



Local Government Climate Action Program Survey Submission Report

Greenwood

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Question	Answer
1. Does your local government or Modern Treaty Nation have a climate action plan or strategy?	No, but we are intending to undertake one in the next two years
2. For the calendar year 2021, did your local government or Modern Treaty Nation measure and publicly disclose corporate greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions?	No, corporate GHG emissions are not currently being measured, but we are currently undertaking one and it will be completed in the next two years
3. For calendar year 2021, did your local government or Modern Treaty Nation measure and publicly disclose a community-wide emissions inventory?	No, but we are intending to undertake a community GHG inventory in the next two years
4. Is your local government or Modern Treaty Nation tracking progress on its community-wide GHG reduction target?	No
4.e. If no, select all that apply:	"No, but we are planning to introduce a new target in the next two years"
5. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Buildings	-City owned buildings have been converting to LED lighting over the past several years. -Old appliances are being replaced with energy efficient ones.

6. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Transportation	-The City installed downtown bike racks in 2022 to promote bike use. -The City partnered with FortisBC to bring 2 EV charging stations to Greenwood. The first was installed in 2018 and the second in 2021.
7. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Community	-None to date. A new OCP update is planned to be undertaken in 2023 and will include a climate action plan.
8. Describe up to four climate initiatives, and their outcomes, your local government or Modern Treaty Nation is currently undertaking for Climate Resilience	-None to date. A new OCP update is planned to be undertaken in 2023 and will include a climate action plan.
9. Which elements of your community's current official community plan (OCP) (or other relevant strategies, policies and/or plans) support the creation of more complete, compact communities?	-None to date. A new OCP update is planned to be undertaken in 2023 and will include a climate action plan.
10. What actions has your local government or Modern Treaty Nation taken to increase community completeness and compactness since 2020 (e.g. urban containment boundary, increasing density by allowing secondary suites and laneway or carriage housing options)?	-The City introduced secondary suites and carriage homes into the zoning bylaw in 2021.
11. What data would be most valuable to your local government or Modern Treaty Nation in decision-making related to the creation of complete, compact communities?	-Stormwater management plan and a capacity assessment of the City's existing water, sewer and drainage systems. -Housing Needs Assessment
12. From 2021 to now, has your local government or Modern Treaty Nation taken any action(s) to address climate impacts?	-Nothing major to date. A new OCP update is planned to be undertaken in 2023 and will include a climate action plan.
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 undertake one in the next two years

14. What are the three most significant climate hazards faced by your jurisdiction	"Wildfire", "Extreme heat and heat stress", "Overland flooding", "Ecological, cultural and/or human health impacts (examples of cultural impacts include threats to identities, languages, and livelihoods; examples of ecological impacts include biodiversity loss, erosion, invasive species, ecosystem changes)", "Extreme cold, snow and ice", "Water shortage", "Wind, rain, and other storm events", "Coastal flooding, storm surge events and/or other coastal hazards"
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?	"Low-income households", "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", "Seniors"
18. Based on the hazard you indicated as third 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", "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?	"No, there is no process currently for multilevel government collaboration and alignment of climate plans and implementation"

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"
24. Please provide your (or survey primary contact's) first and last name.	Marcus Lebler
25. Please indicate your (or survey primary contact's) position with your local government or Modern Treaty Nation.	CAO



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 The City of Greenwood (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) The City of Greenwood
on (date) July 25 20 22

Signature of Attestor: 

Printed Name of Attestor: Marcus Lebler

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

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