

Community Living BC 2024 PSO Climate Change Accountability Report

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Organization: Community Living BC

PART 1. Legislative Reporting Requirements

Declaration statement: This PSO Climate Change Accountability Report for the period January 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024, summarizes our greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions profile, the total offsets to reach net-zero emissions, the actions we have taken in 2024 to minimize our GHG emissions, and our plans to continue reducing emissions in 2025 and beyond.

Emission Reductions: Actions & Plans

A. Stationary Sources (e.g., buildings, power generation)

- 1) As a part of the ongoing review of space requirements CLBC is continuing with the Leading Workplace Strategy approach for locations that are coming up for lease renewals to align with our Hybrid Workplace model.
- 2) Community Living BC is continually working on upgrading lighting as part of the tenant improvements projects for current and new locations to address energy consumption.
- 3) Future office space projects will incorporate LWS to maintain the existing office footprint rather than increase it to accommodate additional staffing.

B. Mobile Sources (e.g., fleet vehicles, off-road/portable equipment)

From 2024, and ongoing, Community Living BC has reviewed existing inventory and will consider the replacement of vehicles in urban areas to EVs. The availability of EV charging stations will be taken into consideration.

C. Paper Consumption

- 1) Community Living BC will continue to consider alternative sources of paper such as bamboo, hemp, wheat and sugar sheet.
- 2) Community Living BC will continue to move towards digital document management to reduce paper consumption.

2024 GHG Emissions and Offsets Summary Table

COMMUNITY LIVING BC 2024 GHG Emissions and Offsets Summary	
GHG emissions for the period January 1 - December 31, 2024	
Total BioCO ₂	2.01
Total Emissions (tCO ₂ e)	112
Total Offsets (tCO ₂ e)	110
Adjustments to Offset Required GHG Emissions Reported in Prior Years	
Total Offsets Adjustment (tCO ₂ e)	-1.47
Grand Total Offsets for the 2024 Reporting Year	
Grand Total Offsets to be Retired for 2024 Reporting Year (tCO ₂ e)	109
Offset Investment (\$)	\$2,725.00

Retirement of Offsets:

In accordance with the requirements of the *Climate Change Accountability Act* and the Carbon Neutral Government Regulation, **Community Living BC (the Organization)** is responsible for arranging for the retirement of the offset's obligation reported above for the 2024 calendar year, together with any adjustments reported for past calendar years (if applicable). The Organization hereby agrees that, in exchange for the Ministry of Energy and Climate Solutions (**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 ton of offsets retired on its behalf plus GST.

Executive Sign-off:



June 3, 2025

Signature

Date

Huy Nguyen

Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

Name (please print)

Title

[Please email your signed report to Carbon.Neutral@gov.bc.ca by no later than May 31, 2025.]

