

**Resolution #TC-2022-05-12**

Adoption of New Policy Directive 1610.0, “Greenhouse Gas Mitigation Measures”.

**Approved by the Transportation Commission on May 19, 2022.**

**WHEREAS**, 2 CCR 601-22, *Rules Governing Statewide Transportation Planning Process and Transportation Planning Regions*, directs the Colorado Department of Transportation (“the Department”) to establish an administrative process and guidelines for selecting, measuring, confirming, verifying, and reporting GHG Mitigation Measures; and

**WHEREAS**, Policy Directive 1610.0 meets this requirement by providing the process by which GHG Mitigation Measures are established, scored, and approved; the required elements of a GHG Mitigation Action Plan; the process by which agencies must report on the status of mitigations in a GHG Mitigation Action Plan; and a list of quantified GHG mitigation measures; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to C.R.S § 43-1-106(8)(b), one of the Commission’s duties is to assure the preservation and enhancement of Colorado’s environment in the planning, selection, construction, and operation of all transportation projects in Colorado; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission established the Ad Hoc Agency Coordination Committee (“ACC”) chaired by Commissioner Hickey to act as liaison for the Commission throughout the Planning Rules process, including the development of this GHG Mitigation Measures policy; and

**WHEREAS**, Policy Directive 1610.0 has been developed in consultation with Interagency Consultation Team and other stakeholder groups; and

**WHEREAS**, Policy Directive 1610.0 was provided to the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment’s Air Pollution Control Division for review and comment per the requirements of 2 CCR 601-22; and

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Commission anticipates amending Policy Directive 1610.0 by no later than December of 2022 to include additional provisions related to disproportionately impacted communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Commission understands that elements of Policy Directive 1610.0 may need to be updated or revised over time due to changing information and conditions.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Commission adopts the new Policy Directive 1610.0 “Greenhouse Gas Mitigation Measures”.

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