The State of Sustainable Cleveland
Together, We’re Building a Thriving Green City on a Blue Lake
Summit Tasks and Objectives

- Renew & Engage
- Take Stock & Celebrate
- Accelerate Progress Toward 2019
- Chart the Course beyond
Multi-Sector Approach

- Arts and Culture
- Business
- Community Development
- Education
- Environmental
- Government
- Labor
- Nonprofit - Other
- Resident
- Retired
- Social Services
- Student
- Volunteer
Which Summit(s) Have You Participated In?

- 2009: 55
- 2010: 68
- 2011: 63
- 2012: 68
- 2013: 78
- 2014: 118
- 2015: 137
- 2016: 157
Values

• Dynamic and Cumulative
• Urgency + Action + Positivity + Kindness
• Inclusive, Accessible, Welcoming
• Persistence, Determination, Courage, Boldness
• Creativity, Innovation, Execution
Taking Action

at HOME

at WORK

in your COMMUNITY
Working Groups

Active

• ZeroWasteNEO
• Vital Neighborhoods
• Plastic Reduction
• Alternative Fuel Vehicle
• Forest City Working Group
• ciCLEvia (Open Streets CLE)

“Graduates”

• Drink Local Tap
• Campus District
• Cleveland Water Alliance
• Upcycle Parts Shop
• Tunnel Vision Hoops
• Cleveland 2030 District
Measuring Progress

1 CHOOSE AN ENVIRONMENT

Business
Personal/Social
Built
Natural

www.sustainablecleveland.org/dashboard
Celebration Years

2010
2011 ENERGY EFFICIENCY
2012 LOCAL FOODS
2013 ADVANCED AND RENEWABLE RESOURCES
2014 ZERO WASTE
2015 CLEAN WATER
2016 SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY
2017 VIBRANT GREEN SPACE
2018 VITAL NEIGHBORHOODS
2019 PEOPLE
1. Celebrating Vibrant and Accessible Green Space

2. Taking Equitable Climate Action

3. Accelerating Progress to 2019… and beyond
Accessible and active public space that benefits all and connects people to place, nature, and one another
Events
Projects
City Partnerships
Our Climate-Smart Cities Framework

Connect

Cool

Absorb

Protect
NEORSD Green Infrastructure Grant Program
neorsd.org/funding-opportunities
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377 US #ClimateMayors, representing 67.7 million Americans, have committed to adopt, honor and uphold the climate goals of the Paris Agreement.
Climate Action More Urgent Than Ever

CLEVELAND CLIMATE ACTION PLAN
(AT A GLANCE, 2013)
BUILDING THRIVING & HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS

33 Actions

ECONOMIC
ENVIRONMENTAL
SOCIAL
# 33 Climate Actions

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Climate Action Plan Update

- Climate and Social Vulnerability Assessment
- Green Jobs
- Corporate Environmental and Social Governance
- Equity
- 10 Neighborhood Workshops
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Bike Infrastructure

Increasing Bicycle Infrastructure in Cleveland

*Prior to 2009, there were 36.6 miles of existing bike infrastructure.
Cleveland is SolSmart certified

Reduce the costs of going solar by:

- Reducing local barriers
- Cutting red tape
- Spurring solar market growth
There are a total of 79 certified businesses in Cleveland and Northeast Ohio.
2009 Summit
1936-37 Great Lakes Expo
1996 Cleveland Bicentennial