



# **Evening Community Meeting: Clean Transportation Incentives**

Public Workgroup Meeting  
December 16, 2025

# Meeting Agreements

- Be respectful
- Take space, make space
- Listen to understand
- Consider equity



# Evening Community Meetings

Monthly community meetings provide a space for community members across the state to engage with California Air Resources Board staff.

## Community Meeting Goals

- Hold a platform for community voices and priorities
- Brainstorm solutions for clean transportation needs
- Highlight important program information
- Foster ongoing communication between staff and the communities

# Today's Agenda

Time	Session
5:00 – 5:10 p.m.	Introduction
5:10 – 5:30 p.m.	Public Workshop on Drive Forward Light-Duty Vehicle Program Recap
5:30 – 5:45 p.m.	Innovative Small-E Fleet Pilot Project ISEF Update
5:45 – 6:00 p.m.	Clean Mobility Forum Recap
6:00 – 6:15 p.m.	Wrap Up and Next Steps



# **Drive Forward: Light-duty Vehicle Program**

Gennet Paauwe

# Drive Forward: Light-duty Vehicle Program

## Background:

- Governor's EO signed in June directs CARB action on new light-duty vehicle emission standards

## Goals:

- Reduce emissions from light-duty vehicles to protect the health of all Californians
- Design stringent but flexible programs that achieve cost-effective emission reductions
- Give incentives for early action
- Ensure real-world emission reductions

# Scope of the New Rulemaking

Evaluate tighter  
PM and  
NMOG+NO<sub>x</sub>  
standards

Consider new  
non-exhaust  
PM emissions  
standards

Evaluate  
appropriate  
greenhouse  
gas standards

Explore further  
ways to address  
real-world  
emissions

Consider the  
role of ZEVs

Update ZEV  
certification  
requirements

# Overview of First Workshop

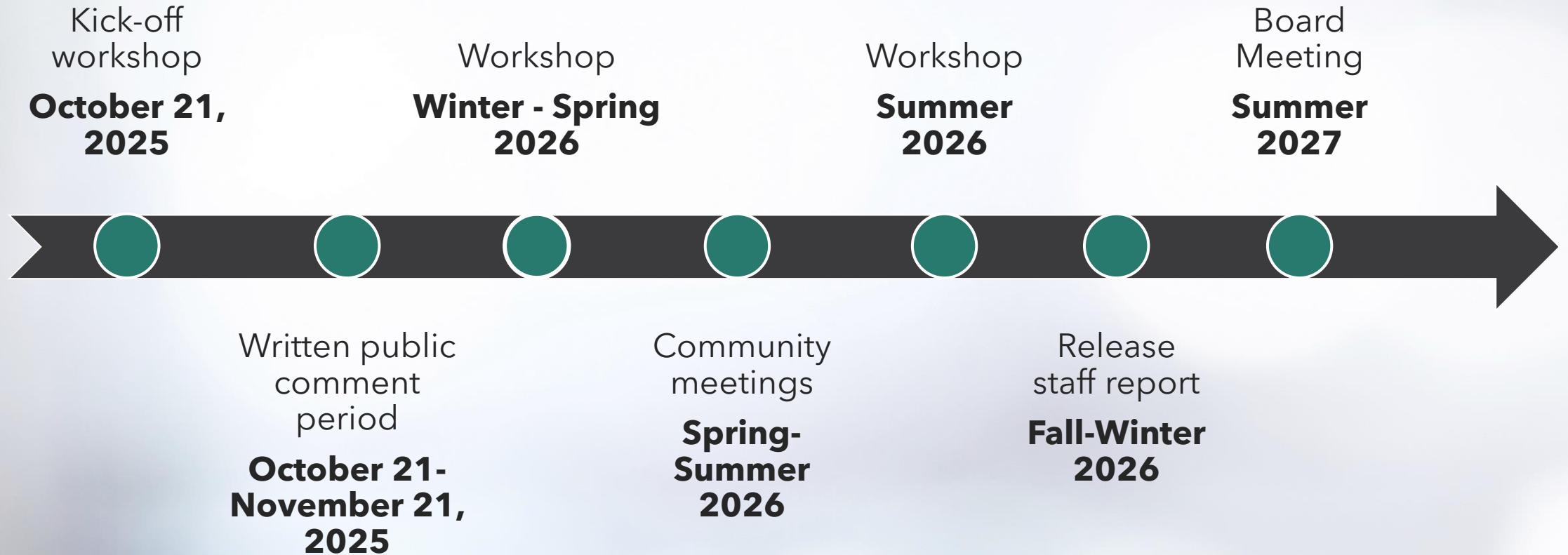
## **October 21, 2025, sought input on:**

- Reducing smog-forming air pollutants like ozone and particulate matter
- Greenhouse gas and toxic emissions
- Engine certification requirements
- Zero-emission vehicle standards, and
- Environmental analysis

## **What we've heard so far:**

- Comment period takeaways

# Draft Timeline



# Community Engagement

- Partner with community-based organizations to host three in-person community meetings
- Hold virtual meetings for those that can't attend in-person
  - Q2 and Q3 2026
- Attend existing community meetings that are already taking place
- Coordinate efforts across CARB and partner agencies to build on existing work and ensure the right program staff are at the meetings
- Tailor engagement methods to reflect each community's unique needs and interests



# Drive Forward: Light-duty Vehicle Program Engagement

## Stay involved:

- Sign up for email list
- Request follow-up meetings
- Submit official comments during next phase of workshops

## Contact us:

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# **Innovative Small E-Fleet Pilot Project (ISEF)**

Brianneth Rocha

# Background

- Reopened on October 21, 2025
- Provides fleets innovative solutions such as all-inclusive leases, truck-as-a-service, and other mechanisms
- Reduces the purchase price of zero-emission vehicles for small fleets
- Small fleet participants own 20 or fewer vehicles and make less than \$15 million in annual revenue
- Transactions have involved three primary parties – ISEF Provider, HVIP approved dealer, and an eligible small fleet participant

# FY 2025-26 Recap



\$21 M Requested



53 unique  
fleets applied



Average fleet size: 4



73% domiciled  
in DAC

## Project Breakdown

97 - Lease

20 - TAAS

20 - Rental

# How to Participate?

- **Provider Application:** [formstack.io/4FBEE](https://formstack.io/4FBEE)
- **Dealer:** [ISEF Voucher Request Guide](#)
- **Cal Fleet Advisor Support: Visit** [calfleetadvisor.org](https://calfleetadvisor.org) or contact [calfleetadvisor@californiahvip.org](mailto:calfleetadvisor@californiahvip.org)
- **Website:** [californiahvip.org/isef](https://californiahvip.org/isef)
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# Next Steps

- New Options Workgroup #2 - Early 2026
  - Used Truck Voucher Pilot Concept
  - Advanced Fleet Management Assistance
  - Insurance
- *Anticipated 1-2 years to develop and implement new options*
- **Comments and Suggestions:** [zevtruckstop@arb.ca.gov](mailto:zevtruckstop@arb.ca.gov)

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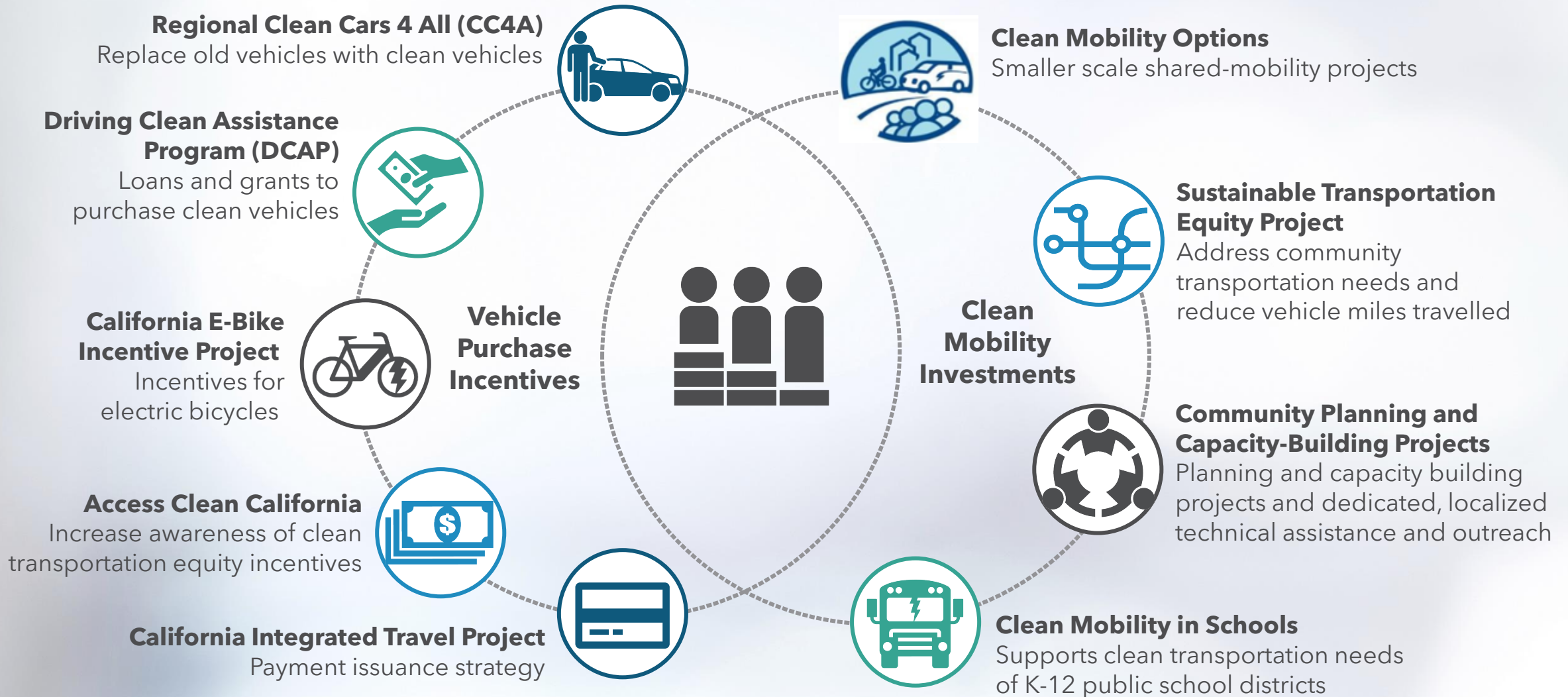
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# **Clean Mobility Forum 2025 Recap**

Leilani Viramontes

# Light-Duty Vehicle and Clean Transportation Equity Investments



# Clean Mobility Equity Alliance Overview

- The Clean Mobility Equity Alliance (CMEA) is a peer-learning, knowledge sharing network that convenes clean mobility project implementers and partners.
- From 2020-2025, CMEA has hosted **90 meetings** and has had **500+ participants** for **29 meetings/working groups** held in 2025.





# Annual Clean Mobility Forum Overview





# Clean Mobility Forum 2025 - Fresno, CA



**185** attendees, **29** travel scholarship recipients, **38** speakers,  
**19** poster presenters



# Clean Mobility Forum 2025 - Fresno, CA



**13** promotional partners including CalBike, Valley Improvement Project, MoveLA, California Climate and Energy Collaborative

# Forum Testimonials

"The Clean Mobility Forum was an excellent example of what can happen when like-minded people, with clear visions and goals get together and talk. It's like magic, but real." -Eric Spikes, FMBCC

"I had the opportunity to learn from so many professionals working on similar projects throughout the state!" -Angel Pippins-Lopez, City Heights CDC

"The Clean Mobility Forum is the intersection of inspiration and implementation. It is a wonderful forum that connects you with a diverse group of agencies and organizations where you will learn some amazing ways everyone is tackling policies.." -Diane Nguyen, SJCOG



# Get Involved with CMEA

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# Community Planning & Capacity Building Grants: 2025 Request for Applications

- **Open Now:** Dec. 2, 2025 – Applications due Feb. 10, 2026
- **Funding:** Up to \$500,000 per project, \$7.3M total available
- **Who Can Apply:** Tribal Governments, Community-Based Organizations, Local Governments, Public Schools
- **Tribal Note:** Waiver of sovereign immunity **not required** based on Tribal feedback
- **Support:** Request free [Technical Assistance](#) by Jan. 23, 2026
- **Q&A Sessions:** Jan. 8 & Jan. 27 – only time CARB can answer RFA-specific questions
- **More Info:** [Planning RFA Webpage](#)

# **Wrap-Up and Next Steps**

# Upcoming Meetings & Events

Meeting/Item	Date
Evening Community Meeting	Dec. 16
Planning and Capacity Building RFA Question & Answer Session #1	Jan. 8
Evening Community Meeting	Jan. 20
CARB Board Meeting	Jan. 22-23
Planning and Capacity Building RFA Question & Answer Session #2	Jan. 27
Evening Community Meeting	Feb. 17

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**Funding Plan** - [Engagement Opportunities](#)