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To: Interested Parties

The California Air Pollution Control Officers Association (CAPCOA) is pleased to release its second document as a guide and resource tool for local governments in addressing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. The new document, "Model Policies for GHG in General Plans," provides background information, examples, references, links, and a systematic worksheet to help local governments in moving toward GHG considerations in General Plan updates or in the development of specific Climate Action Plans.

This effort involved many people, and constructive comments from local government planners helped to guide the evolution of the document to its current format, which we hope is user-friendly to those for which it is intended.

As in the case of CAPCOA's first GHG document in 2008, the Model Policies guide is offered in the spirit of making tools and information available in a straightforward and useful manner, so that we all move forward in a coordinated and collaborative way.

Questions and comments should be directed to John Yu of CAPCOA:
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Sincerely,

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