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## Attend the Wellesley Climate Action Zoom Webinar on November 10

**Residents Invited to Take 5-Minute [Survey](#) as Part of Climate Action Planning Process**

**October 28, 2021 (Wellesley, MA)** – Are you concerned about climate change? Do you wonder how Wellesley is addressing the climate crisis? Attend a Wellesley Climate Action Zoom Webinar on Wednesday, November 10 at 7 p.m. hosted by Wellesley's [Climate Action Committee \(CAC\)](#) and [Green Collaborative](#) to learn the latest on this critical issue.

At the meeting, Dr. Marybeth Martello, Sustainability Director for the Town of Wellesley, will update the community on development of the Town's Climate Action Plan. The Plan will build on over a decade of efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and enhance resilience to climate impacts. The presentation will preview climate actions under consideration through the planning process. A question-and-answer session will follow the presentation and feedback will be welcomed.

The Wellesley Green Collaborative is a periodic gathering of environmentally minded organizations. The goal of the [Green Collaborative](#) is simple: bring together people working to make our town more sustainable. Meetings provide opportunities to share initiatives, brainstorm, and when possible, combine efforts.

The [Climate Action Committee \(CAC\)](#) develops and implements initiatives to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from Wellesley's municipal, residential, commercial, and institutional sectors. The completed Climate Action Plan will provide a roadmap for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and enhancing resilience to climate change impacts in the areas of energy, buildings, mobility, waste, natural resources, and governance. The Town of Wellesley is focused on achieving net-zero town-wide emissions by 2050, a goal shared by the U.S. and Massachusetts governments and supported by science.

As part of the climate action planning process, residents are invited to take this 5-minute [survey](#).

**WHAT** Preview of Wellesley's *Draft Climate Action Plan*

**WHEN** Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

**WHERE** Zoom, [Register here](#)

**WHY** Provide the community an opportunity to learn and ask questions about the climate action planning process and the climate initiatives Wellesley is evaluating.

Questions? Contact [ClimateAction@wellesleyma.gov](mailto:ClimateAction@wellesleyma.gov)

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