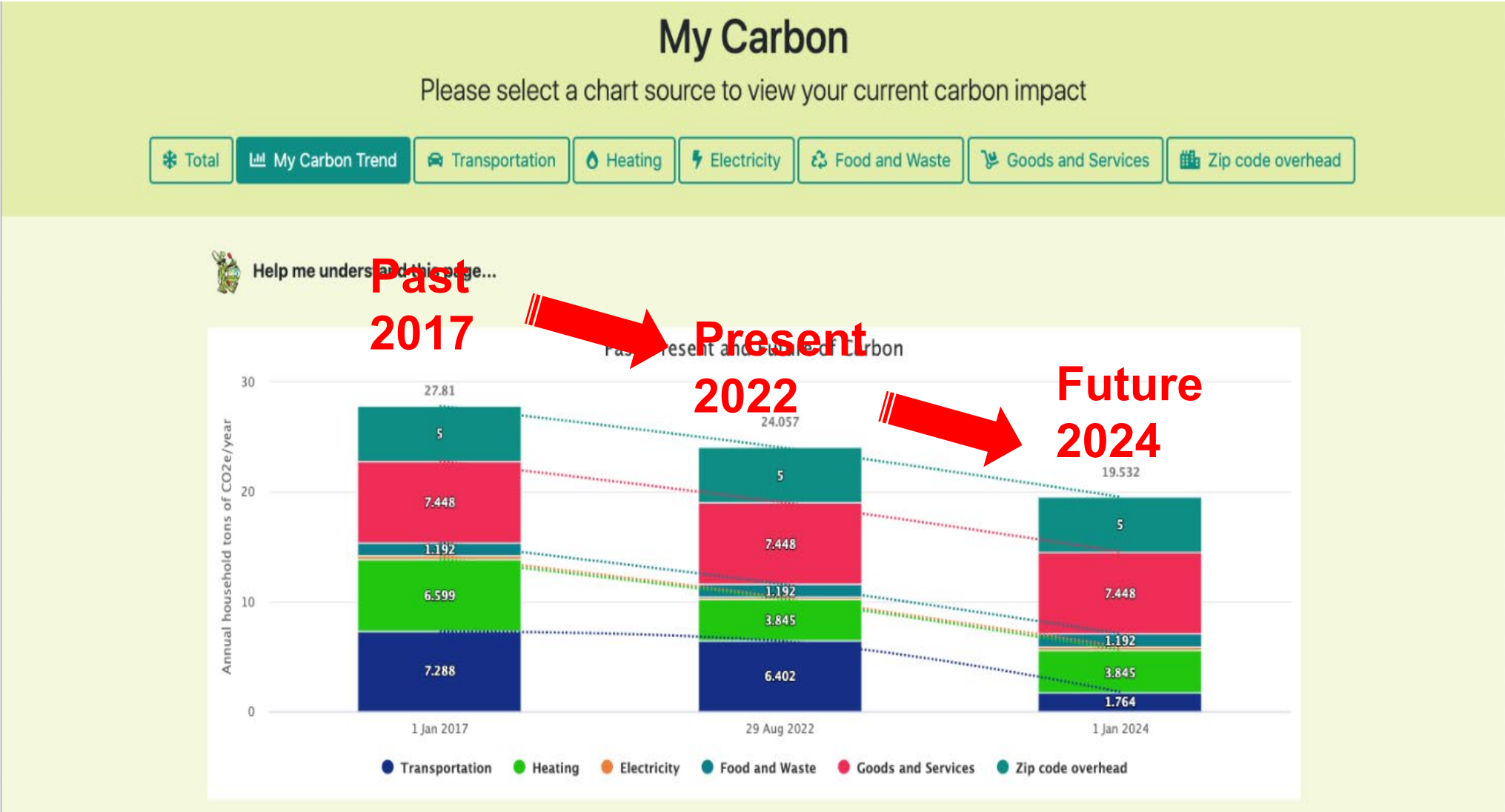


Carbon Tracker Update:

Carbon Tracker Advisory Council (in formation!)

- a) Form CT advisory council of chapter volunteers
- b) “Beta test” the new CT functionality
- c) Provide input and guidance on future enhancements

Carbon Tracker Update: Track your reductions!



Forward our monthly newsletter #56 to your friends! Share on LinkedIn!



[All our newsletters are located here:](https://cure100.org/newsletter-archive/)
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Devastating floods in Pakistan; image courtesy of UNICEF.

Good engagement on monthly newsletters: ~50% opens!

Campaign Engagement

These metrics include campaign and Automation workflow activity.

Oct. 10-Oct. 16

462

Delivered

Consistently achieving ~50% opens!

282

Opens

10

Clicks

Forward our blogs to your friends! Share with LinkedIn!
Thank you to Lexi for our most recent blog about creating a circular economy!



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PLEDGE

CARBON TRACKER

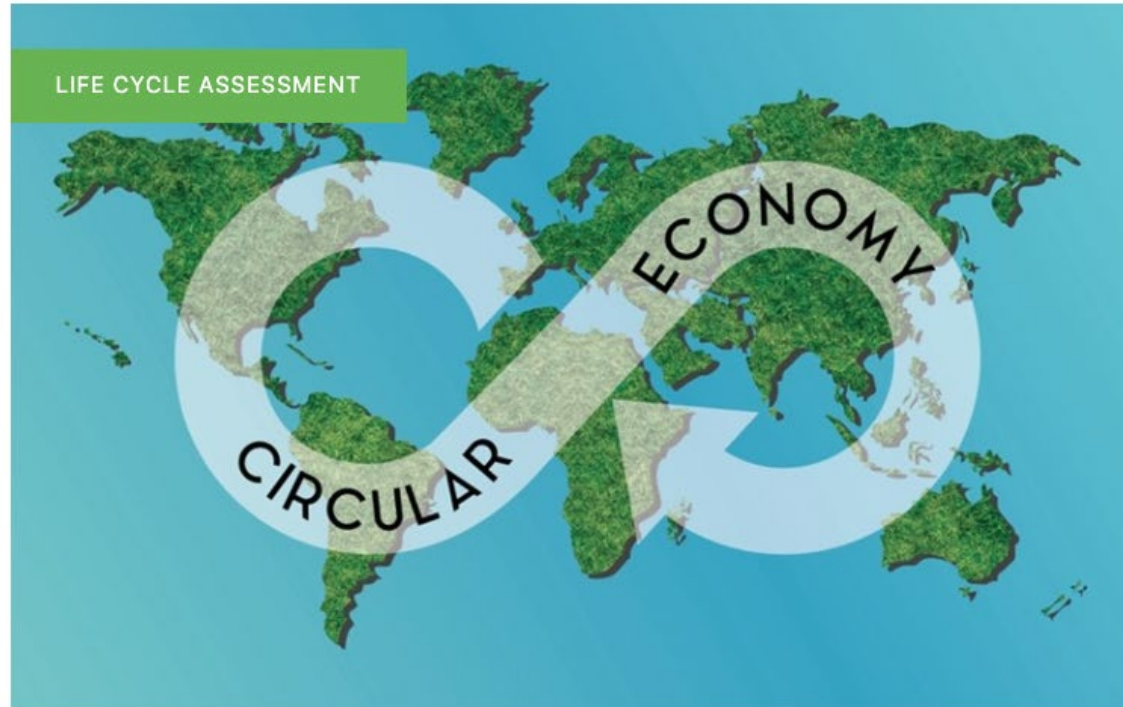
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September 21, 2022

A Circular Solution

By: Lexi Schaffer

Reuse and recycle. Most of us have heard these words repeated countless times, usually

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Recent Posts

- › A Circular Solution
- › Save money and save the planet!
- › Slow and Steady Fashion Wins the Race
- › Does Recycling Really Happen?
- › The Climate Blame Game

Recent Comments

- eleanorkwei on The Pandemic and Climate Change
- eleanorkwei on Tell Me What You See!
- Chandu Visweswariah on Tell Me What You

Share our monthly blogs on LinkedIn! Include #CURE100

A screenshot of a LinkedIn post. At the top, there is a 'Start a post' button and options for 'Photo', 'Video', 'Event', and 'Write article'. The post is by Leo Wiegman, Director of Solar Programs at Sustainable Westchester, Inc. The text of the post reads: 'My friend, Chandu, gives a simple case for ignoring all the distractions out there (will the feds act on climate change? will the war in Ukraine disrupt energy markets? etc) and acting in our own economic self-interest ...see more'. Below the text is a logo for 'CURE' and the title 'The Climate Blame Game' with a link to cure100.org and a '2 min read' indicator. At the bottom, there are icons for 'Like', 'Comment', 'Share', and 'Send'. A notification shows that Michel Delafontaine and Harleen Paul Srivastava like this post. Another notification shows that Rachel Carpitella, Director of Commercial Clean Heating and Cooling, commented: 'Great discussions with leaders from NYSERDA, Con Edison, and the Family'.

A screenshot of a LinkedIn post by Chandu Visweswariah, Strategist and entrepreneur in the renewable energy space. The text of the post reads: 'I've never had more fun cutting up a debit card. You have more power than you think... you can put your money where your mouth is to advance environmental goals. Read my story in this blog: <https://lnkd.in/eMg-cDvm> #climatec ...see more'. Below the text is a logo for 'CURE' and the title 'You Have More Power Thank You Think' with a link to cure100.org and a '1 min read' indicator. At the bottom, there are icons for 'Like', 'Comment', 'Share', and 'Send'. A notification shows that Mujahid Adnan and 21 others like this post. A red circle highlights the text '1,249 views of your post in the feed'. At the bottom, there is a comment box with the text 'Add a comment...' and icons for emojis and images. The sorting option is set to 'Most relevant'.



Call to action

As always, we need volunteers!

- ✓ To provide a **Chapter Calendar liaison**, contact shubirk@yahoo.com
- ✓ To help with the monthly, **Newsletter** (using MailChimp) contact chanduvis@gmail.com
[News items need to be submitted to Chandu by the 2nd Friday of the month, for publication the 2nd Sunday of the month.]
- ✓ To help us write a **grant proposal**, contact leo.wiegman@gmail.com
- ✓ To help us with **social media postings**, contact pattybuchanan@hotmail.com
- ✓ To help build & manage our **website**, contact chanduvis@gmail.com

Regular call to action:

- Catch up on our blogs at <https://cure100.org/blog>
- Take our pledge at <https://cure100.org/pledge>
- Office Hours: To schedule **1 hour Carbon Tracker session**, contact leo.wiegman@gmail.com
- Have a plug-in hybrid or electric vehicle? Sign up for Smart Charge New York with the code <https://www.fleetcarma.com/smartchargenewyork/?referralCode=85626012> and we'll get a \$25 referral fee!
- Communities which are interested in CURE100, contact Patty Buchanan at pattybuchanan@hotmail.com

Next chapter leader meeting: the 3RD Tuesday of the month, November 15, 2022,
from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. Eastern Time (New York)