



MALAYSIAN GREEN TECHNOLOGY AND
CLIMATE CHANGE CORPORATION

Overview: Cities & Climate Change



WHY CITIES?

ENDING CLIMATE CHANGE BEGINS IN THE CITY

Cities have the power to change the world.

But cities are as vulnerable as they are powerful.

Climate change causes financial damage too.

Urban growth shows no sign of slowing.



FOSSIL BASED ENERGY

PRIVATE VEHICLE USE



THE CAUSE

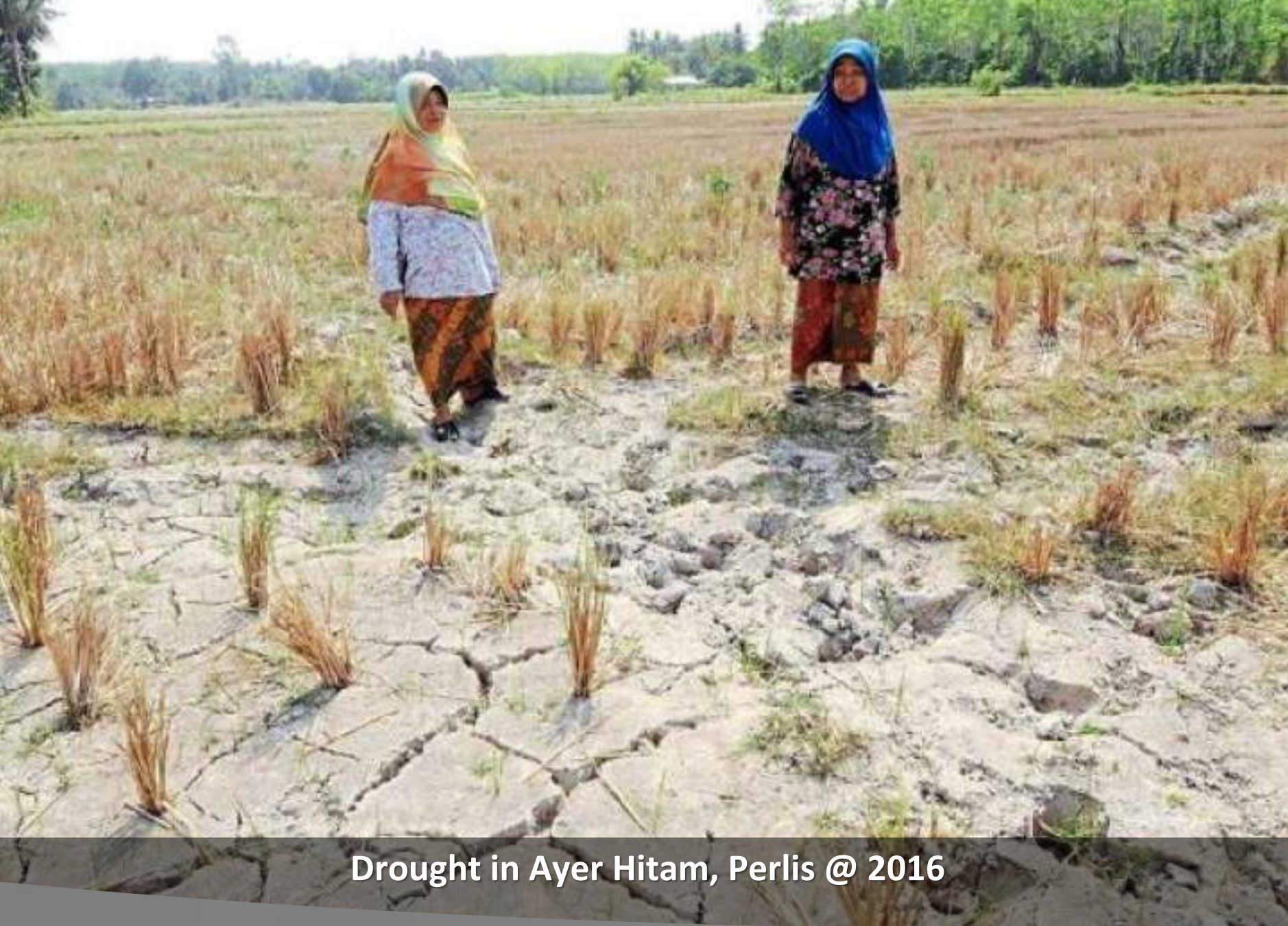
WE ARE EMITTING MORE CARBON INTO
THE ATMOSPHERE THAN THE EARTH'S
NATURAL SYSTEM CAN REGULATE.



WASTE IN LANDFILLS

MASS DEFORESTATION





Drought in Ayer Hitam, Perlis @ 2016



Floods in Georgetown, Penang @ 2017, Floods in Malaysia @ December 2021

IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON MALAYSIA

- FOOD SECURITY
- HEALTH IMPACT
- COASTAL SAFETY
- COST OF BUSINESS
- EXTREME WEATHER EVENTS

OUR CONTRIBUTION

ASEAN EMISSIONS PER CAPITA 2014 (tCO₂/capita)

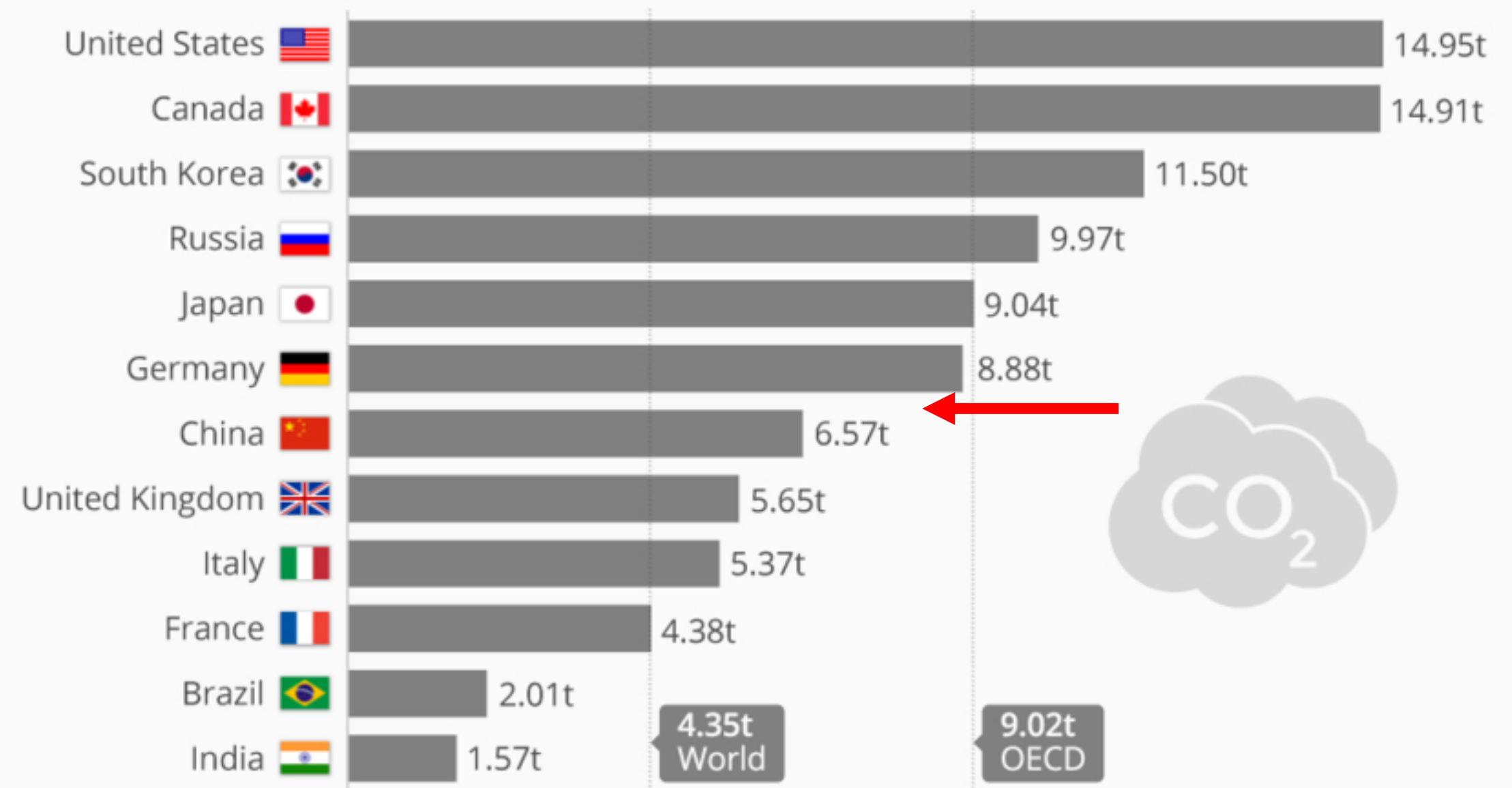
BRUNEI	22.12
SINGAPORE	10.31
MALAYSIA	8.03
THAILAND	4.62
INDONESIA	1.82
VIETNAM	1.80
PHILIPPINES	1.06
CAMBODIA	0.44
MYANMAR	0.42
LAOS	0.3

MALAYSIA IS RANKED 44TH IN
THE WORLD IN PER CAPITA
EMISSIONS.

Source: World Bank

The Global Disparity in Carbon Footprints

Per capita CO₂ emissions in the world's largest economies in 2016* (in metric tons)



OUR CONTRIBUTION

EACH OF US EMIT

EIGHT (8)

OF THESE 10m DIAMETER BALLS OF
CARBON EMISSIONS EVERY YEAR.





LOW CARBON CITIES FRAMEWORK (LCCCF)

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



Guiding International
Community
over 2016 - 2030



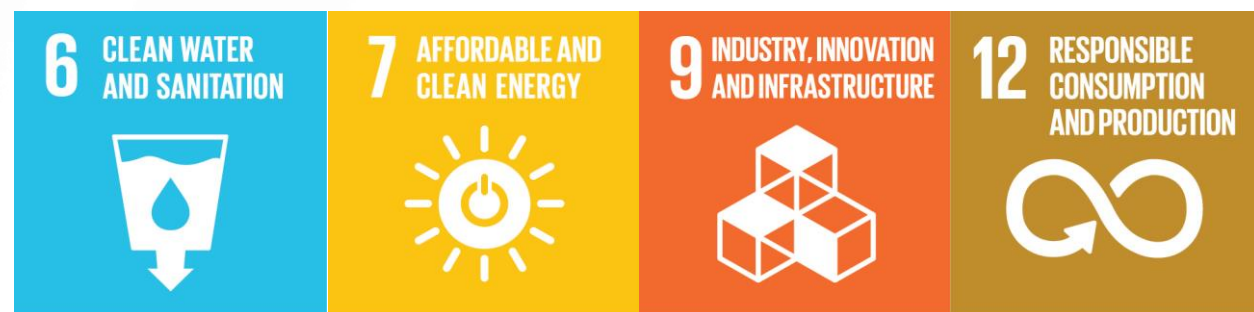
Inter-governmentally
negotiated, agreed to by all
Member States



17 Goals, 169 targets covering
3SD dimensions (Economic, Social and
Environment)

Universal call to action to
end poverty, protect the
planet and ensure that all
people enjoy peace and
prosperity.

Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities



MAKE CITIES AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS **INCLUSIVE, SAFE, RESILIENT AND SUSTAINABLE**

- With the rapid development that Malaysia is undergoing, the need to adopt low carbon cities is becoming increasingly crucial to ensure sustainable economic growth
- Cities are currently projected to contribute 70 percent of the global greenhouse gas emissions.

CITIES & GHG EMISSION

Cities/Urban Areas Emit GHG :Sources of Green House Gas



If you want to tackle Climate Change

Tackle the Cities

More than 50% of world's population
Consumes for 75% of world's energy
consumption

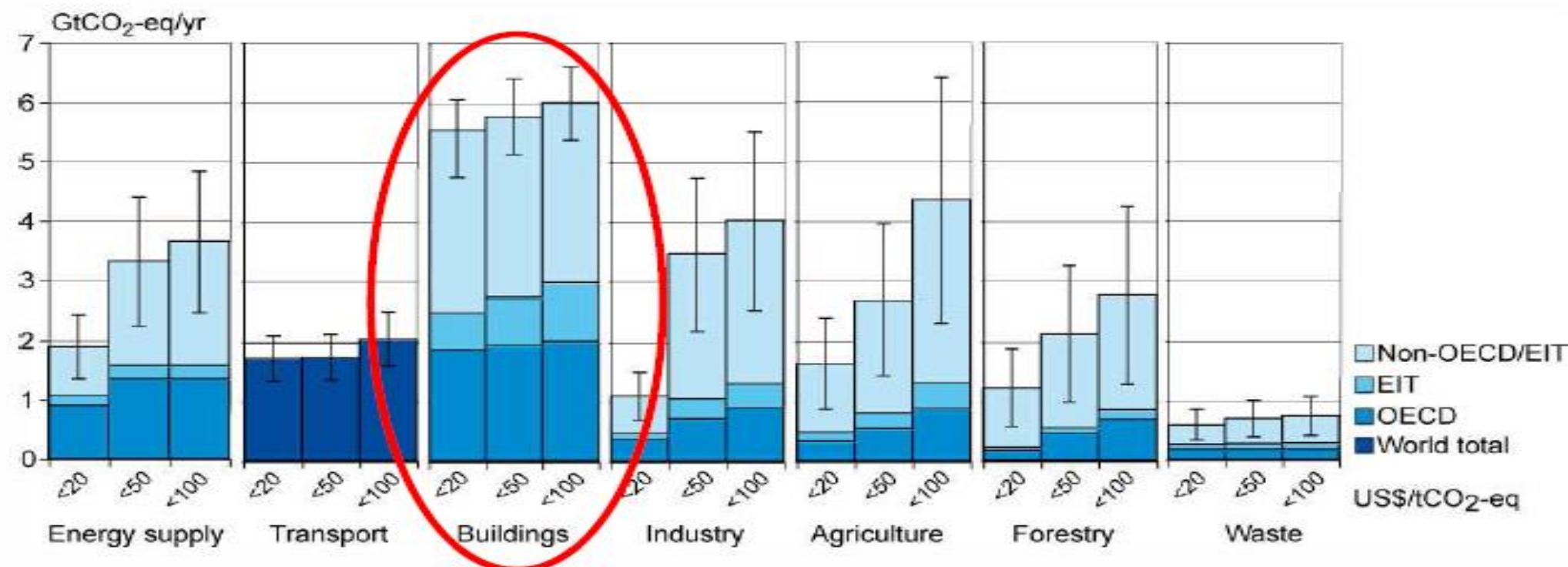
Responsible for 80% of GHG emission

Energy Consumption

Building sector represents 40% of the world's
energy consumption and contributes to one-third of
GHG emissions.

**“CO₂ is the most important anthropogenic of GHG and
the main sources of atmospheric CO₂ is from burning
of fossil fuels – 75% of increase in atmospheric CO₂
since industrial times**

*(Source: Cities and Climate Change – Global Report on Human Settlements
2011, UN-Habitat).*

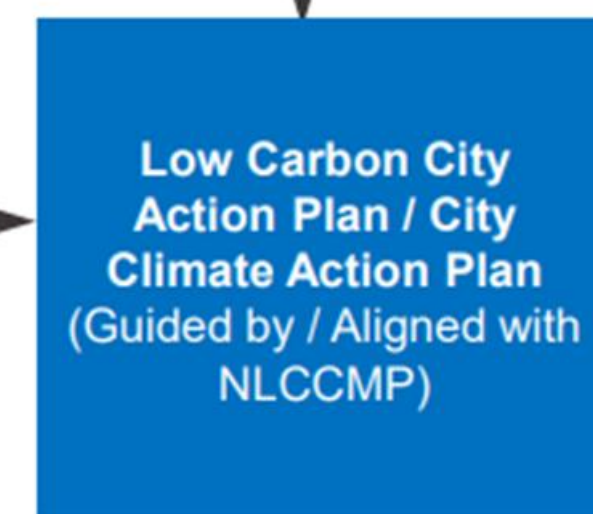
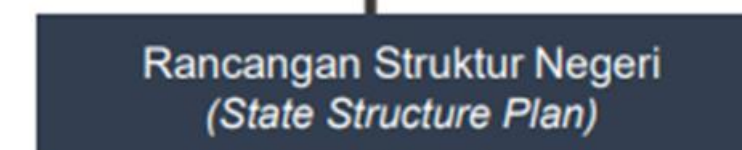
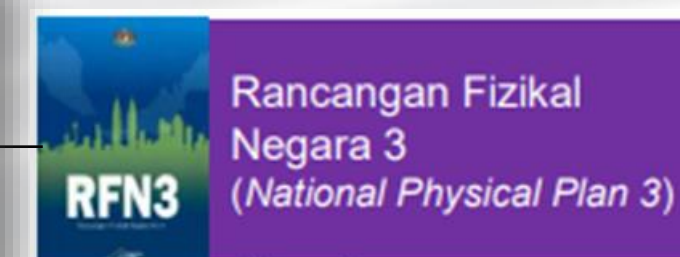




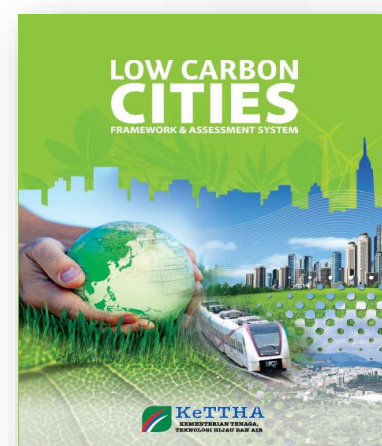
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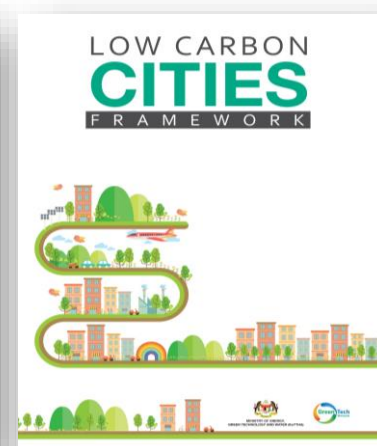
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LOW CARBON CITIES FRAMEWORK



Version 1: 2011



Version 2: 2017

LOW CARBON CITIES MASTERPLAN



2020/21

Policy Context on Low Carbon Cities in Malaysia

(aligned with existing policies & plans)

**LOW CARBON CITY
CHALLENGE 2030
(LCC2030)**

LCCF:: WHAT IS IT ALL ABOUT?

TO GUIDE STAKEHOLDERS TO LEAD BY EXAMPLE & IMPLEMENT LOW CARBON CITIES EFFORT

All cities in
Malaysia:
**Municipalities,
Developers,
Universities**

LCCF

TARGET: To reduce
carbon emission
intensity by **45% per
GDP per capita by the
year of 2030**

OBJECTIVE



To encourage & promote the concept of low carbon cities and townships in Malaysia.



To increase the compatibility of cities/townships with their local natural system.



To guide cities in making choice/decisions towards greener solutions.



LCCF Version 1 launched :
8 September 2011

LCCF Version 2 released
October 2017

Dokumen LCCF boleh dimuatturun di
pautan: [LCCF Book-Version-2-2017.pdf](#)

DEFINITION of LOW CARBON CITY

(according to National Low Carbon Cities Masterplan, NLCCM)

- A Low Carbon City is a city **that implements low carbon strategies** to meet its environmental, social and economic needs.
- A low carbon city **measures, manages and mitigates** its carbon emissions to reduce its contribution to climate change.



WHAT DOES A LOW CARBON CITY LOOK LIKE?



Renewable Energy
for decentralise
energy generation



Solar Township/
Buildings



Energy Efficient/
Low Carbon
Buildings



Energy & Water
consumption reduction



Reduction of
Municipal Waste



Transit Oriented
Development –
reachable by walking



Lesser/ negligible
traffic congestion

Positioning Malaysia in the forefront of low carbon cities development



Urban Environment



Urban Transportation



Urban Infrastructure



Building



Efficient &
Effective
Mass Public
Transport



More Green Spaces
& Green Connectors



Plant more high
sequestration
trees



Low carbon
emission



Improve
standard of
living



Government effort is
visible & motivates
people to value the
Environment



Malaysia's
Inspiration

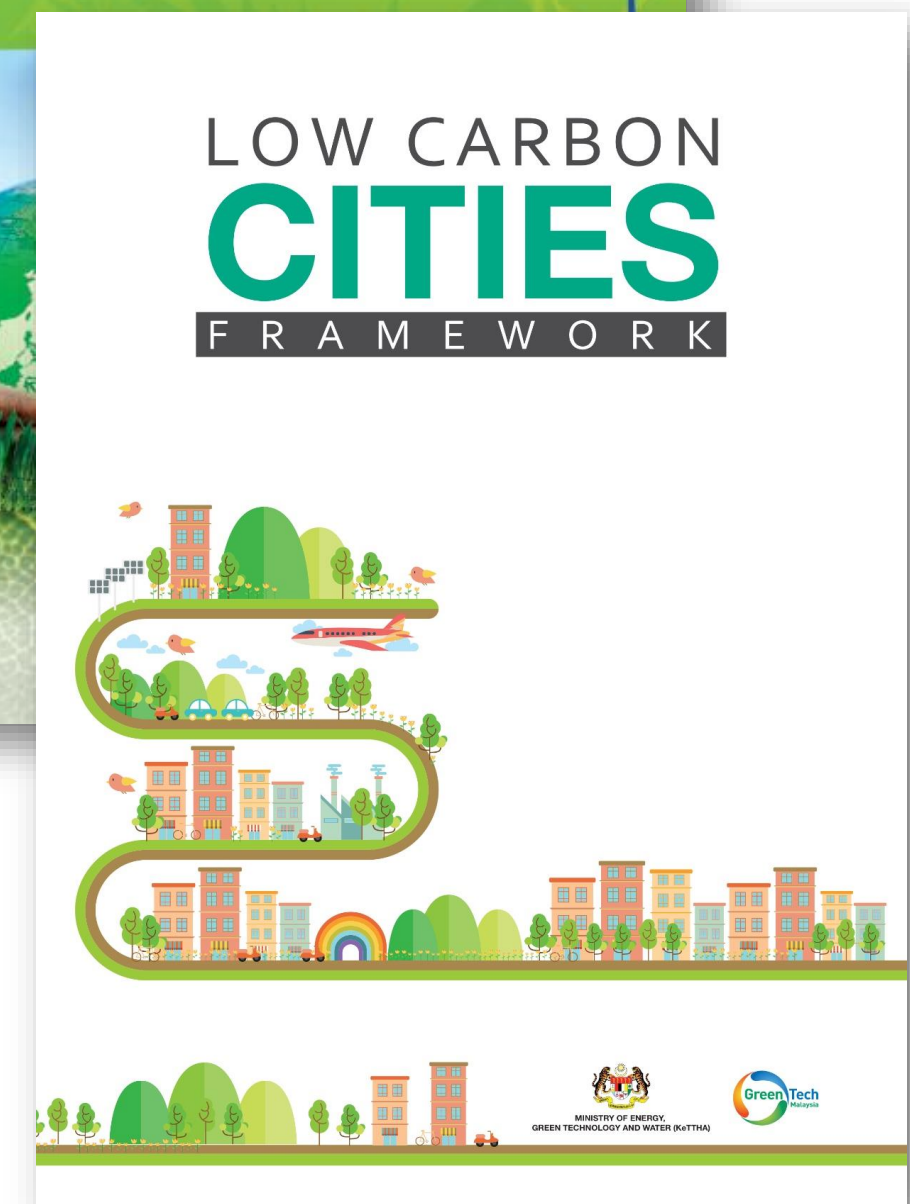
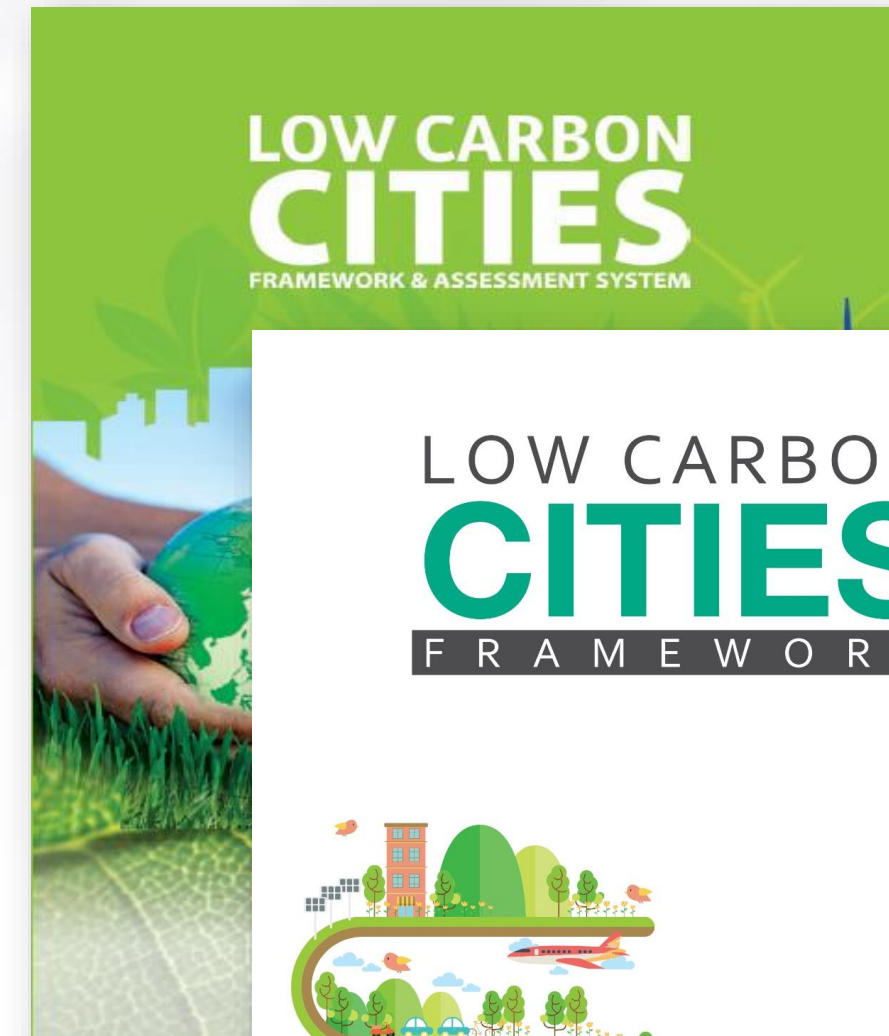


Catalyst of Change
and Inspiration to
other cities and
communities

GNG – LCCF GUIDELINE JOIN USAGE



LCCF is used together with **Green Neighbourhood Guideline (GNG)** of the Town and Country Planning Department Peninsular Malaysia specifically to measure carbon emission value of the municipalities.



LCCF OVERVIEW

Part 1: Framework



Serves as a guide to uses on pertinent areas (elements) that contributes to the reduction of GHG emission. It comprises 4 key elements, 15 criteria and 41 sub-criteria. This information would help the user identify areas in which they could target an overall carbon reduction.

Screening
Process
(LCCF Checklist)

- i. >80% : Outstanding
- ii. 70 – 79% : Excellent
- iii. 60 – 69% : Very Good
- iv. 50 – 59% : Good
- v. 40 – 49% : Pass
- vi. <40% : Unclassified







Part 2: Assessment System



An in built carbon calculator will help a user determine their current baseline. The user will then apply the various strategies recommended in the framework to achieve a reduction level.



Carbon
Calculation
(LCCF Track)

- i. 100% : Carbon Neutral

- ii. 70 – 99% : Best Practice 5

- iii. 50 – 69%: Best Practice 4

- iv. 30 – 49%: Best Practice 3

- v. 10 – 29% : Best Practice 2

- vi. 1 – 9% : Best Practice 1


4 Elements for GHG Reductions in Cities

15 Performance Criteria*

41 Sub-Criteria

* Performance Criteria are **measurable strategies** to **reduce carbon emission** through:-

Policy control, technological development, better process & product management, change in procurement system, carbon capture, consumption strategies & others.

Urban Environment

UE

- Site Selection
- Urban Form
- Urban Greenery & Air Quality



Buildings

B

- Low Carbon Building
- Community Service



LOW CARBON CITIES FRAMEWORK AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

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- Infrastructure Provision
- Waste
- Energy
- Water Management



Urban Infrastructure

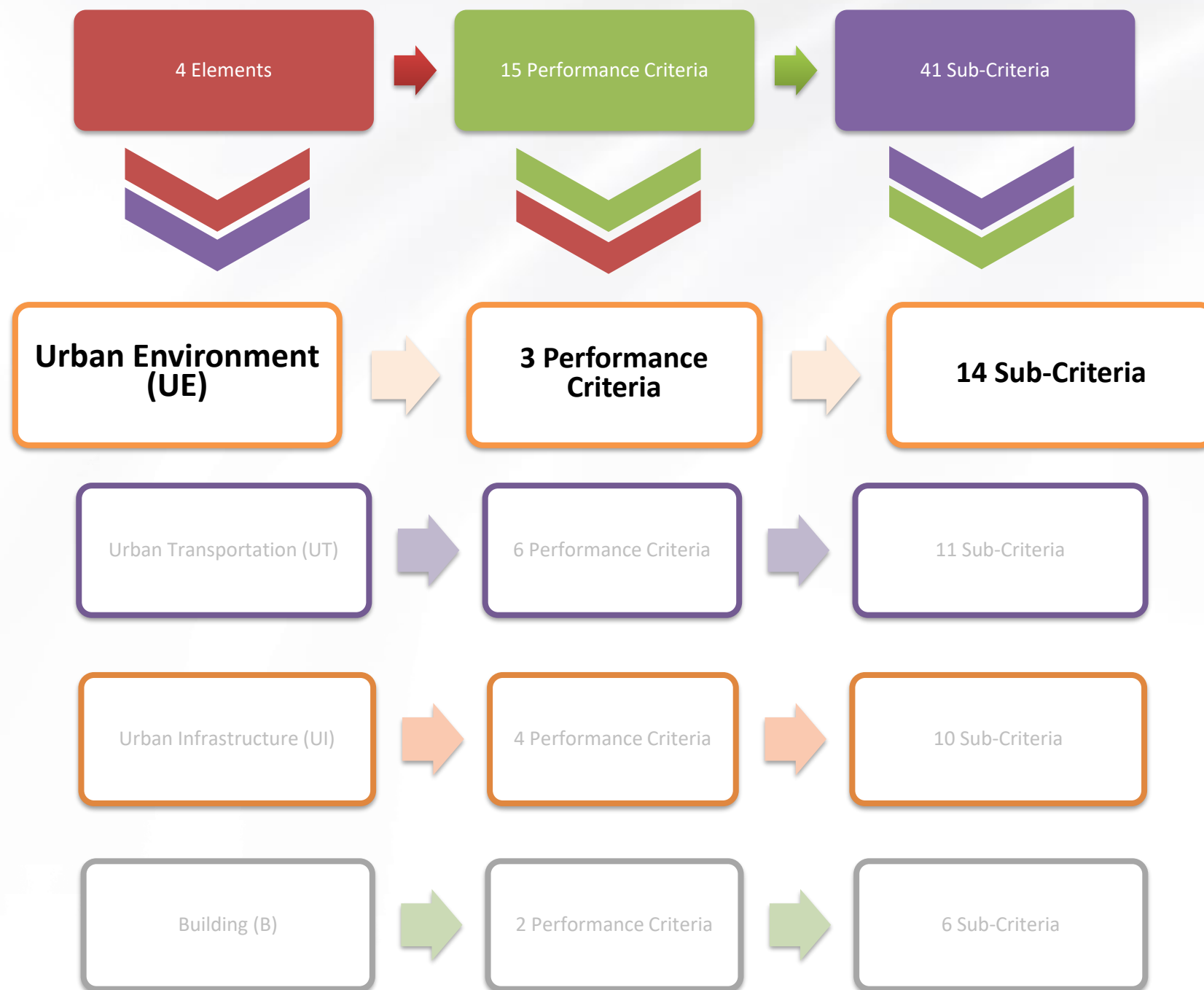
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- Reduction Use of Private Motorised Transport on Urban Road
- Increase in Public Transport
- Mode Shift from Private to Public Transport and Non-Motorised Transport
- Use of Low Carbon Transport
- Improvement to Level of Service of Road Links and Junctions
- Utilisation of Transit-Oriented-Development (TOD) Approach



Urban Transportation

ELEMENT 1: URBAN ENVIRONMENT



Site Selection

- 1-1: Development within defined urban footprint
- 1-2: Infill development
- 1-3: Development within transit nodes and corridor
- 1-4: Brownfield and greyfield redevelopment
- 1-5: Hill slope development

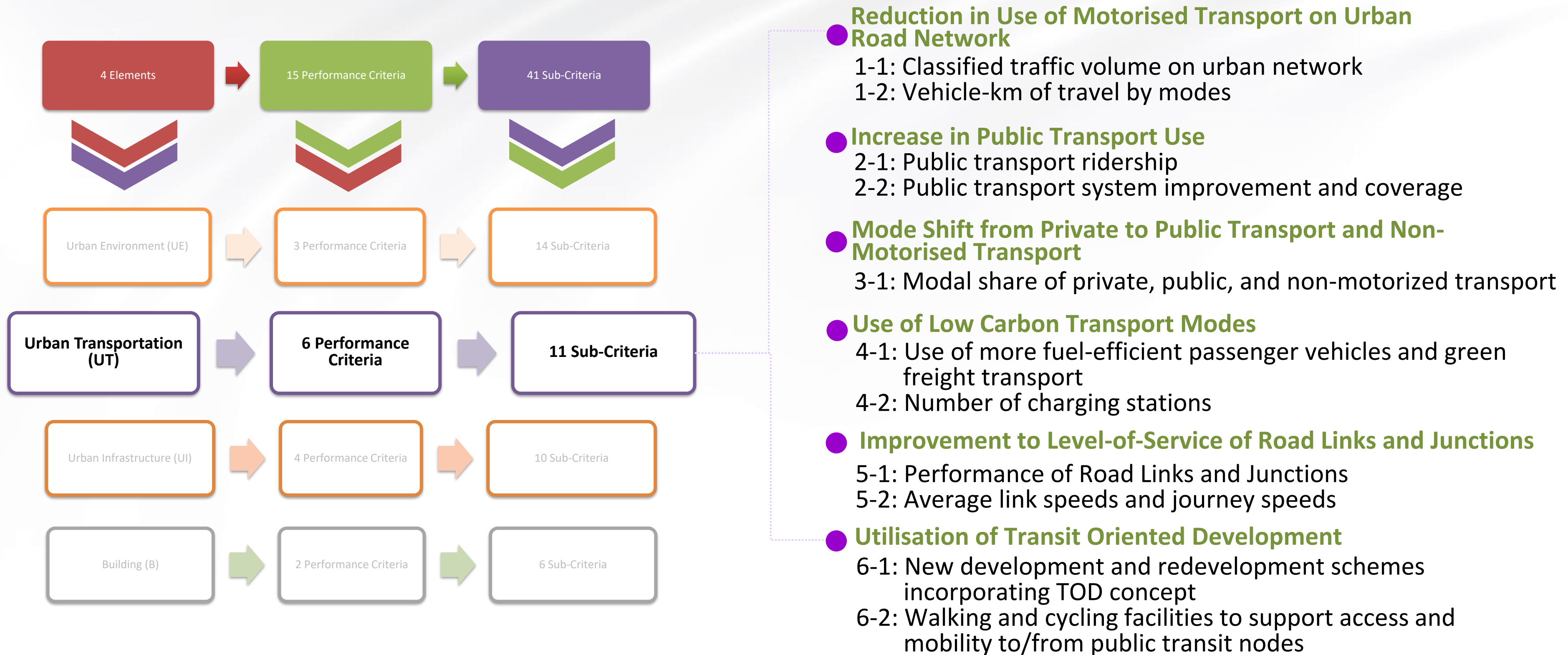
Urban Form

- 2-1: Mixed-use development
- 2-2: Compact development
- 2-3: Road and parking
- 2-4: Comprehensive pedestrian network
- 2-5: Comprehensive cycling network
- 2-6: Urban Heat Island (UHI) effects

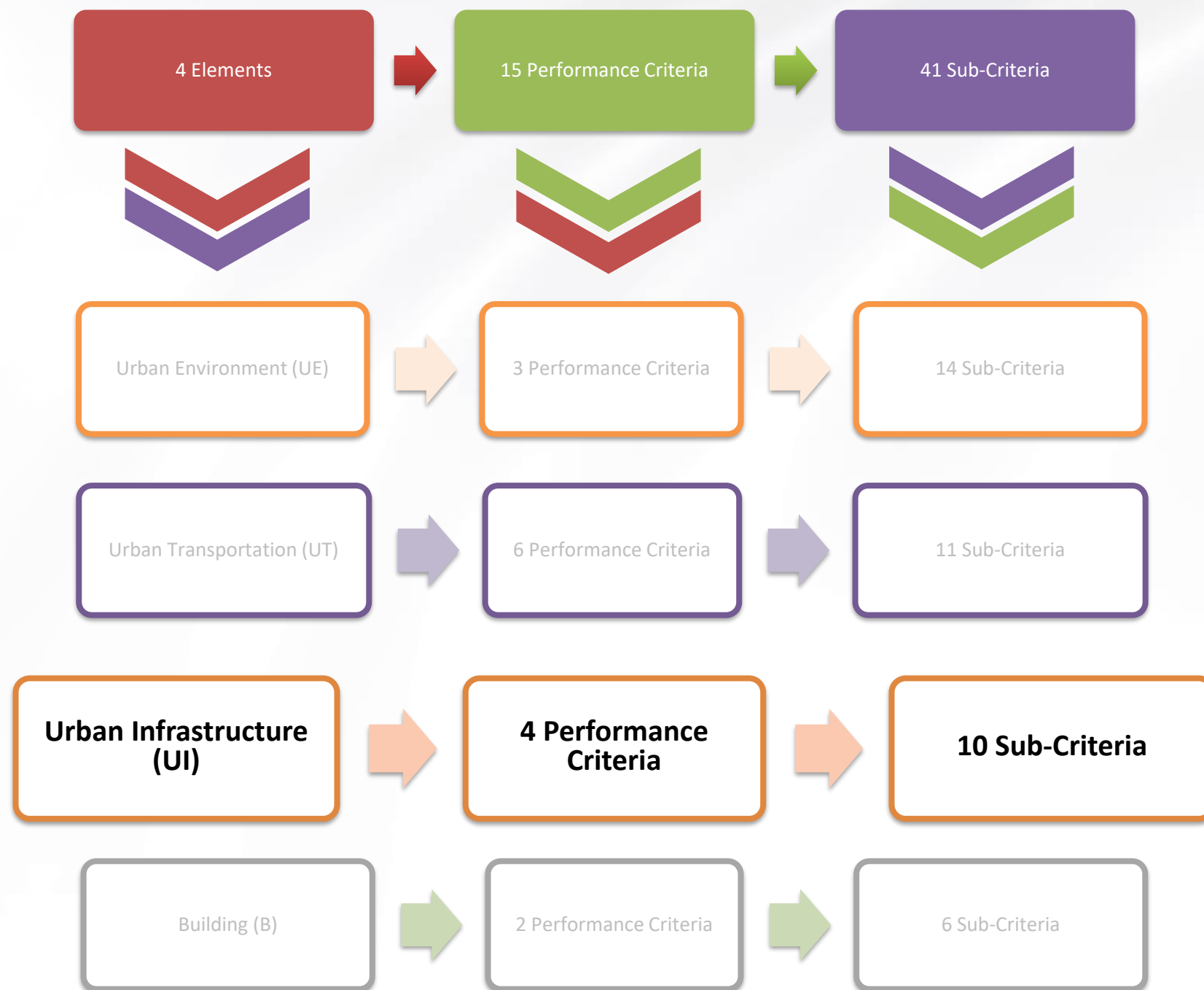
Urban Greenery & Environmental Quality

- 3-1: Preserve natural ecology, water body and bio-diversity
- 3-2: Green open space
- 3-3: Number of trees

ELEMENT 2: URBAN TRANSPORTATION



ELEMENT 3: URBAN INFRASTRUCTURE



Infrastructure Provision

- 1-1: Land take for infrastructure and utility services
- 1-2: Earthworks management
- 1-3: Urban storm water management and flood mitigation

Waste

- 2-1: Construction waste management
- 2-2: Industrial waste management
- 2-3: Household solid waste management

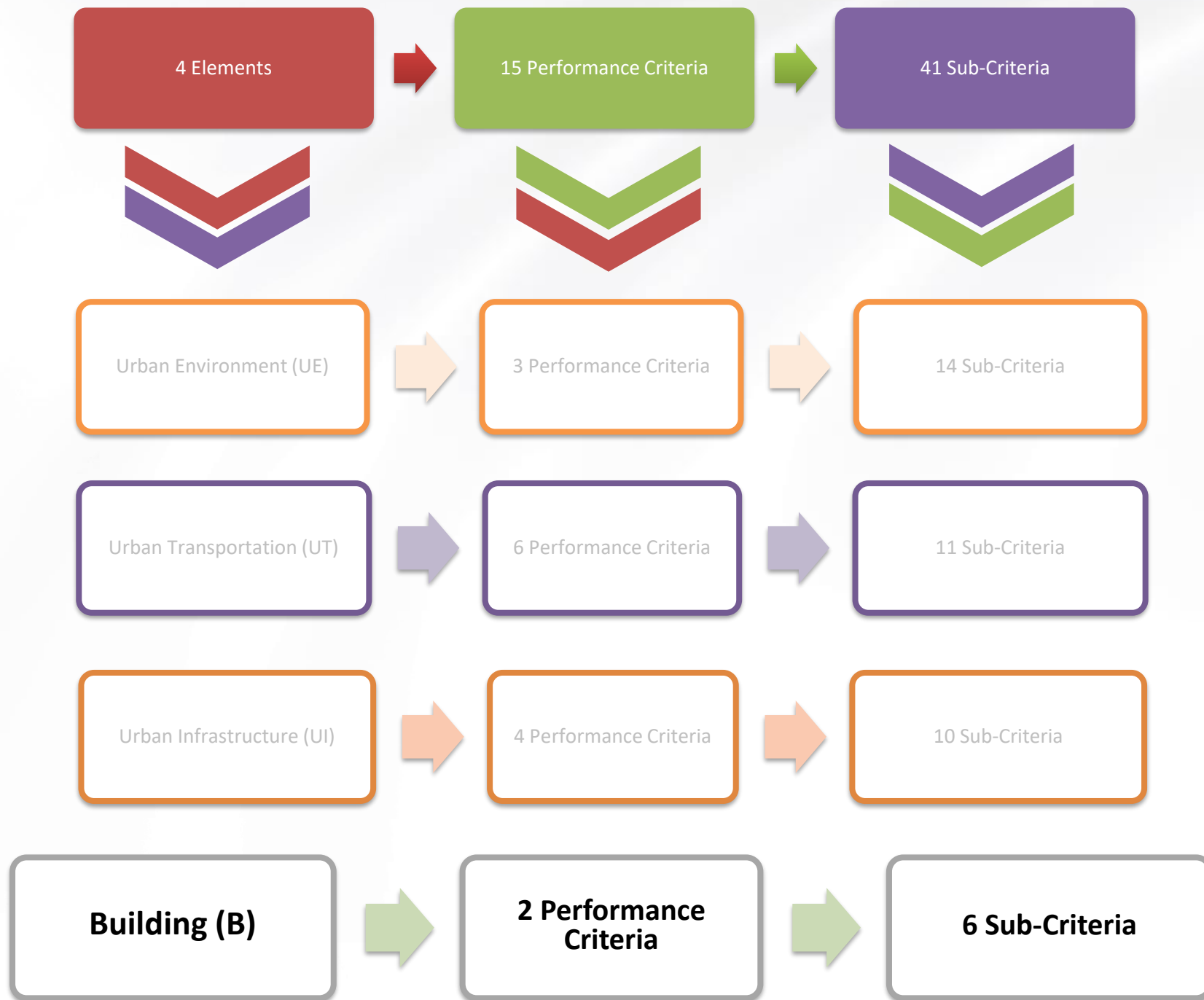
Energy

- 3-1: Energy Optimisation
- 3-2: Renewable Energy
- 3-3: Site wide district cooling system

Water Management

- 4-1: Efficient Water Management

ELEMENT 4: BUILDING



● Sustainable Building Management System

- 1-1: Energy management system
- 1-2: Facility management

● Low Carbon Building

- 2-1: Passive and active designs
- 2-2: Operational energy consumptions
- 2-3: Operational water consumptions
- 2-4: Preserve existing building stock by retrofitting

IMPLEMENTATION APPROACH

User can opt to undertake a One-System Approach or a City-based Approach depending on their objective and capacity.

One System Approach

Mitigating one or more performance criteria (≤ 10 Sub Criteria) as stated within the LCCF, regardless of elements selection



City Based Approach

Mitigating certain performance criteria (>10 Sub Criteria) as stated within the LCCF, regardless of elements selection

A City Based

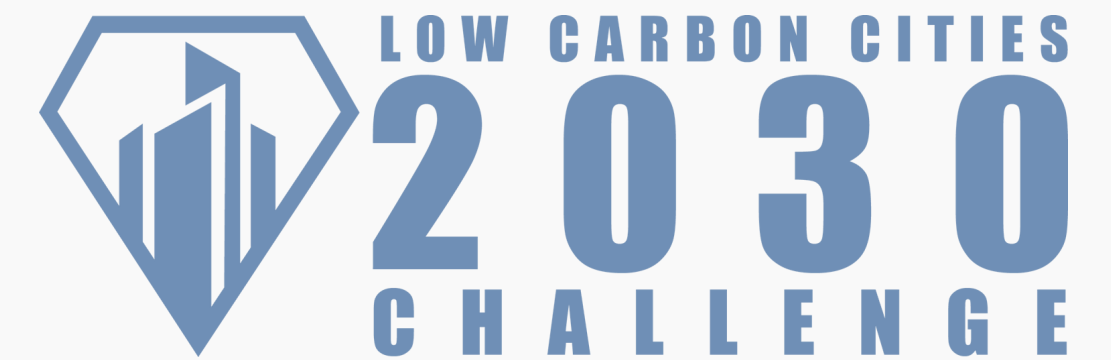
- A holistic view where all criteria are considered and mitigated as stated within LCCF
- E.G.: Stockholm (an old inner city industrial area transform into an attractive and ecologically sustainable district through an integrated and collaborative planning and management)

A One System

- Mitigating a particular selected sector as described in the main criteria and not all the criteria in the LCCF will be considered and mitigated
- E.G.: Yokohama waste reduction programme (estimated total waste reduction for fiscal years 2001-2007 is 623,000 tons which leads to reduction of 840,000 tons of CO₂)



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Launched on 23 July 2019 by the Ministry of Energy, Science, Technology,
Environment & Climate Change (MESTECC)



ABOUT LCC2030 CHALLENGE

Reducing emissions in cities is key to meeting Malaysia's commitment to the Paris Climate Agreement & becoming a carbon neutral nation by 2050



WHAT

Accelerate the Transformation Towards Low Carbon Cities

WHY

Cities are responsible for up to 70% of GHG emissions

HOW

Establish Low Carbon Zones in State Capitals & Major Urban Areas

WHO

Local Authorities, Universities, Economic Zones, Companies

GOAL: 200 LOW CARBON ZONES & 1,000 LOW CARBON PARTNERS

LOW CARBON ZONES

50 by 2021
100 by 2025
200 by 2030

LOW CARBON PARTNERS

100 by 2021
500 by 2025
1,000 by 2030

KEY BENEFITS OF LOW CARBON CITIES

Low carbon cities have multiple direct and indirect benefits to the residents, businesses and the city.

CLEAN	COOL	HEALTHY	LIVEABLE	VIBRANT
Clean Air <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reduced air pollution from fossil fuel vehicles 	Cool Trees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Extensive greenery and tree cover provide shade 	Healthy Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reduced pollution and contamination of the environment 	Affordability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reduced cost from increased utility efficiency 	People Focused <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Smaller city blocks that are pedestrian friendly
Clean Water <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reduced pollution that is discharged into the rivers 	Cool Buildings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Green buildings and homes retain less heat 	Healthy People <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Increased outdoor activity in walking and cycling 	Accessibility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Multiple mobility options and connectivity 	Integrated <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Amenities and services to facilitate a green lifestyle
Clean Land <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reduced amount of waste that goes to landfills 	Cool City <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The overall urban heat island effect is reduced 	Healthy Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Healthier workforce have increased productivity 	Resilience <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Minimal disruption to shocks and stresses 	Urban Biodiversity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The incorporation of nature into the city development



ACHIEVEMENTS (2011 – 2020)

- 70 Local Authorities trained
- 41 Local Authorities actively participating
- 5 Universities actively participating
- 43 Low Carbon Zones
- 69 Low Carbon Partners
- 291,865.42 tCO₂e reduced

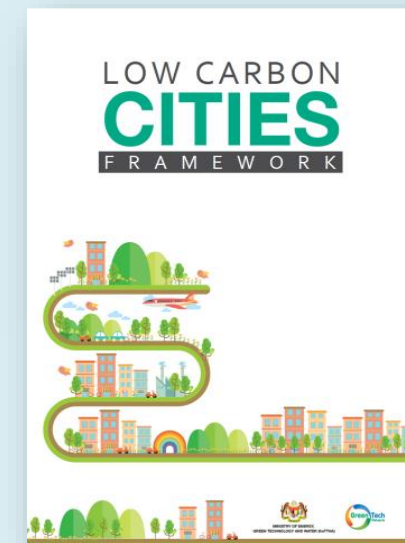
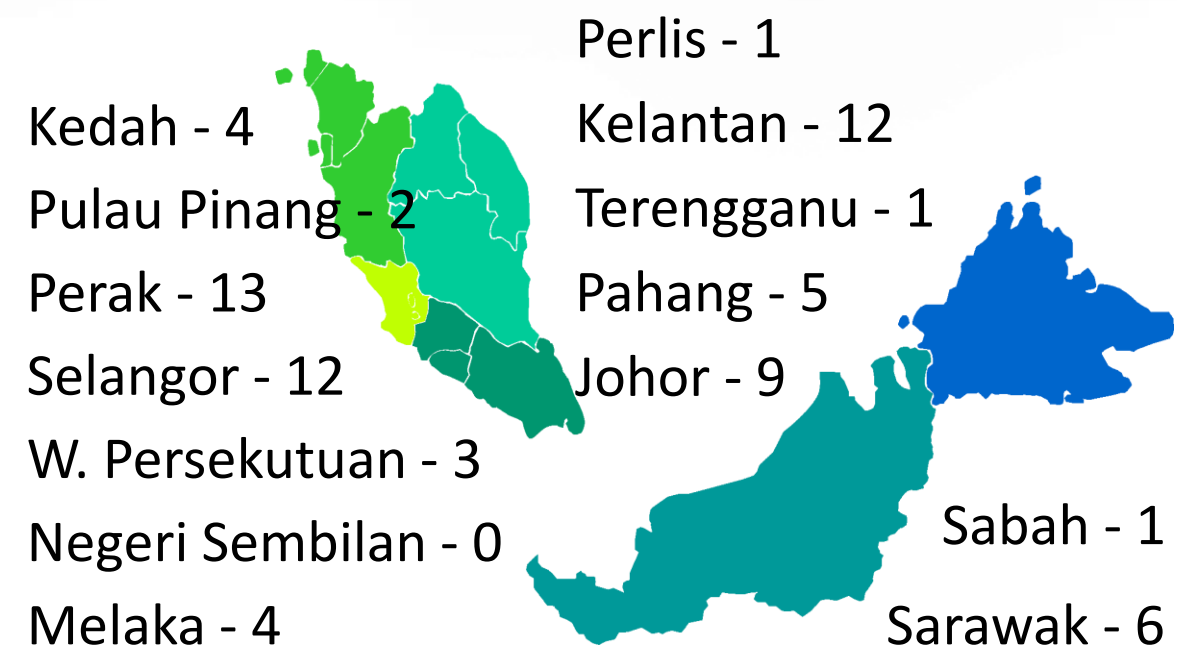
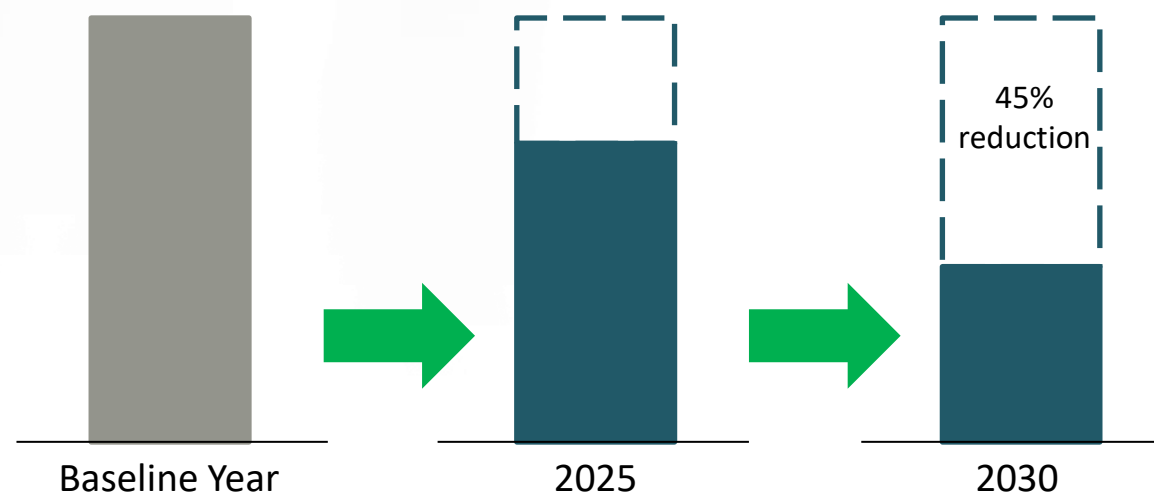
LCC 2030 Challenge is based on Low Carbon Cities Framework (LCCF).

45% GHG EMISSIONS REDUCTION BY 2030

LOCAL AUTHORITY PARTICIPATION BY STATE

Current annual emissions

LCC 2030 Challenge



V1: 2011; V2: 2017; V3: est 2022

OBJECTIVES OF LCCF

- Measure GHG emissions of Cities
- Guide for Local Authorities to transform to Low Carbon Cities
- Capacity building for Local Authorities

FOCUS ON 5 ELEMENTS

The LCC 2030 Challenge targets a total of **45% CO₂ emissions reduction** by focusing on these five elements:

Reducing CO₂ emissions from:



- Energy:
Maximize building energy efficiency and increasing adoption of renewable energy



- Mobility:
Increasing the use of public transport (bus), cycling, walking and other low carbon modes



- Waste:
Reduce the amount of waste that goes to the landfills



- Water:
Maximize water efficiency and increase adoption of rainwater harvesting

Increasing CO₂ sequestration from:

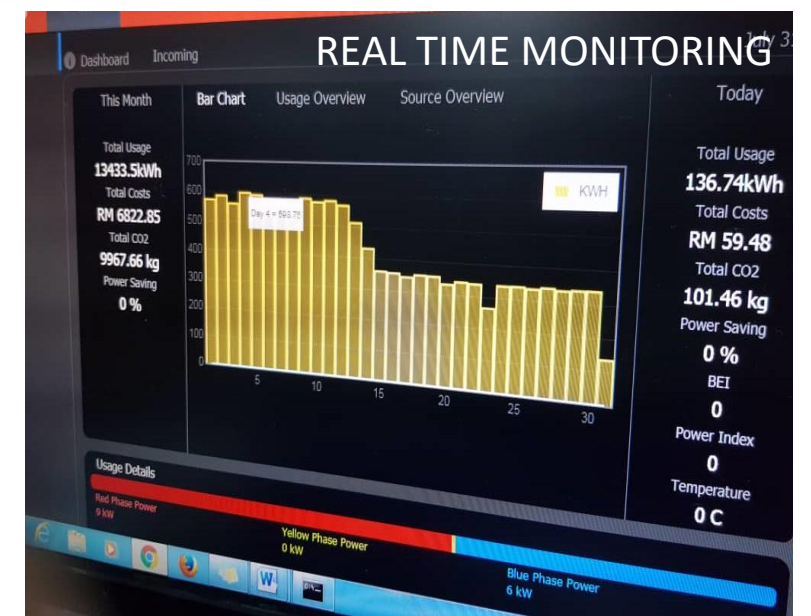
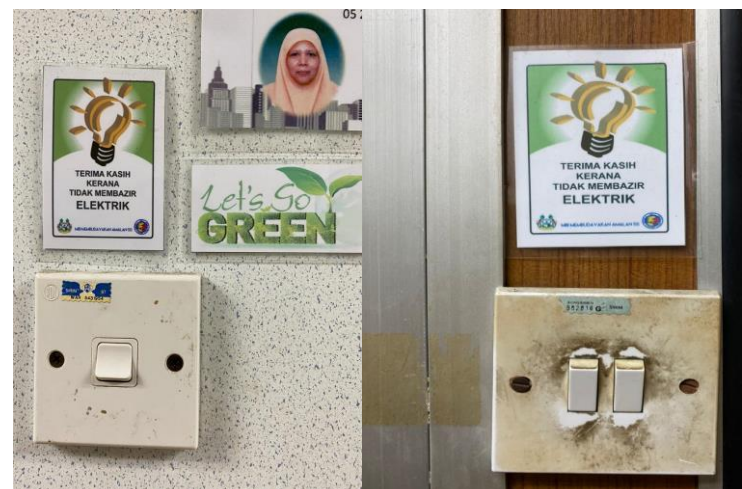
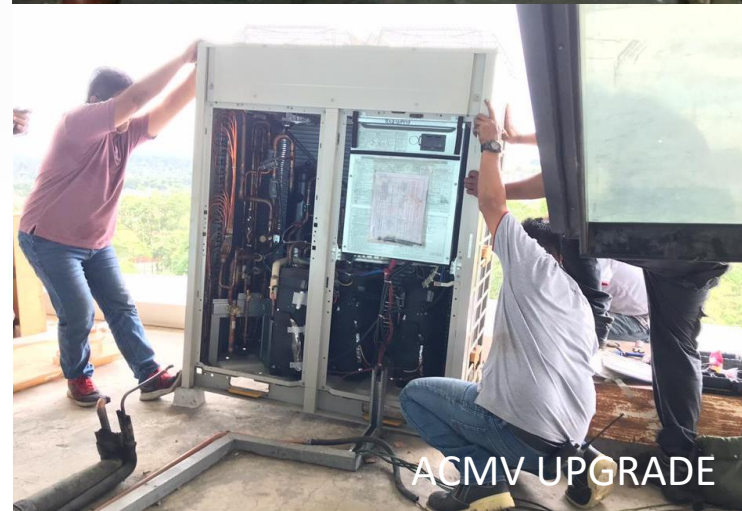


- Greenery
Maintain or increase the number of trees and green spaces in the city

Energy Initiatives Examples



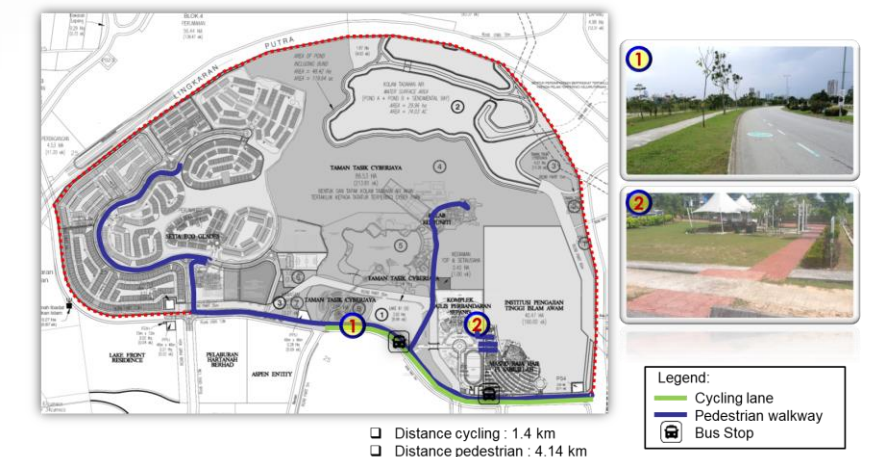
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Mobility Initiative Examples



Increase the use of public transport (bus), cycling lanes, walking trails and other low carbon modes



Waste Initiative Examples



Reduce the amount of waste that goes to the landfills



FOOD WASTE COMPOSTING



UPCYCLE



ZERO SUP



SEPARATION AT SOURCE



RECYCLABLES COLLECTION



USED COOKING OIL COLLECTION



RECYCLING CENTRES



SMARTBIN

Water Initiative Examples



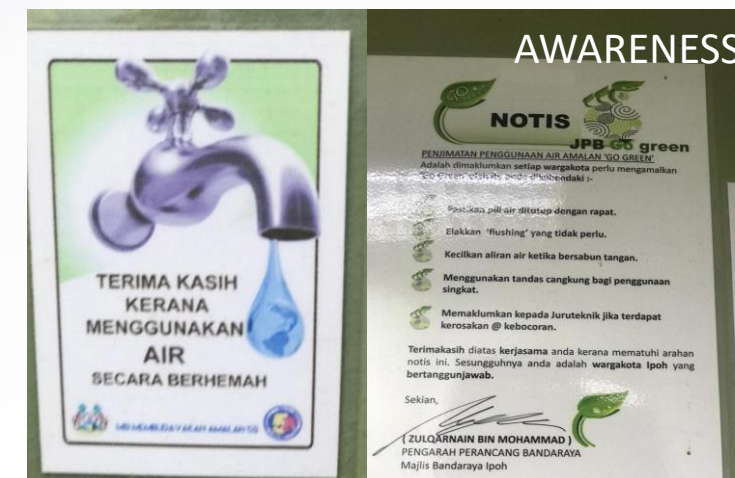
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WATER PIPE REPLACEMENT



EFFICIENT WATER PUMP SYSTEM



AWARENESS



WE FITTINGS



WASTEWATER RECYCLING



RAINWATER HARVESTING

Greenery Initiative Examples



Maintain or
increase the
number of trees
and green
spaces in the
city



LCC2030 CHALLENGE CATEGORIES

LOW CARBON ZONE



Applicable for

(area \geq 50 hectares):

- Local Authorities
- Universities
- Industrial & Commercial Parks
- Economic Corridors
- Townships
- Naval & Army Base

LOW CARBON PARTNERS



Applicable for

(area < 50 hectares):

- Commercial Buildings (office, malls, hotels, etc.)
- Hospitals
- Schools
- Ports & Terminals
- Sports Complex
- Parks

EXAMPLE – SEKSYEN 14, SHAH ALAM



MBSA designates Seksyen 14, Shah Alam as a Low Carbon Zone and will look at all 4 elements within the zone (eg. street lights, cycling lanes, recycling & composting centre, tree planting campaign, etc.)



The individual buildings within the zone applies for the Energy and Waste Element certification (eg. building energy efficiency, waste reduction or recycling, etc.)



MBSA applies for the Greenery Element certification to measure and certify the carbon sequestration value of Taman Tasik Shah Alam.



Rapid KL starts an electric bus route to service Seksyen 14, and measures the avoided emissions.



DATA REQUIRED (GHG PROTOCOL COMPLIANT)

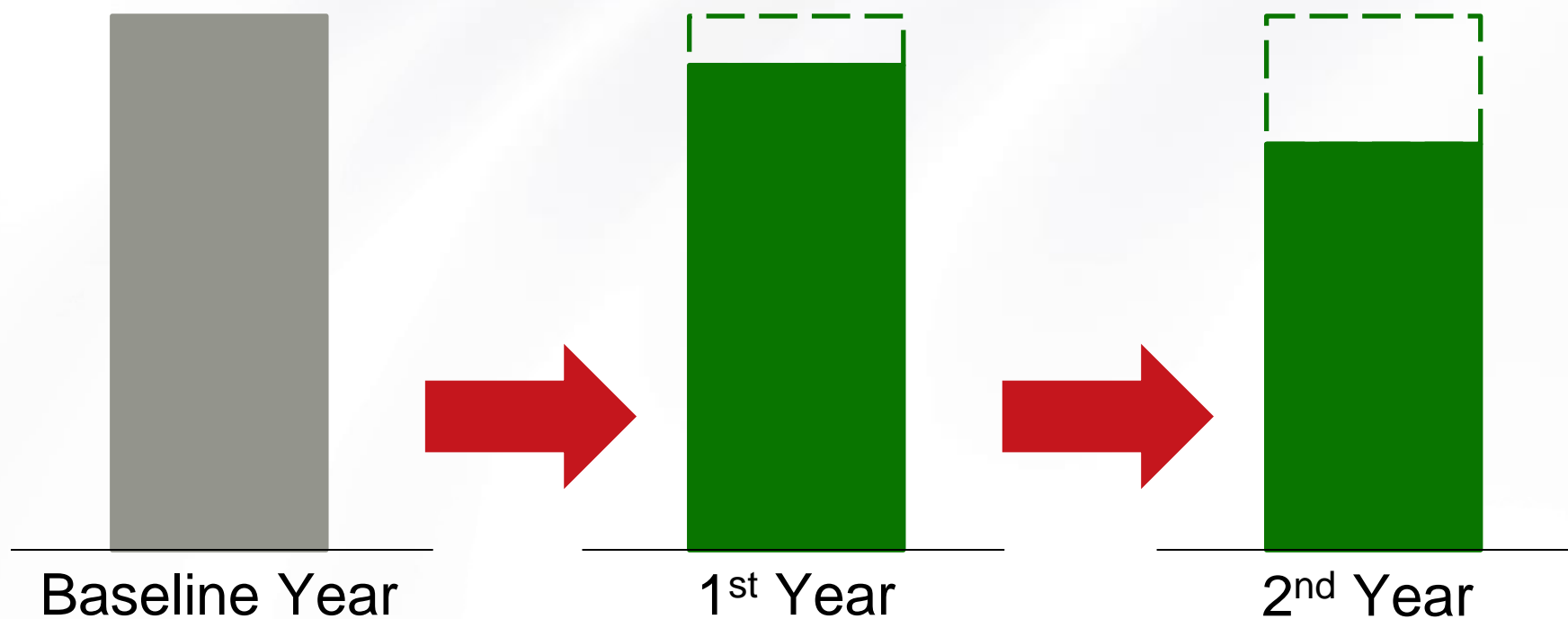
				
ENERGY	WATER	WASTE	MOBILITY	GREENERY
Monthly TNB Bill	Monthly Water Bill	Monthly Waste Disposal	Traffic Count Survey	Landscape Inventory
GHG Protocol for Cities Reference:	GHG Protocol for Cities Reference:	GHG Protocol for Cities Reference:	GHG Protocol for Cities Reference:	GHG Protocol Reference:
Stationery Energy Sources	-	Waste	Transportation	Forestry
Scope 2	-	Scope 3	Scope 1	-
Emissions from consumption of grid-supplied energy	Emissions from consumption of municipal supplied treated water	Emissions from waste generated within but treated outside of the boundary	Emissions from inboundary transport	Carbon sink

ASSESSMENT & RECOGNITION

ASSESSMENT

Current
annual
emissions

Continuous emissions
reduction every year



RECOGNITION

Provisional Certificate

Develop baseline and pledge commitment to reduce emissions

Diamond Recognition

Achieve emissions reduction based on the scale below:

	1 Diamond	1% reduction
	2 Diamonds	5% reduction
	3 Diamonds	10% reduction
	4 Diamonds	25% reduction
	5 Diamonds	45% reduction

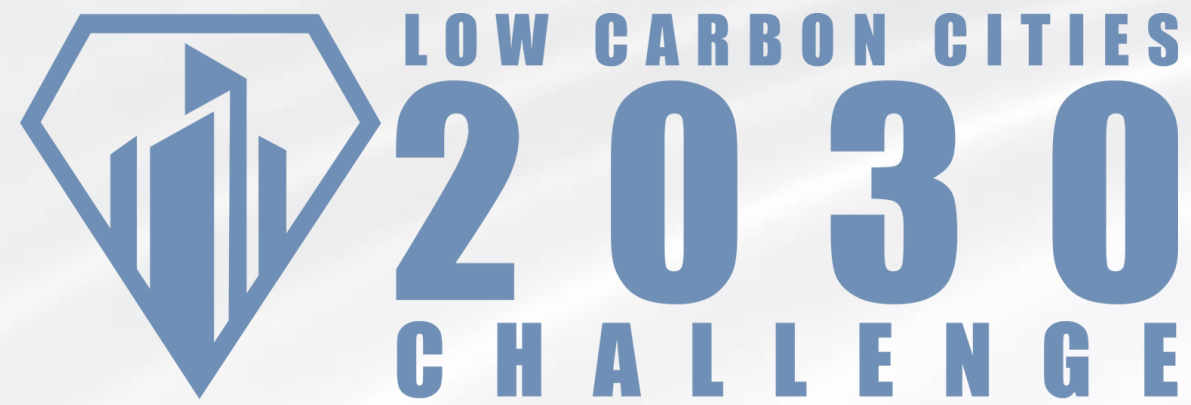
4 step process:

MEASURE

MANAGE

REDUCE

CERTIFY



Provisional Certificate



A Provisional Certificate is awarded to those who have established their emissions baseline and are now working on their low carbon plans

Diamond Recognition



A Diamond Recognition is awarded to those who have successfully achieved actual reduction in carbon emissions based on their comprehensive action plan.

FEES

ONE-TIME REGISTRATION FEE

LC Zone (cities, university, industrial zones, etc)	: RM 5,000
LC Partner (building, park, company, etc)	: RM 1,500

AUDIT FEE

Provisional Audit	: RM 2,000
Diamond Audit (1D to 5D)	: RM 3,000

SUPPORT & GUIDANCE

LCC Help Desk @ MGTC Meet & Greet Day	: FREE
LCC Clinic Sessions	: FREE

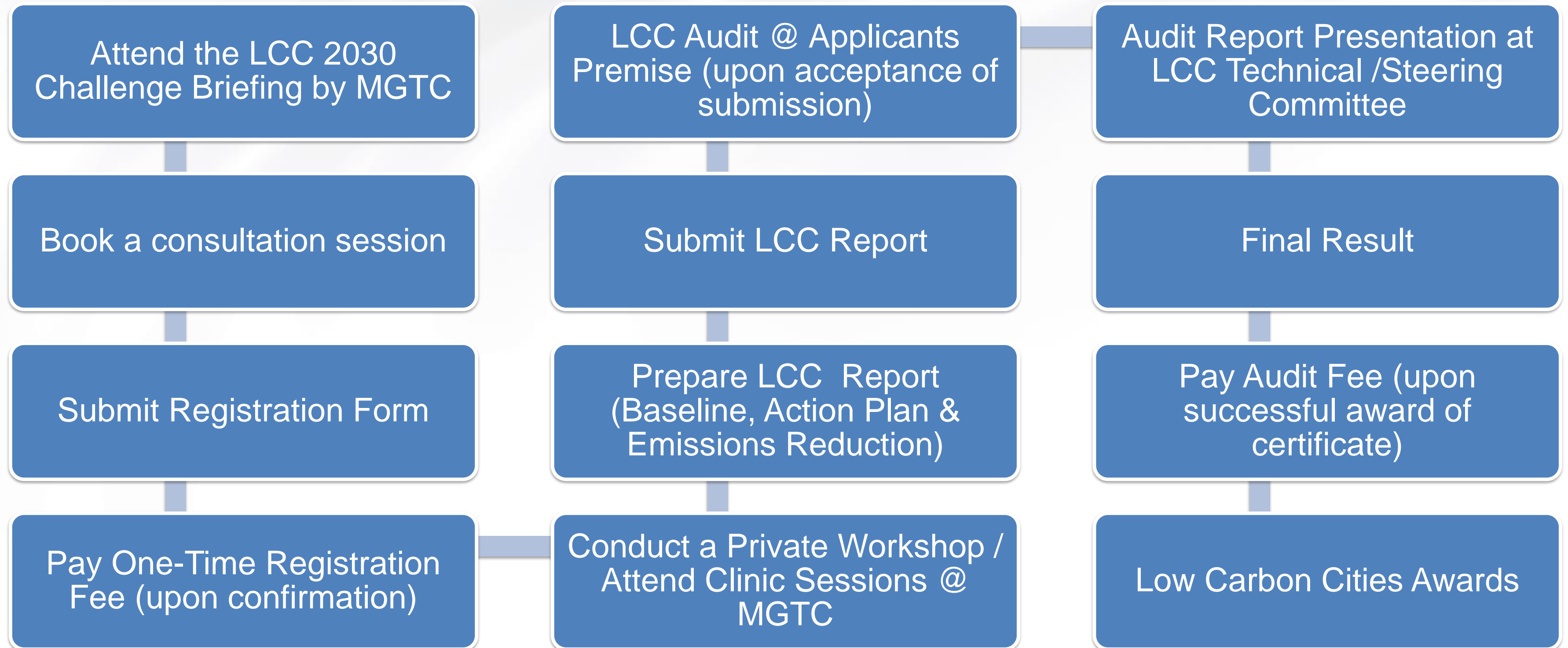
EXCLUSIVE SERVICES

LCC Private Workshop Facilitation	: RM 10,000
Low Carbon Cities Private Training	: RM 10,000

Note:

1. The Low Carbon Cities program is partially funded by the Government of Malaysia.
2. The fees charged is to cover the costs involved in delivering the program.
3. This is to ensure the continuity and sustainability of the program until 2030 and beyond.
4. Free support and guidance by MGTC will always be available as detailed out in the offered programs.

The LCC 2030C Process



Thank You

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