

## 2020 PSO Climate Change Accountability Report

**Organization:** School District No 75 (Mission)

**Declaration Statement:**

This Climate Change Accountability Report for the period January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 summarizes our emissions profile, the total offsets to reach net-zero emissions, the actions we have taken in 2020 to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions and our plans to continue reducing emissions in 2021 and beyond.

**Overview:**

Most of the district capital projects for 2020 related to potential GHG emission reduction were delayed due to focus on COVID related concerns. Looking forward to 2021 and beyond, there are plans for several projects that will further reduce GHG emissions, including the following:

- Air handler upgrade at Mission Secondary School
- Boiler and plumbing system upgrade at Stave Falls Elementary
- HVAC upgrade at West Heights Elementary
- Replacement of buses with newer, more fuel efficient models
- Electrical upgrades at various schools

**Emissions and Offset Summary Table:**

<i>School District No 75 2020 GHG Emissions and Offsets</i>	
<b>GHG Emissions created in Calendar Year 2020</b>	
Total Emissions (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)	2,034
Total BioCO <sub>2</sub>	12.23
Total Offsets (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)	1,792
<b>Adjustments to Offset Required GHG Emissions Reported in Prior Years</b>	
Total Offsets Adjustment (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)	-87
<b>Grand Total Offsets for the 2020 Reporting Year</b>	
Grand Total Offsets (tCO <sub>2</sub> e) to be Retired for 2020 Reporting Year	1,705
Offset Investment (\$25 per tCO <sub>2</sub> e)	\$42,625

**Retirement of Offsets:**

In accordance with the requirements of the *Climate Change Accountability Act* and Carbon Neutral Government Regulation, School District No 75 (**the Organization**) is responsible for arranging for the retirement of the offsets obligation reported above for the 2020 calendar year, together with any adjustments reported for past calendar years (if applicable). The Organization hereby agrees that, in exchange for the Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy (**the Ministry**) ensuring that these offsets are retired on the Organization's behalf, the Organization will pay within 30 days, the associated invoice to be issued by the Ministry in an amount equal to \$25 per tonne of offsets retired on its behalf plus GST.

**Executive sign-off:**

May 20, 2021

Signature

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Secretary Treasurer

Name (please print)

Title