



Local Government Climate Action Program Survey Submission Report

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Question	Answer
1. Does your local government or Modern Treaty Nation have a climate action plan or strategy?	Yes
1.a. Indicate the date the plan was adopted.	May 17, 2022
1.b. Include a link to the document (URL) or webpage.	https://www.viewroyal.ca/assets/Town~Hall/Documents-Forms/Planning-Development/2022%2007%2013%20CCAS%202022.pdf
2. For the calendar year 2021, did your local government or Modern Treaty Nation measure and publicly disclose corporate greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions?	Measured and will be disclosed in the next few months
3. For calendar year 2021, did your local government or Modern Treaty Nation measure and publicly disclose a community-wide emissions inventory?	Emissions are measured by the Capital Regional District every second (even) year. The latest GHGe total from 2020 is 54477 tCO ₂ e
4. Is your local government or Modern Treaty Nation tracking progress on its community-wide GHG reduction target?	Yes

4.a. Please provide your reduction target(s).	45%
4.b. Please provide the target year.	2030
4.c. Please provide the baseline year.	2007
4.d. Please provide the link(s) to the document(s) or website if available.	https://www.viewroyal.ca/assets/Town~Hall/Documents-Forms/Planning-Development/2022%2007%2013%20CCAS%202022.pdf
5. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Buildings	Adopted bylaw for voluntary higher Step Code levels (Step 2 for Part 3 buildings; Step 2 for wood frame Part 3 buildings six-storey or less; Step 3 for Part 9 buildings) in 2022 to come into effect in 2023.
6. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Transportation	Active Transportation Plan initiated 2022: https://www.viewroyal.ca/EN/main/town/projects/active-transportation-plan.html
7. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Community	Organics diversion of household food waste: 380.43 tonnes in 2021 Adopted Community Climate Action Strategy in 2022 Adopted Building Bylaw Amendments to implement Step Code
8. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Climate Resilience	Currently seeking quotes to undertake energy audits of municipal buildings; climate change and particularly sea level rise will be considered in the development of the new Helmcken Centennial Park master plan; participating in regional engagement on LCES option for new construction--anticipate further bylaw amendments in late 2023 on this topic: Official Community Plan review (2022) includes a significant focus on climate adaptation and building resilience in the community. An example of this is the proposed new Development Permit Area specific to wildfire forest interface zones.

12. From 2021 to now, has your local government or Modern Treaty Nation taken any action(s) to address climate impacts?	1. Extreme Heat Vulnerability Plan under development 2. In planning stage to initiate a Sea Level Rise Adaptation Plan in 2023
13. Has a climate risk and vulnerability assessment (or similar assessment) been undertaken for your local government or Modern Treaty Nation?	No, but we are intending to propose one undertake one in the next few years
15. Are you responding to this survey on behalf of a Modern Treaty Nation?	No
16. Based on the hazard you indicated as most significant in question 14, as a local government, which groups are most exposed/vulnerable to the impacts of that climate hazard?	"Property owners", "Seniors"
17. Based on the hazard you indicated as second most significant in question 14, as a local government, which groups are most exposed/vulnerable to the impacts of that climate hazard?	"Low-income households", "Indigenous peoples", "Racialized communities", "Newcomers to Canada (immigrants and refugees)", "People experiencing homelessness", "Seniors"
19. Select the top three factors your local government or Modern Treaty Nation needs most to increase the capacity to adapt to climate impacts and build community resilience.	"Increased funding", "More partnerships and collaboration across levels of government", "Increased staff capacity"
20. How does your local government or Modern Treaty Nation ensure equitable access to, and distribution of, climate action opportunities and benefits?	"There are no specific measures in place at this time to ensure equitable access to, and distribution of, opportunities and benefits"
21. Do the climate action plan(s) and priorities of your local government or Modern Treaty Nation align with the climate action plans and priorities of senior levels of government?	"Yes, we align climate action plan(s) and priorities with the federal 2030 Emissions Reduction Plan", "Yes, we align climate action plan(s) and priorities with the provincial CleanBC Roadmap to 2030"

22. Is your local government a signatory to the B.C. Climate Action Charter or a Modern Treaty Nation?	Yes
23. To demonstrate commitment to climate action, climate investments (i.e., matching funding or in-kind contributions) equivalent to 20% of the provincial funding received are required of local governments and Modern Treaty Nations. The intent is to show past, current, and future investments in climate action and create awareness and education.	"Staff time", "Climate or energy studies and/or assessments", "Climate or energy plans, policies and/or strategy development"
24. Please provide your (or survey primary contact's) first and last name.	Jeff Chow
25. Please indicate your (or survey primary contact's) position with your local government or Modern Treaty Nation.	Senior Planner
27. Please provide your (or survey primary contact's) business phone number.	2502178883



Local Government Climate Action Program Attestation Form

Instructions for the Attestor:

1. Complete and sign this form by filling in the fields below.
2. Email the completed and signed form to LGCAP@gov.bc.ca.

I, the Chief Financial Officer, or equivalent position, of _____ (name of local government) confirm the following:

1. That Local Government Climate Action Program funding has been, or will be, allocated to climate action.
2. That if funds are held in reserve, they will be spent by the end of March 2025.
3. That a completed and signed version of this form will be submitted by email to the Climate Action Secretariat, Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy by July 29, 2022.
 - a. If council approval is required, it will be submitted no later than September 30, 2022.
4. That a completed and signed version of this form will be publicly posted by September 30, 2022.
5. That a completed and exported version of the program survey (submitted online) will be publicly posted by September 30, 2022.

Attested to by me at (name of local government) _____
on (date) _____ 20_____

Signature of Attestor:

Printed Name of Attestor:

Title or Profession of Attestor (i.e. Chief Financial Officer or equivalent position):

Telephone Number of Attestor:

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