



## ClimateWise Business Network Holds First Session of its New Forum 'ClimateWise Conversation'

On Tuesday, May 28, 2024, ClimateWise Business Network successfully held an impactful first session of its ClimateWise Conversation, a forum designed for strategic, private discussions among peers from various industries about decarbonization and pivotal sustainability issues relevant to the current responsibilities within their organizations.



The inaugural session of the forum, which took place at the Riverside Natural Foods facility brought together experts from various sectors who contributed great insights to conversations. Discussions centred around pivotal sustainability issues such as fleet decarbonization strategies and transparency in greenhouse gas reporting.



*ClimateWise Conversation participants answering questions for discussion.*

We delved deep into the challenges of sustainable transportation and the complexities of carbon accounting, fostering a rich dialogue among peers.





*Participants touring the Riverside Natural Foods operations, observing the production line where granola bars are meticulously crafted from raw ingredients to packaged products.*



*Pictured from left to right: Arman Khorshidi (Regional Municipality of York), Todd Boyd (Regional Municipality of York), Tiara Mullick (Compugen Finance), Taylor Stanley (Riverside Natural Foods), Alysha Ahlin (Green Economy Canada), Andrea Tickner (Combined Metal Industries), Dana Stamu (Combined Metal Industries), Catherine Pelletier*

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