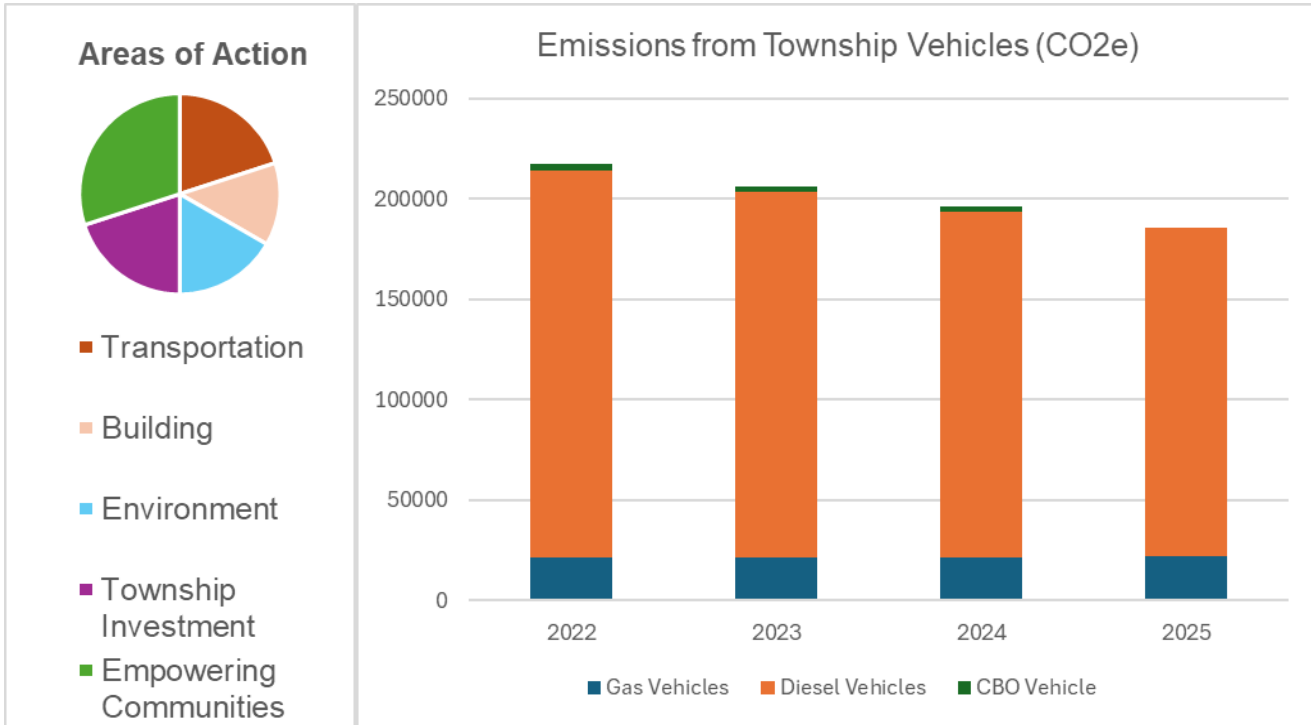
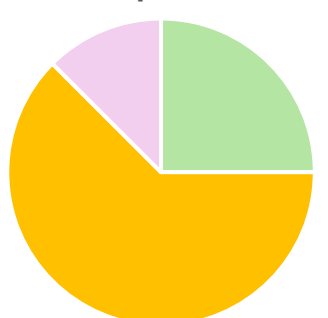


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Transportation (Fleet and Roads)

T1	Purchase Electric Vehicles for Township Fleet	<div style="text-align: center;"> <h3>Transportation</h3>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Complete ■ In Progress ■ Incomplete </div>
	Chief Building Official Electric Vehicle Purchased in 2025	
T2	Electric Chargers for Township Fleet	
	Electric Chargers for Township Fleet in 2025 Budget	
T3	Micro-Transit (e.g., vans, off hours school buses, etc.)	
	Reeve and Deputy Reeve supported County feasibility study	
T4	Upgrade Gravel Roads to Surface Treatment (reduces need to grade)	
	Identified in 10-year Capital Plan	
T5	Active Transportation	
	Traffic Calming in Harper	
	Paved Shoulders	
T6	Educate residents about Electric Vehicles	
	Township Website Materials and Links	
	Host "Visit Our Car" at Maberly Fair	

Buildings	
B1	Retrofit Township Facilities
	Received FCM Sustainable Municipal Buildings Grant for feasibility study for 217 Harper Road
	Replace Natural Gas in Municipal Building
	Installed Heat Pump in the Maberly Hall to replace propane
B3	Federal Grants and Loans Retrofit Program for Residential Homes
	Treasurer worked with 8 Township residents on Lanark County Better Homes retrofit applications
B4	Water Conservation
	Identified as an issue to be investigated
B5	Encourage Green Building Standards
	Work with Lanark County and provide information on Township website

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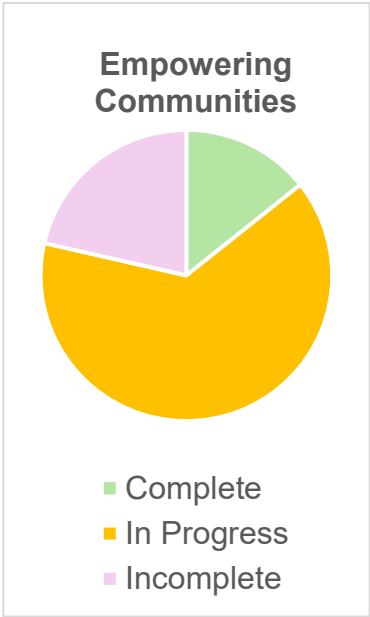
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Environment (Natural Systems)	
E1	Wetland Protection
	Increased Protection in Official Plan
E2	Natural Heritage Systems Linkages
	Included in Official Plan
	County undertaking a Natural Heritage Systems Strategy
	Waste
E3	Reduce Methane from Waste Sites
	Continued to offer subsidized composters
E4	Expand Materials to be Recycled and Increase Recovery Rates
	Public Works Manager prepared contract for change in Provincial Blue Box Regulation
E5	Plant 10,000 Trees per Year
	Promoted County Tree Giveaway

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Empowering Community	
C1	Design Low Carbon Communities
	Negotiate with Frontenac Municipal Services for Communal Servicing coverage
	Educate residents about new Building Code Energy reduction requirements
	Participate in County Project for Green Building Standards
C2	Design Resilient Communities
	Planner participated in Rideau Canal Adaptation Planning Sessions
	Educate residents about wildfire risk and new MVCA flood areas in the Township in pre-consultations
C3	Increase Community Capacity to understand and respond to Climate Change
	Held First Adaptation Planning Working Session with Residents
C4	Share Community Success Stories
	Tay Valley Township Passive Houses, Hempcrete, Straw Bale, Off-Grid House Tour
C5	Food Security for Residents
	Work with Lanark Local Flavour, Ontario Federation of Agriculture (OFA), National Farmers Union (NFU)
C6	Encourage Methane Capture on Farms and Alternatives to Gas for Crop Drying
	Work with Ontario Federation of Agriculture (OFA), National Farmers Union (NFU)
C7	Advocate for Policy Change and Funding from Provincial and Federal Governments
	Comments to Ontario Energy Board against gas expansion in Tay Valley Township
	Seek Grants
C8	Equity – Benefits and Cost Distribution
	Publicize Federal Oil to Heat Pump Affordability Program and other grants
	Engage with Plenty Canada’s Biodiversity Project
C9	Create a Climate Adaptation Plan
	Planner and Carleton U student prepared a first draft that needs Council and Community Review



Municipal Operations

T1	Climate Lens used by all Departments
	In Council Reports
	In Tendering, Day to day actions
T2	Report on Carbon Fees Spent/Saved
	See Conservation Demand Management Plan
T3	Tenders and Request for Proposals
	Education for Vendors
	Update Procurement Policy 2026
T4	Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Council/Staff Travel
	Take train or carpool instead of individual vehicles
	Purchase carbon offsets
T5	Investments that are Certified Sustainable – Environment, Social, Governance Criteria
	Treasurer review subset
T6	Monitor Greenhouse Gas Emissions Annually and Report to Council
	Report Card to be presented April 7, 2026

