# THE CLIMATE AND CLEAN AIR COALITION – OUR INVOLVEMENT IN THE BIOGAS SECTOR

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- The Climate & Clean Air Coalition is a global, voluntary partnership dedicated to addressing short-lived climate pollutants
- Network of 400+ governments, IGOs, financial institutions & civil society organisations

# A unique action global partnership

69 countries 75+ international orgs & NGOs More than 100 cities Some businesses

→ Hosted by

environment



FAST ACTION
QUICK RESULTS
MULTIPLE BENEFITS



**Science based solutions** 

Leadership & awareness

#### **SHORT-LIVED CLIMATE POLLUTANTS**

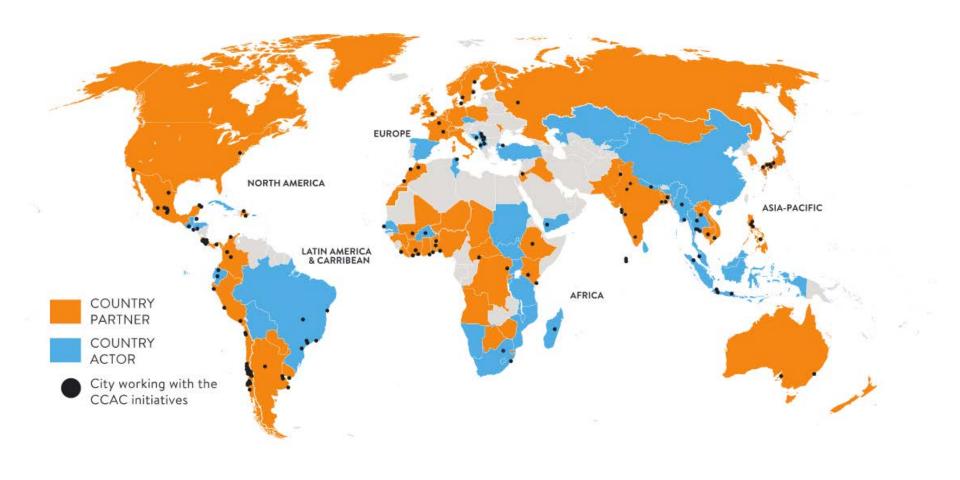
- Climate forcers many times more powerful than carbon dioxide
- Air pollutants that are harmful to people, ecosystems and agricultural productivity
- Present in the atmosphere for a few days up to a few years







#### WHERE WE WORK







#### **ACTIVITIES**







#### CCAC MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE (MSW) INITIATIVE

#### Objective

Reduce emissions of SLCPs across the municipal solid waste sector by providing a comprehensive package of resources, technical capacity building, and a global network of cities to facilitate the design and implementation of locally appropriate actions.

Mitigating SLCPs from municipal solid waste







#### **SLCPS AND THE WASTE SECTOR**

Solid waste sector is a substantial source of short-lived climate pollutants (SLCPs), particularly black carbon and methane

- Landfills are the third-largest source of global anthropogenic methane emissions
- Open burning of waste emits black carbon and other air pollutants
- Black carbon is also emitted be outdated and polluting vehicles used in waste collection and transport

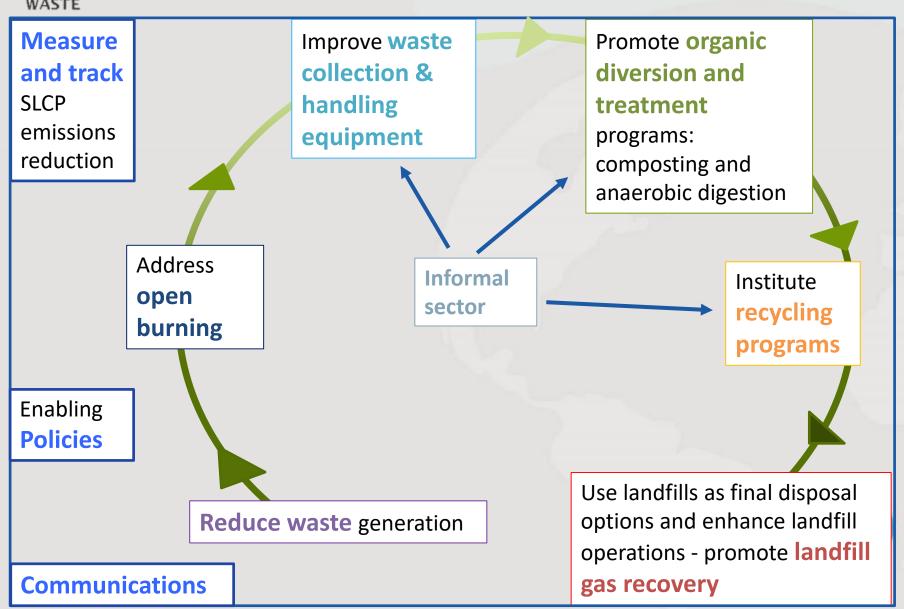








# Working with its partners promoting the waste hierarchy & circular economy



#### **WASTE INITIATIVE**



Organic Waste Diversion



Landfill Gas Capture and Use

Open Waste Burning Prevention



Areas of Focus

CCAC Partners committed to implement and support each other (2017 High Level Assembly):

Actions by national, state, and local governments to avoid and reduce methane emissions by diverting organic waste from landfills, which includes preventing and reducing food waste and partnerships with the private sector. As well as adopting measures to capture and use methane

#### **ASSISTANCE OFFERED**

The Initiative brings together technical experts and policymakers from all levels of government to offer:



Direct technical assistance for developing waste management master plans, waste assessments, and feasibility studies, and for identifying and promoting appropriate financing for waste projects



Training and capacity
building sessions for city
officials, waste
management staff, and
other stakeholders



Tools and resources that help cities and national governments track their emissions reductions, determine appropriate waste management solutions, and identify best practices



A Knowledge
Platform that compiles
and organizes helpful
resources such as case
studies, guidance
documents, and
databases from partners
and other organizations



**Information exchange and networking opportunities** bring cities together to share best practices, highlight success stories, and encourage peer-to-peer learning and city mentoring









#### waste.ccacoalition.org



Knowledge platform to support cities and governments in short lived climate pollutant reduction.



#### **WORK ON BIOGAS/BIOENERGY 2020-2021**

- With the Global Methane Initiative (GMI) disseminating their biogas project risk analysis tools linked to our NDC enhancement capacity building activities
- India Working to promote decentralized biodigestors in various cities
  - Collaborating with US EPA/GMI and TERI
  - Exploring what are the opportunities and challenges of the technology
- Support underway for the sustainable closure of open dumps in Lebanon and Indonesia –
  incl. assessing how much biogas is generated and proposing solutions to capture and use
  the biogas from the disposal sites
- Support to develop anaerobic digestion plants in the cities of Naucalpan and Johannesburg and to increase capacity of AD plant in Rio de Janeiro
- Supporting cities to divert organic waste from landfills including set up separation at source of organic waste from diverse sectors. Ultimately, if enough organic waste is effectively segregated, then anaerobic digestion projects can become viable in many cities.



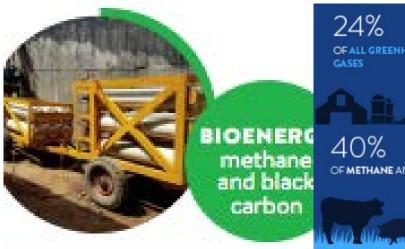


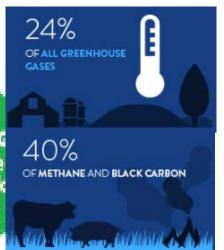
#### **CCAC AGRICULTURE INITIATIVE**





RICE methane







#### **CCAC AGRICULTURE INITIATIVE STRATEGY**

AIM: To catalyze the practice and policy changes that are needed now, and then to pass the mantle onto organizations such as, FAO and WB, with the clear mandate to expand and scale up this work

#### We do this through:

- BUILDING POLITICAL WILL- via a group of leaders in the field and raising awareness about the actions that can be taken now
- ASSISTING COUNTRIES WITH TOOLS & CAPACITY
   BUILDING- to identify increasingly ambitious actions,
   policies and targets
- SUPPORTING STRENGTHENED COORDINATION at the national level
- MARSHALLING EVIDENCETHAT ENABLES LARGE-SCALE FINANCING -To unlock the potential for scaleup







### PROMOTING COST-EFFECTIVE SOLUTIONS & MARSHALLING EVIDENCE

#### **EXAMPLE OF OUR WORK ON LIVESTOCK**

We have funded work to show how low-cost strategies to reduce enteric methane emissions can contribute to short- and long-term social and economic development, as well as climate action.





Our work with the FAO has shown the potential to implement strategies



## PRACTICAL APPROACH-EXPERT ASSISTANCE SUPPORT

CCAC Solution Centre funding was provided to Vietnam to increase the potential for emissions reductions through their planned livestock emissions law, which relates to implementation of the country's INDC commitments.

The Solution Centre provides smallscale funding to help developing countries achieve a real outcome, such as a policy or other action that can lead to emissions reductions.

#### Overall ranking of different mitigation options at Farm level

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1	Manure composting	3	1	1	5	1
2	Biogas system	1	2	2	5	1
3	Using biomat	3	4	3	10	4
4	Using bio-agents	5	-	-	-	-
5	Feed mix	2	3	4	9	3
6	Other	6	-	-	-	-

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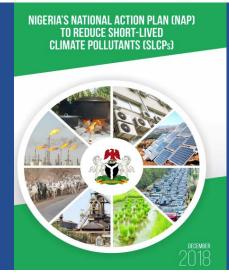
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# SUPPORTING STRENGTHENED COORDINATION AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL

Agriculture Institutional Strengthening Coordination is being supported in Nigeria and in Vietnam to sustainably increase the level of action to reduce SLCPs from the sector by further promoting coordination and scaling-up of activities at the national level



#### Blueprint for outscaling lowemissions rice farming in Vietnam







# PROSPECTS FOR LINKING OUR WORK TO BIOGAS/BIOENERGY

- Nigeria Potential assistance will be provided to build institutional capacity on restructuring a GHG inventory for the livestock sector, and improving MRV data to use as a baseline to inform animal husbandry and sustainable livestock development policy (including use of findings to evaluate potential biogas market).
- India Support is underway for the development of integrated strategies for crop residue management and assessment of potential to produce energy from residues, and feasibility of bioenergy technologies.
- Potential interest to evaluate anaerobic co-digestion of cow dung and rice straw for biogas in India.
- Integrated manure management past projects focused on improving management of manure and bio-slurry from household biogas plants through training of extension workers (Malawi, Ethiopia).





### Thank you!

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