

Climate Policy Update: Federal, Regional and State

Renewable Energy Markets Conference

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Session Outline

1. Bill Drumheller

- Western Climate Initiative

2. Jeff Deyette

- Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative
- Federal (recent history and prospects)

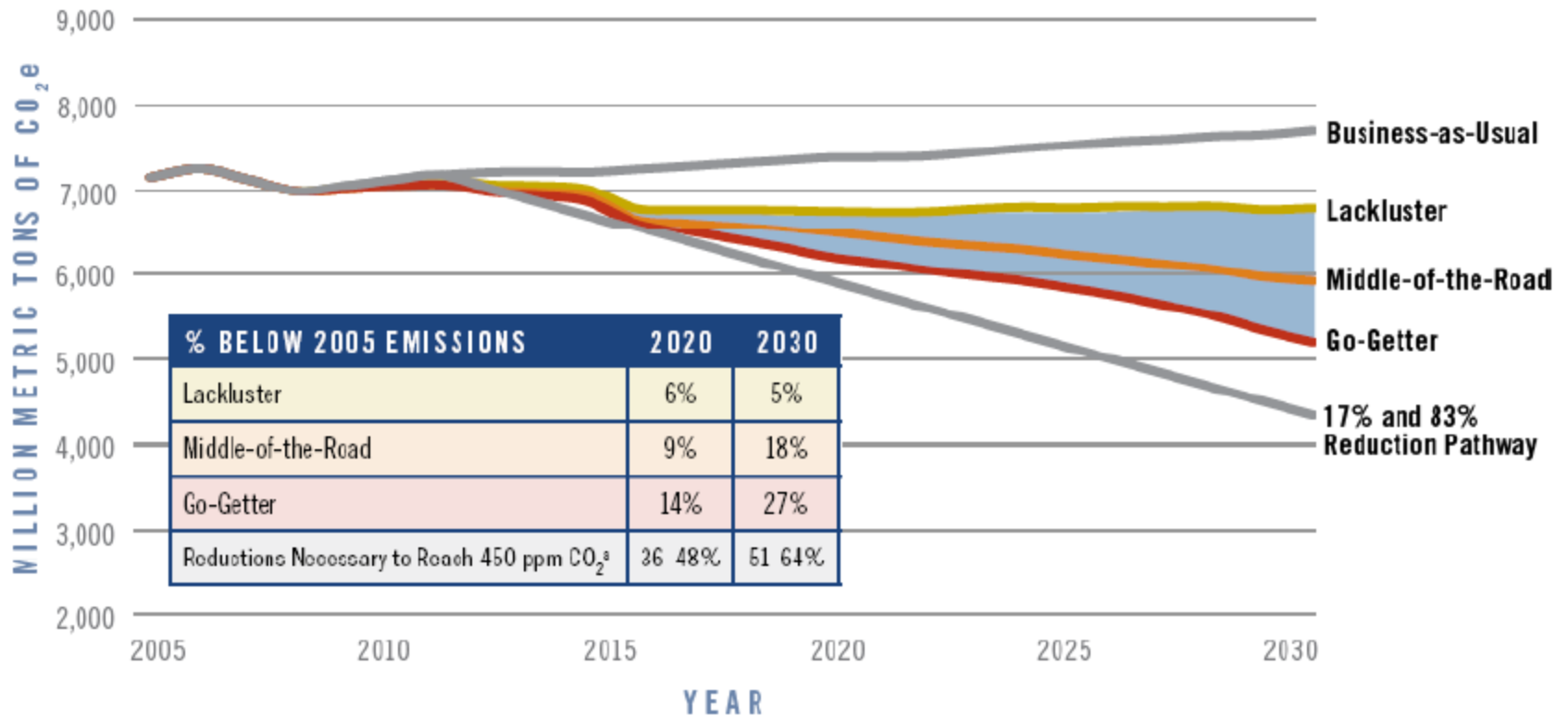
3. Rob Harmon

- Federal (recent history and prospects)
- Insights into Renewable Energy Markets Association activities

Introductory comments

- Climate policy focus here.
- Regulation expected under the Clean Air Act
- Speakers focusing on cap-and-trade policy
- Define off the top
- California update

Possible pathways absent further action



Nicolas Bianco and Franz Litz. *Reducing Greenhouse Gas Emissions in the United States Using Existing Federal Authorities and State Action*. World Resources Institute. July 2010