

Climate **VISION** Partnership

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Alliance for Climate Strategies (ACS)

- Aluminum Association
- American Chemistry Council
- American Forest & Paper Association
- American Iron & Steel Institute
- American Petroleum Institute
- American Public Power Association
- American Road & Transportation Builders Association
- Edison Electric Institute
- Nuclear Energy Institute
- National Mining Association
- National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

ACS Purposes

- To exemplify the principle that voluntary actions are an effective means of reducing greenhouse gas emissions intensities;
- To demonstrate that the ingenuity and technological expertise of American industry can achieve meaningful reductions in greenhouse gas emissions intensity

National GHG Policy Objective

- 4-years-ago-today: The administration sets a goal of an 18% GHG intensity reduction by 2012
- Goal represents an estimated 500 million metric tons of carbon equivalent reduction 2002 – 2012

Climate VISION Launch

- Feb. 12, 2003 – VISION is launched as a presidential initiative
- VISION – Voluntary Innovative Sector Initiatives: Opportunities Now
- Voluntary Public/Private Partnership
 - Including DOE, DOT, AG, EPA and US trade associations

Climate VISION Development

- Partners asked to assess realistic and achievable GHG intensity reductions
- Pledge actions by letters of intent/MOUs
- Develop collaborative Work Plans
- Execute Work Plans in conjunction with partner departments

Climate VISION Partners

www.climatevision.gov for specific details

- Aluminum Association
- Business Roundtable
- American Chemistry Council
- American Forest & Paper Association
- Int'l Magnesium Association
- American Petroleum Institute
- Semiconductor Industry Association
- Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers
- Portland Cement Association
- Power Partners (Edison Electric Inst., Nuclear Energy Inst., National Rural Electric Coop. Assn., American Public Power Assn., LPPC, TVA, EPSA)
- American Iron & Steel Inst.
- National Mining Association
- Assn. of American Railroads
- National Lime Association

Climate VISION Tools

- Identify and implement cost-effective solutions for reducing GHG intensity
- Develop and utilize tools to calculate, inventory and report GHG emissions reductions, avoidance and sequestration
- Develop cross-sector strategies to reduce GHG emissions intensity
- Recognize voluntary initiatives

For More Information

- From DOE:

- www.climatevision.gov

- From ACS:

- www.allianceforclimatestrategies.com

Panel on VISION Case Studies

- Edison Electric Institute
 - American Iron & Steel Institute
 - American Petroleum Institute
 - American Chemistry Council
 - Aluminum Association
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- Followed by a moderated Q&A