

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Open Government Plan 3.0 Outline with Candidate Flagship Project Description



The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has a rich legacy as an open organization, and the Administration's Open Government (OpenGov) initiative has been a catalyst to re-examine our open practices with the goal of bringing tangible benefits to the public. This document serves as an outline for the structure of the Agency's Open Government Plan 3.0, expected to be published later this summer, and has been updated to include an additional candidate (AirNOW) which is being considered as a flagship project.

The public is encouraged to comment on the Flagship projects at: [OpenGov 3.0 blog](#)

I. New and Expanded Initiatives

This section will describe EPA's current progress and plans in supporting the following initiatives:

- A. Open Data
- B. Proactive Disclosures
- C. Privacy
- D. Whistleblower Protection
- E. Websites

II. Ongoing Initiatives

- A. Participation in Transparency Initiatives
- B. Public Notice
- C. Records Management
- D. Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Requests
- E. Congressional Requests
- F. Declassification
- G. Participation
- H. Collaboration

III. Candidate Flagship Initiatives

Two efforts are being considered as candidate flagships: Enforcement and Compliance History Online (ECHO) and AirNow.

