



## CITIZEN'S ADVISORY COUNCIL TO LA PORTE INDUSTRY

### Introduction to Carbon Capture and Storage

In the first of two meetings regarding carbon capture and storage, the focus was on explaining the basics of carbon capture and storage.

Scott Castleman, Principal, of LSG, introduced LPCAC to the Houston Carbon Capture and Storage (CCS) Alliance, a group of local companies promoting CCS in the Houston area. He explained what is carbon capture and storage, why the technology is safe and proven, and the environmental and economic benefits of CCS. Castleman spoke on the Houston CCS Alliance's mission, members, supporters, and website publications. He noted that almost half the alliance's members are LPCAC plants. The alliance's goal is to make Houston the global leader in CCS. Houston has the opportunity to capture twice as much carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) that is being captured today in the world. For more information visit the Houston CCS Alliance website at [www.HoustonCCS.com](http://www.HoustonCCS.com).

The CAC is a forum for candid and constructive dialogue between those who live or work in La Porte, Morgan's Point, and Shoreacres and the managers of 44 chemical plants in La Porte. Visitors are welcome. To attend one of the 6 p.m. meetings, contact a member or email the CAC facilitator at [info@laportecac.org](mailto:info@laportecac.org). The group meets again January 9, 2024 for Carbon Capture and Storage 101. The CAC shares information about its meetings and presentations at [www.laportecac.org](http://www.laportecac.org).