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**Somerville Commission on Energy Use and Climate Change**

**January 10, 2023**

The next meeting of the Somerville Commission on Energy Use and Climate Change will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 2023, from 7:00-8:30 PM. Pursuant to Chapter 107 of the Acts of 2022, this meeting of the CEUCC will be conducted via remote participation. Register in advance for this webinar: [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_TtDzbVLBSGK1c9lFKSxIZA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_TtDzbVLBSGK1c9lFKSxIZA). After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

The agenda for the meeting will consist of the following items:

- Subcommittee updates:
  - Outreach:
    - Somerville Climate Forward Update engagement discussion led by Emily Sullivan, Climate Change Program Manager
    - Community Choice Electricity goal and outreach update and discussion
  - Policy:
    - Specialized Stretch Code update
    - Fossil Fuel Free Home Rule Petition update
  - Buildings: TBD
  - Administration:
    - Open Commission position discussion
    - New quorum requirements and impacts on committees
    - Virtual public meetings allowance set to expire March 31, 2023
    - Coming soon: Somerville boards and commissions equity guidance and training
- Request for Proposals updates:
  - Zero Waste Plan
  - Somerville Climate Forward Update
- Review and vote on December 2022 meeting minutes.
- Any and all business before the Commission.



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Links for reference:

- [Open meeting law](#) (mass.gov)
- [Fossil Fuel Free Building Demonstration Program](#) (mass.gov)
- [Specialized and Stretch Energy Codes](#) (mass.gov)
- [Requests for Proposals](#) (somervillema.gov)