

We are seeking your feedback as we work with elected leaders, city staff & commissions to launch a

# MN Resilient Cities Coalition

Ambitious cities working together to advance their community-wide energy, climate and resilience goals.

[www.allianceforsustainability.com/resilientcities](http://www.allianceforsustainability.com/resilientcities)

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JOIN US FOR A FREE Workshop & Webinar!

## Spring 2018 Planning for Resilient Cities

**Workshop** 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (with lunch) or

**Webinar** Noon to 1:00 p.m. (using Skype)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018**

**League of MN Cities**

145 University Ave W, St Paul, MN 55103

### Learn from and explore with Metro City and County planning staff who will share:

- Energy, resilience and equity-related goals and strategies from their draft 2040 Comprehensive Plans.
- Implementation strategies and partnerships to expand building efficiency, use of solar and wind, job access, EV readiness and infrastructure resilience.
- How cities are working together to launch a **MN Resilient Cities Coalition** to advance their work.

Join us in person or online! Please RSVP at [www.allianceforsustainability.com/resilientcities](http://www.allianceforsustainability.com/resilientcities).

On April 11 and through our survey let us know how a MN Resilient Cities Coalition could assist your work:

## Public Policy

Cities working together to ensure their interests are heard on state policy opportunities and challenges

- Renewable energy standard
- Opposing local pre-emption
- See LMC policies below

## Projects

Cities collaborating to help high-impact projects go to scale metro wide

- EV infrastructure planning
- PV solar for municipal buildings & businesses
- Business Benchmarking

## Peer-learning

Education on current and future energy/resilience topics

- Cities sharing resilience/energy comp plan draft strategies
- How cities can contribute to utility integrated resource planning
- Infrastructure funding strategies



### League of MN Cities - 2018 Legislative Policies & Priorities

#### SD-63. State Support for Municipal Energy Policy Goals

The LMC calls on our legislators and state executive agencies charged with accomplishing the state's energy policy goals to assist cities, townships and counties with tailored efforts to identify appropriate energy efficiency and renewable energy projects for undertaking at the local level.

[www.lmc.org/page/1/legislative-policies.jsp](http://www.lmc.org/page/1/legislative-policies.jsp)

#### Relevant Dockets at the Public Utilities Commission (PUC):

- **Integrated Resource Plans:** 17-286 Great River Energy - **Upcoming IRPs:** Xcel Energy's IRP due Feb1, 2019
- **2017 - 2019 Conservation Improvement Program (CIP) Triennial Plan:** 16-115 Xcel Energy CIP Triennial Plan



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