



Help create Milwaukie's first Climate Action Plan!

Coming together to create a Climate Action Plan is a powerful, crucial step in making sure our community remains a place to thrive.

What is a Climate Action Plan?

A Climate Action Plan is a roadmap that will put Milwaukie on a path to achieve goals related to climate preparedness and reducing carbon emissions. Created by the community and informed by the latest science, the Climate Action Plan will include opportunities for people who live and work in Milwaukie to take action and preserve the things we hold dear. Developing a Climate Action Plan is a leading priority in Milwaukie's Community Vision and Action Plan and a key City Council goal.

Why is a Climate Action Plan needed?

Climate change is an undesired yet real challenge facing our planet. We're already witnessing more extreme weather and climate events in our region. In the future, Milwaukie could experience higher temperatures, more frequent and intense storms, higher flood risk and air quality impacts. Together, we can identify strategies that will help preserve what we love for current and future generations.

By planning ahead, we can:

- ✓ Be prepared and resilient to climate changes
- ✓ Collectively work to reduce our emissions
- ✓ Create a stronger local economy
- ✓ Take care of those that might be struggling
- ✓ Create a place that is more comfortable to live in

Join us online: milwaukieoregon.gov/sustainability/climate-action-plan

Be a Part of the Solution!

Working together, we can develop a practical, rewarding and sustainable path forward for our community.



Who is the Climate Action Plan for?

The plan contains three types of actions:

- City-led actions to be implemented by City staff through law or code, or in collaboration with agency partners
- Household actions for Milwaukie residents
- Organizational actions for businesses and groups located in Milwaukie

Achieving our climate action goals will require all of us working together.

What's next?

The draft Climate Action Plan will be published online for public review in mid-September. City Council expects to consider the plan for adoption in early October. Once formally adopted, the City of Milwaukie will hire a

Climate Action and Sustainability Coordinator to help implement the strategy and track our progress. The coordinator will help develop resources and programs that allow us all to join the fight against climate change.

Learn more online

Learn more about the planning process and download project documents at: milwaukieoregon.gov/sustainability/climate-action-plan

Share your thoughts

For more information or to share your thoughts, please contact: Peter Passarelli, Public Works Director
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Schedule

2017	Dec	■	Project kick-off
2018	Jan	■	Climate Action Plan Committee (CAPC) appointed
	Feb	■	CAPC meeting #1
		■	Workshops to determine priorities for mitigation and adaptation
	Mar	■	Mitigation actions scaled and evaluated
	Apr	■	CAPC meeting #2
	May	■	Online public survey
		■	Climate Action Plan Summit
	Jun	■	CAPC meeting #3
	Aug	■	CAPC meeting #4
	Sep	■	Draft Climate Action Plan online for public review
	Oct	■	Climate Action Plan adopted by City Council

Throughout

- Community engagement
- Members of the public encouraged to share comments and questions with project team