What is OPR Doing?

- Environmental Goals and Policy Report
- Annual Planning Survey
- LAFCO Annexation Guide Update
- Rural and Agricultural Issues
- Model Ordinances on EV, PV, DG
- LAFCO Issues
- SB244 Unincorporated Disadvantaged Communities
- General Plan Guidelines Update
- CEQA Guidelines Update
- SB226 (Infill – CEQA Streamlining)
- Military Liaison for the State
- Equity and EJ coordination
- Geospatial Data Coordiation and Data Access
OPR and Climate Change

- Internal Coordination on High Priority Items
- Coordinating on State Response to Sustainable Communities Strategies
- Alliance of Regional Collaboratives for Climate Adaptation (ARCCA)
- Local Government Conferences
- Support on Climate Change Issues
- CAP Technical Advisory
Other Complementary Efforts

- ARB – Local Government Toolkit
- AB32 Scoping Plan Update
- ICLEI – SEEC Toolsets
- National Community Inventory Protocol
- CalEMA – State Hazard Mitigation Plan
- NOAA, CEQ, FEMA and other federal agency coordination
- CNRA – Adaptation Planning Guide, California Adaptation Strategy
- EPA Guidance on Extreme Heat, Grants, CAT related efforts
- CDPH Health in Climate Action Plans
- CPUC Data Release Protocols
- Statewide Research and Ongoing Tool Development
The Path Forward

Source: Chris Ganger, The Times Picayune
Funding for good projects

- Cap and Trade Revenues
- OPC LCP Grant Program
- Strategic Growth Council
- California Emergency Management Agency/FEMA
- Funding Wizard – federal, State, regional, foundations
- More in the works...

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Staffing limitations

- Now is the time to plan!
- Economic recovery takes time
- Development will return before local budgets
- Regional coordination
- State technical support
- Plans in place = grant $
- Governor’s Initiative
- Don’t reinvent the wheel
- Collaborate/Share
"It's time for courage, it's time for creativity and it's time for boldness to tackle climate change."

Governor Jerry Brown