



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Press Conference Time & Location:**

Monday, Sept 16, 2024 at 10am  
City-County Building, 414 Grant St

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## **PRESS CONFERENCE**

### **Climate Action Plan Justice Coalition (CAPJC) urges Allegheny County leadership to Prioritize Environmental Justice communities in the Creation of an Allegheny County Climate Action Plan**

Pittsburgh, Pa., – The Climate Action Justice Coalition (CAPJC) will hold a press conference urging Allegheny County leadership to include community inclusion and environmental justice in the AC Climate Action Plan on Monday Sept. 16 at 10 a.m. on the steps of the City-County Building.

CAPJC will again ask Allegheny County Executive Sarah Innamorato for the County Department of Sustainability to partner with a community task force to expand the scope of the CAP beyond just county operations to support community resilience, environmental justice and cross-municipal cooperation for transformative climate adaptation.

"We are encouraging the public to show up and speak at the Sept. 18 County Council post agenda and public hearing on the Allegheny County Climate Action Plan to share their experiences, concerns and priorities as our county faces the rapidly escalating impacts of global climate change," said Helen Gearhardt of CAPJC.

The County Council public hearing will be held on Sept. 18, 2024 starting at 4:30 p.m. at the Allegheny County Gold Room.

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