

TRANSFORM FRESNO

Transformative Climate Communities Workshop

Fresno City Council

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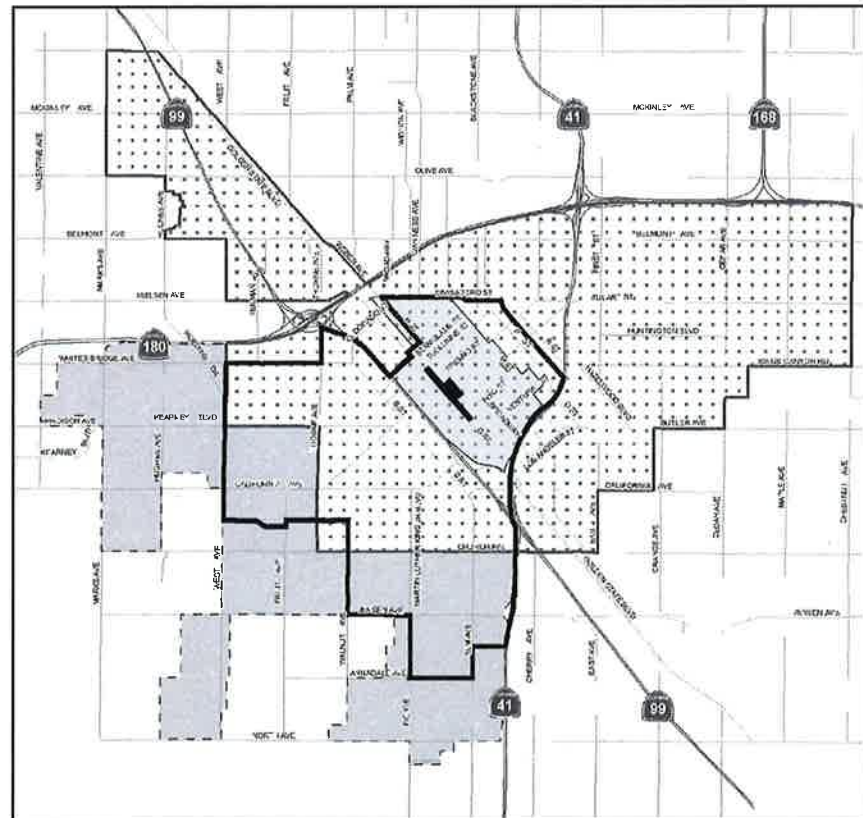
The Transformative Climate Communities Program

- The Transformative Climate Communities (TCC) Program was established by Assembly Bill (AB) 2722, administered by the Strategic Growth Council (SGC).
- SGC will award approximately \$140 million in competitive funding through implementation Grants; a minimum of half of the funds shall be allocated in the City of Fresno.






Project Area

The TCC Program takes a place-based approach that commits applicants to the achievement of economic, environmental, and public health benefits in a specific community.

Rather than focusing on individual projects, the Program requires applicants to begin by identifying a project area that will be the focus of the TCC Proposal.



Legend

-  Project Area
-  High Speed Rail Station and Intermodal Transit Center
-  Downtown Neighborhoods Community Plan
-  Fulton Corridor Specific Plan
-  Southwest Fresno Specific Plan

Fresno Transformative Climate Communities Collaborative

- A participatory process to identify a series of projects that will invest in and result in significant environmental and economic benefits for community residents in Chinatown, Downtown and Southwest Fresno.
- The Collaborative brought together local leaders of the community to create the proposal for the State's TCC Implementation Grant.



Community Steering Committee

- Engaged **560** residents and stakeholder participants, **165** members of the Community Steering Committee and **126** of those members voting for the final proposal.
- Included 1 town hall; 5 Community Steering Committee meetings; 2 project workshops, 1 project review day; 1 informational session; and various meetings hosted by community organizations.
- All meetings were held in the evening, with Spanish and Hmong interpretation, childcare, and light refreshments available.



Final Package Selection

- This investment will result in a new Fresno City College West Fresno Satellite Campus; new green space; new trails, sidewalks, and bike lanes; over 100 units of affordable and market-rate housing; community gardens; several hundred homes with new rooftop solar and weatherization; electric car share system;
- Totaling \$180 million in investment across Southwest, Chinatown, and Downtown Fresno, with \$77 million requested from the Transformative Climate Communities program.





Video

- [Transformative Climate Communities Video Summary by Top Hand Media](#)

Next Steps

- Nov. 30th - Final Application Due
- January 2018 - Strategic Growth Council to announce Implementation Grant Recipients
- Anticipating Fall 2018 to begin implementation of projects.

Questions?

Thank you.