



*This year marks our 5th consecutive year of achieving Carbon Neutrality across the public sector.*

*THANK YOU for all your hard work in finishing up the Carbon Neutral 2014 reporting year.*

- **The CNG annual report and Offset portfolio report are now available online.** Please Click [CNG report](#) and [Offsets portfolio](#) to access.
- The PSO Annual **year-end survey** is available and the link was mailed out to you earlier this month.
- The CNG year-end **webinar slides** are now available online. Please [click here](#) to access.

## Climate Leadership Plan

BC is in the process of developing a new [Climate Leadership Plan](#) with the advice of the Climate Leadership team and through public consultation. We encourage you to participate in this important process.

There will be two opportunities to participate in shaping new climate policies in BC. First, British Columbians are invited to comment on a [climate discussion paper](#) that considers the ideas, values and priorities they want to see in a new plan. This discussion paper will be posted for a one month public review period between **July 17, 2015 and August 17, 2015**.

After reviewing the feedback and recommendations received, government will release a **draft Climate Leadership Plan** in **December 2015**. British Columbians will have a chance to review the draft plan and provide comments on specific climate change policies and actions.

The Province looks forward to hearing your thoughts and suggestions. Please visit the [Climate Action Leadership website](#) for more information.

## Meet the Climate Risk Management Team

If you'd like more information about adapting to the risks associated with climate change, the Climate Risk Management team is available to provide resources and expertise. You can contact us at:

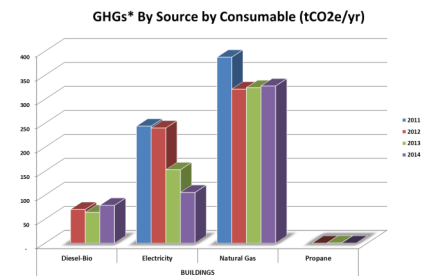
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## New Analytics Tool

To help SMARTTool clients analyze their consumption and emissions data, Carbon Measurement and Reporting has released an interactive Excel-based analysis tool. A beta version of the tool is available and located here on SMARTTool's. (BCeID log-in required) [Supporting Documents page](#).



## 2015 Climate & Energy Action Awards

Has your school district, health authority or post-secondary institution partnered with a municipality or regional district on a project related to energy efficiency, renewable energy, electric vehicles or any other initiatives designed to conserve energy, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and build capacity? If so, you and your local government partner might be eligible for a 2015 Climate & Energy Action Award in the public sector collaboration category!

Applications are due by **12:00 noon, Monday, July 27**. [Apply here](#). **Have questions or need help with the process? Contact Patricia Bell at 604-936-0470 or [pbell@communityenergy.bc.ca](mailto:pbell@communityenergy.bc.ca)**

The Community Energy Association, Ministry of Community, Sport and Cultural Development, Ministry of Environment - Climate Action Secretariat, BC Hydro, FortisBC and the Union of BC Municipalities invite all local governments and public sector organizations in British Columbia to participate in the 2015 Climate & Energy Action Awards competition. To check out last year's applications and winners, click [here](#).