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AGENDA ITEM: Agenda Item #15 Colorado Climate Plan

Background:

HB 13-1293 requires the development of a climate plan for the State of Colorado "that sets forth a strategy, including specific policy reccomendations that the state could use to address climate change and reduce its GHG emissions."

The plan is a multi-agency effort that addresses the state's primary sectors that influence, or are influenced by climate change. CWCB is leading this effort and will present a status update on the plan, which is on track to be completed this summer.

Staff Recommendation: This is an informational item only. No Board action is required.

