

Legislation Text

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A presentation of Colorado Colleges' Climate Vulnerability Report

Presenter:

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Summary:

A presentation to City Council detailing the findings of Colorado Colleges' Climate Vulnerability Report. The report focuses on the four major vulnerabilities facing Colorado Springs - urban heat, water scarcity, wildfire and flooding. It is critical that Colorado Springs develop a comprehensive adaptation plan, which considers each of these vulnerabilities as contributing factors to climate change risk as a greater whole. Colorado College hopes to support the City's efforts to keep Colorado Springs safe, sustainable and resilient for all people.

Previous Council Action:

N/A

Background:

Colorado College has created this report, proposing a number of policies and strategies to support the City and hopes the City will incorporate them into their Adaptable Climate Response Plan.

Financial Implications:

N/A

Board/Commission Recommendation: N/A

Stakeholder Process: N/A

Alternatives: N/A

Proposed Motion: N/A

N/A