## Comprehensive Climate Action Plan for the Miami Valley Region

Miami Valley Regional Planning Commision

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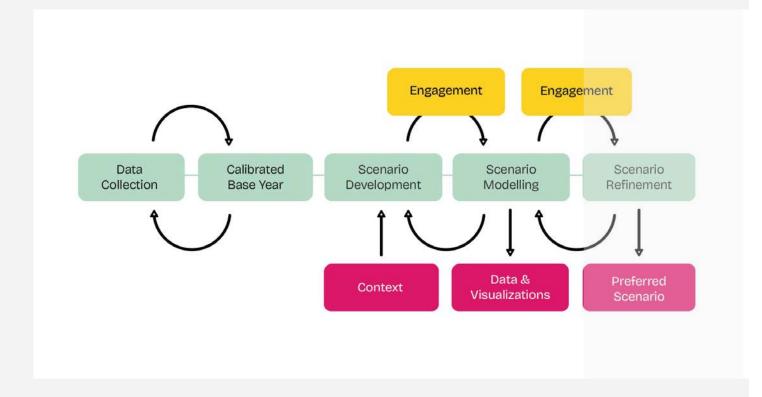
Today's agenda	01	Business as Usual and Business as Planned modeling results
	02	Scenario Framework and Actions – What does the future hold?
	03	Implementation Approaches

PART 1

### **BAU** and **BAP**

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### **Project overview.**



### What We Heard

We restored the natural prairie?

There was political alignment?

The Government mandated action?

Municipalities did everything they can?

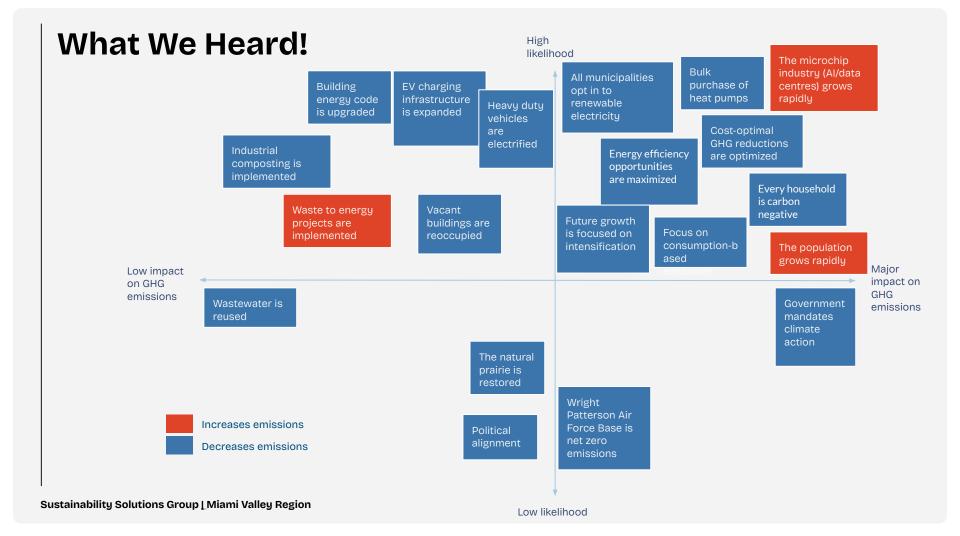
We maximized energy efficiency?

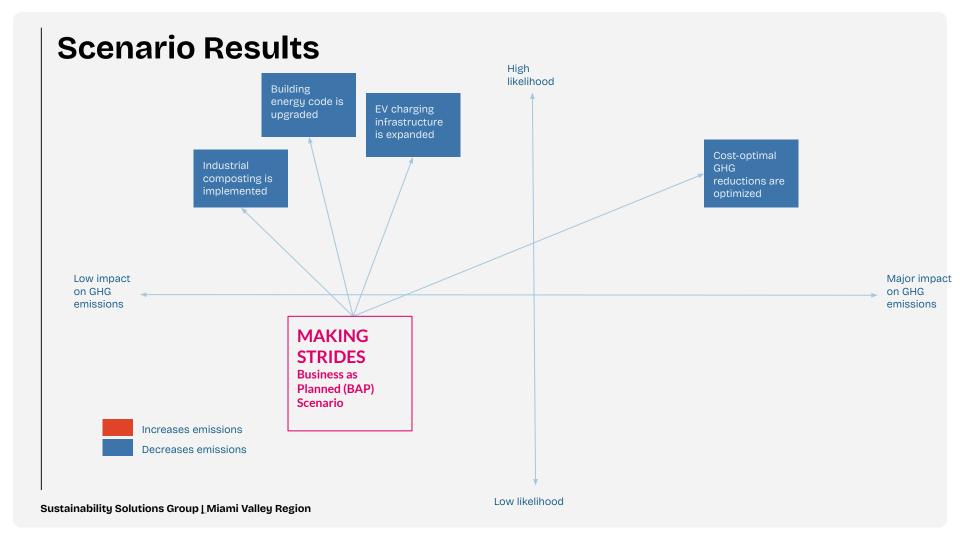
We implemented the cost optimal GHG actions?

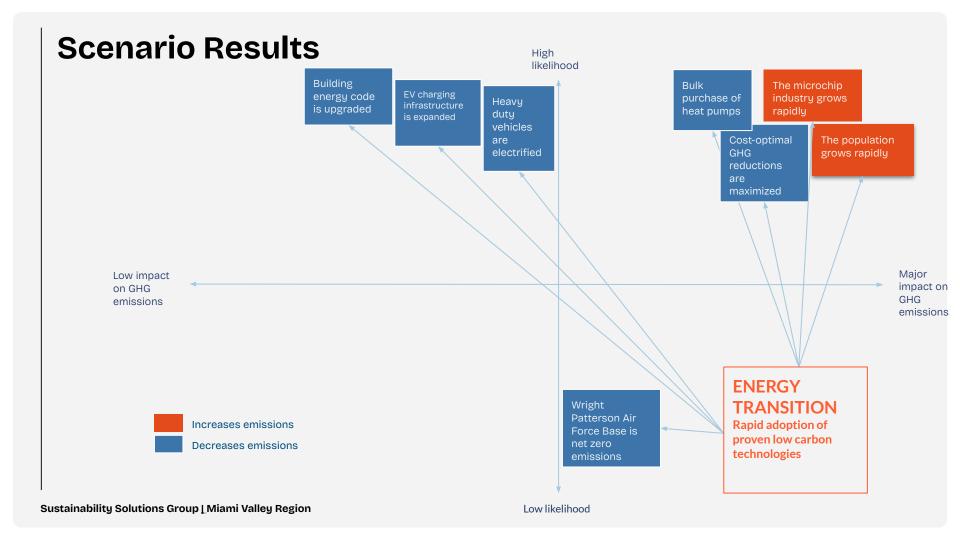
The population grew rapidly?

We made every household carbon

The microchip industry grows in leaps and bounds?



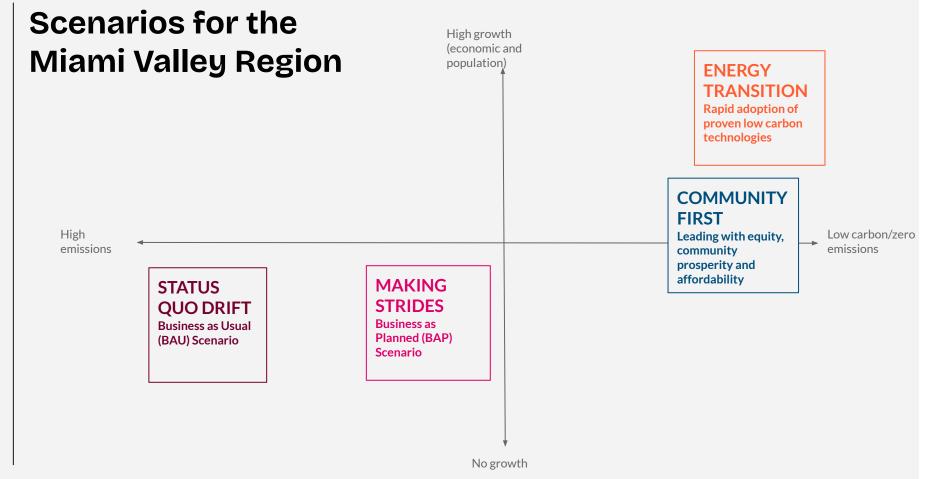




#### **Scenario Results** High likelihood Building energy code Heavy duty Bulk purchase EV charging is upgraded All municipalities of heat pumps infrastructure opt in to is expanded electrified renewable Energy efficiency grows rapidly opportunities are maximized buildings are Every household reoccupied is carbon negative Future growth Focus on is focused on consumption-ba intensification sed emissions Major Low impact impact on on GHG GHG emissions emissions mandates **COMMUNITY** Wright **FIRST** Patterson Air Increases emissions Force Base is Leading with equity, net zero Decreases emissions community prosperity and emissions affordability Sustainability Solutions Group | Miami Valley Region Low likelihood

### **Narratives**

STATUS QUO DRIFT	MAKING STRIDES	COMMUNITY FIRST	ENERGY TRANSITION
Business as usual	Business as planned	Moderate economic and population growth	High economic and population growth
Continuation of current profile with limited or no economic or population growth for the region as a whole	Planned and funded policies, programs and investments	Urban intensification with local community hubs (hub and spoke model of development)	New industries including server farms, microchips, vehicle manufacturing
	IRA investments plus other federal state policies	Equity-focused investments in decentralised renewables Emphasis on household affordability over the long-run	Rapid adoption of EVs, renewable energy, storage



### Status Quo Drift

### **Making Strides**





### **Business as Usual**

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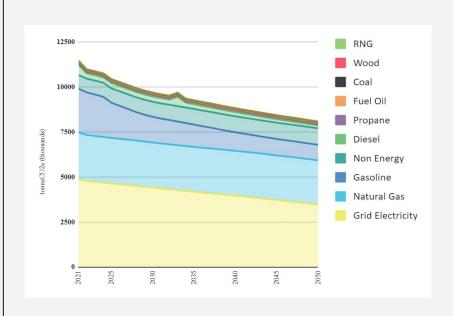
### **Business as Planned**

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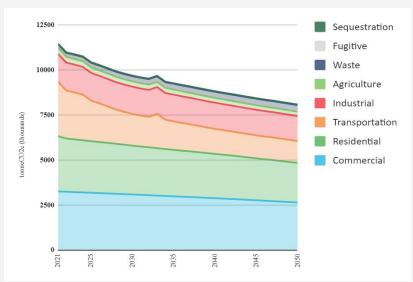
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## Status Quo Drift (BAU)

### **Emissions by Fuel**

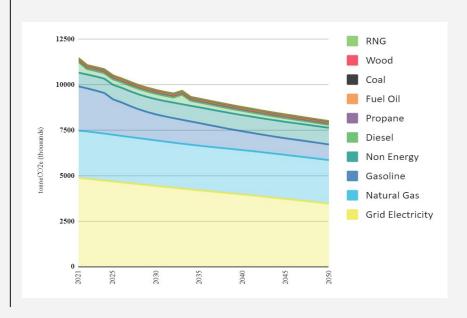


### **Emissions by Sector**

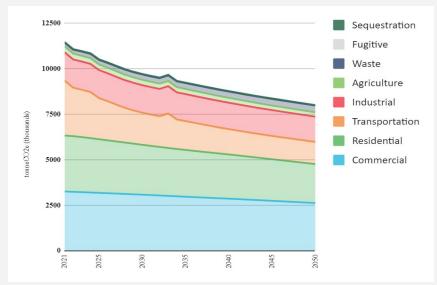


### **Making Strides (BAP)**

### **Emissions by Fuel**



### **Emissions by Sector**

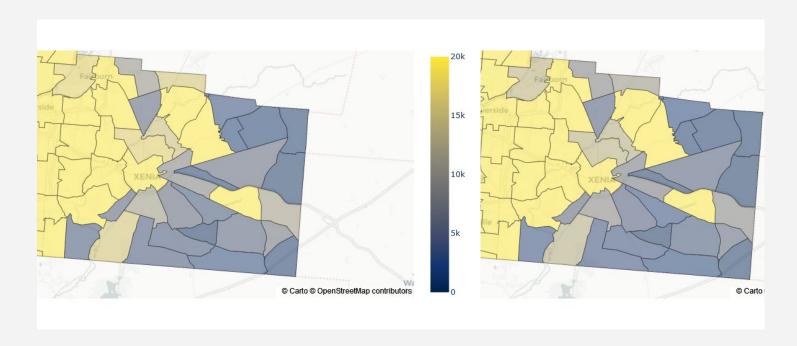


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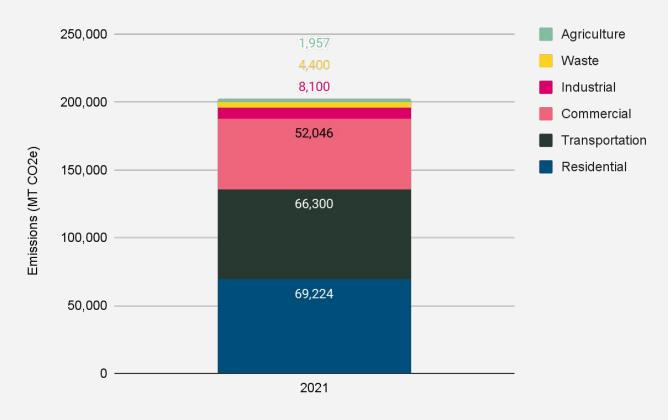
### **GHG Emissions, City of Xenia**

2021

2050



### **GHG Emissions, City of Xenia**



## Average household energy costs in Xenia in 2021 were \$5,236.

PART 2

## Scenario Framework and actions

Sustainability Solutions Group Moderate economic and population growth

Urban intensification with local community hubs (hub and spoke model of development)

Equity-focused investments in decentralised renewables Emphasis on household affordability over the long-run High economic and population growth

New industries including server farms, microchips, vehicle manufacturing

Rapid adoption of EVs, renewable energy, storage

### **Community First**

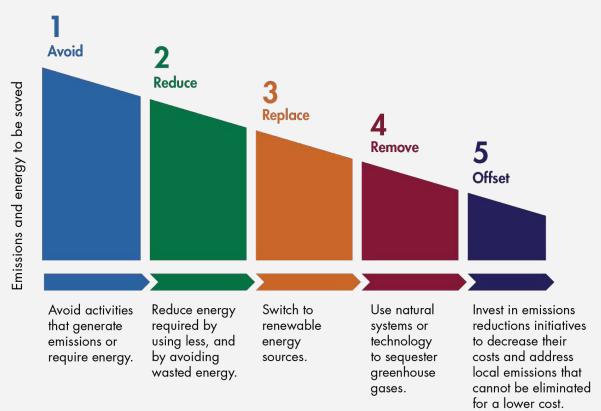


### **Energy Transition**



### **Paradigm of Actions**

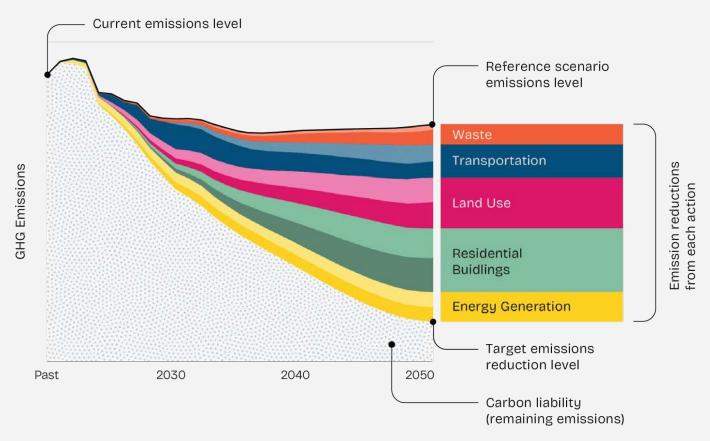
Avoid, Reduce, Replace, Remove and Offset



The later actions are implemented, the more emissions will be released into the atmosphere by 2050.

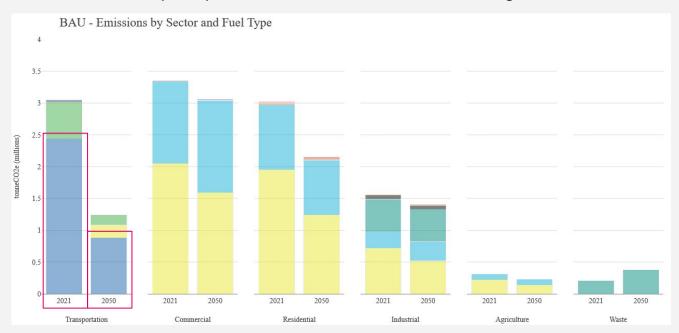
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#### **Scenario Outcomes**



## Key emitting sectors in Miami Valley

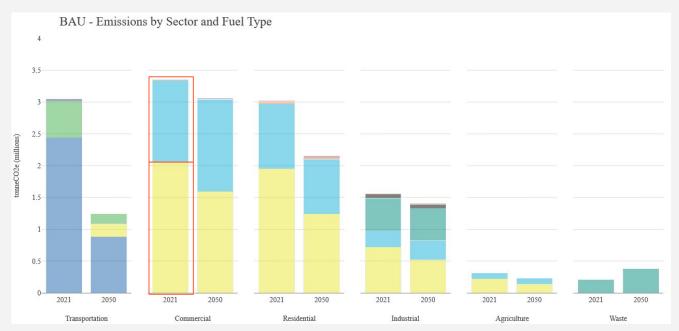
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Actions in Municipal Operations can stimulate community action.





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Low Carbon Scenario:	01	Updating Building energy code
Community First	02	Expanding EV infrastructure
Moderate economic and population growth  Urban intensification with	03	Electrification of fleets
local community hubs (hub and spoke model of development)	04	Adopting heat pumps
Equity-focused investments in decentralised renewables Emphasis on household affordability over the long-run	05	Ramp up of Renewable energy adoption
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Net-zero new building construction

Retrofit existing buildings

Fuel switching heating and energy efficiency

Increase renewable energy









### Enabling action: Compact cities

Vehicle electrification

Increase transit and active modes

Re-energized, clean industry

**Community First** 







Low Carbon Scenario: Energy Transition	
High economic and population growth	

**Updating Building** energy code

Expanding EV infrastructure

New industries including server farms, microchips, vehicle manufacturing

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Electrification of fleets (light & heavy-duty, municipal, transit)

Adopting heat pumps

**Anaerobic digestion** (waste and wastewater)

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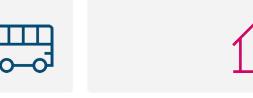
Net-zero new building construction





Increase









**Emissions free** vehicles



**Anaerobic** digestion of waste









PART 3

## Implementation approaches

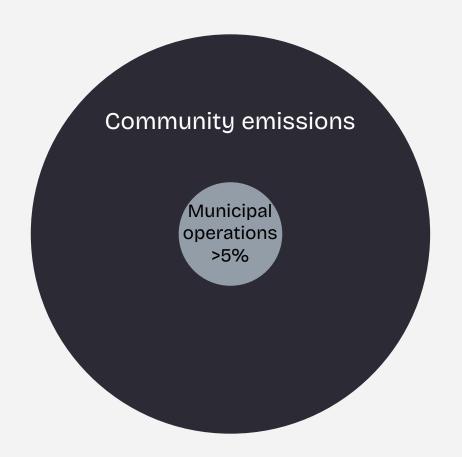
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# Local governments directly or indirectly influence >60% of GHG emissions.



### A Focus on Community Emissions

Actions in Municipal Operations can stimulate community action.



### Increase renewable energy

Explore affordable, green energy options for the community and businesses with the utilities.

Partner with appropriate organizations to develop group buy programs for solar and energy storage systems.

Support partner organizations in establishing workforce development programs to build local capacity and expertise for renewable energy installations.



## Net-zero new building construction

Develop a high-performance building performance standard (BPS) for new residential and commercial buildings.

Incorporating low-carbon considerations into planning approvals.

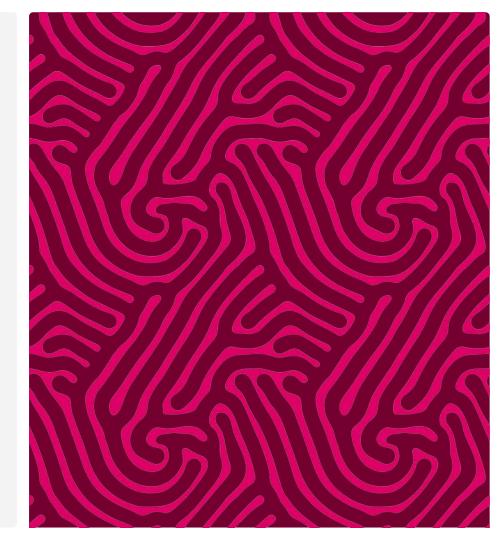
Advocate for the State to update its building code to enhance energy performance and ensure safe buildings.



Support **educational sessions for builders** on net-zero design principles and funding opportunities.

**Renewable Energy Generation** 

"What new policies, programs, and investments should we consider?"



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### Thank you

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