



## ClimateActionWR Community Leadership Table

March 2024

**The new ClimateActionWR Collective is now seeking members to sit on our Community Leadership Table. Apply by April 12th, 2024 to be considered for our first term.**

*Together we are building a better future, guided by our community greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction target of 50% by the year 2030 (below 2010 levels), and an 80% reduction by 2050. **We are looking for community leaders to guide this vision to a more equitable, prosperous, resilient and low-carbon community.** We must act urgently to reduce our local emissions and we can't do it without the right people at the table ensuring we are supporting the whole community with focus on those who are already most marginalized and will continue to be disproportionately affected. If you are a leader in the community, concerned about the climate crisis and understand the important role you can play, **please apply to join the ClimateActionWR Collective.***

In order to achieve the sustainable, equitable, and comprehensive community-wide mobilization that is required to make significant emissions reductions, we must build capacity in the way we govern our program and formalize the role of more community leadership voices in this important work.

**ClimateActionWR is looking for members of the Community Leadership Table who share our vision, passion and recognize the opportunities for impact by working collectively. This committee will build consensus around community wide climate action priorities by setting the strategic direction and short term goals of the Collective. Members bring expertise, knowledge and decision making authority in key local climate transition capacities.** We are seeking expertise from leaders in our community that bring a diverse perspective, unique skill sets and experience, and who bring expertise in the following key climate transition areas:

- Socio-economic transition expertise;
- Economic development;
- Major institutions (post-secondary, insurance, school boards, etc.);
- Public health;
- Infrastructure & community design;
- Equity, diversity, inclusion and access;
- Policy/ intergovernmental;
- Energy transition.

The knowledge, capacity and connections of a more diverse collaborative team will enable greater progress towards all actions in TransformWR.



### **The ClimateActionWR Commitment**

ClimateActionWR is committed to creating an accessible and diverse culture where everyone belongs. We commit to actively working to empower full participation of committee members and ensure fair treatment within the Collective. We believe diversity strengthens our organization, and we strongly encourage applications from qualified candidates of any background. For more detailed information, please see the ClimateActionWR Collective Engagement Principles in the Terms of Reference.

### **Benefits Of Joining The Community Leadership Table:**

- Contribute to the acceleration of local climate action implementation that results in significant reductions of greenhouse gas emissions and address the many intersecting social issues that will better our community;
- Apply your unique skills, perspectives and expertise to the climate crisis;
- Build more knowledge of climate change and sustainability;
- Integrate your networks and organizations and into the local climate movement.

### **Community Leadership Table recruitment process:**

1. Review the full [Recruitment Package](#)
2. Send us a letter of application for the Community Leadership Table, by email, that includes your reasons for your interest, alignment with the mandate of the committee, and knowledge of equity in climate action. Please include your resume or CV as well.
  - a. So that we can ensure a wide breadth expertise among the group, we ask that in your letter of interest you please identify which area(s) of expertise you most align with:
    - Socio-economic transition expertise;
    - Economic development;
    - Major institutions (post-secondary, insurance, school boards, etc.);
    - Public health;
    - Infrastructure & community design;
    - Equity, diversity, inclusion & access;
    - Policy/ intergovernmental;
    - Energy transition.
3. The ClimateActionWR Staff team and Executive Directors will assess candidate packages and may elect to set up a coffee chat or video conference to learn more about your interest in joining the Community Leadership Table.
4. Candidates will be assessed on their:
  - a. Knowledge of aforementioned areas of expertise;
  - b. Alignment with committee mandate and/or knowledge of equity in climate action;
  - c. Broad and differentiating skill set to ensure broad representation of key impact and transition areas across the committee;



- d. and representation of the region geographically.
5. One or two year term begins for Community Leadership Table members at the first Community Leadership Table meeting in May.