

COP26 GLASGOW





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Questions we will explore

- What is COP26?
- How did the Citizens' Climate delegation engage?
- What was achieved?
- How will COP26 outcomes affect our climate future?
- How do we build on this foundation in 2022?

Learn more at <u>CitizensClimate.earth/Glasgow-Pact</u>



United Nations Climate Change negotiations process

The United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change requires cooperative international action "to prevent dangerous anthropogenic interference with the climate system".

The Conference of Parties (to the Convention), or COP, is a meeting of 196 nations, meeting as the COP, as the COP acting on the Kyoto Protocol, and as the COP acting on the Paris Agreement, and as 2 Subsidiary Bodies.

Every COP is actually 5 COPs—the COP, the CMP, the CMA, the SBI, and the SBSTA.

Learn more at <u>UNFCCC.int</u>



Why COP26 was so important

All 197 Parties (nations*) make Nationally Determined Contributions to implement the Paris Agreement...

To prevent dangerous interference with the climate system...

To limit global heating to 1.5°C...

The COP26 was both formally and popularly tasked with achieving a major increase in ambition of NDCs and in the active mobilization of climate solutions.

Science finds that unless we reduce global emissions by half by 2030 (9 years) we cannot avoid persistent climate emergency.



YOUR DAY AT COP26

Always follow official guidance from the UK and Scotland governments, the COP26 Presidency, the UNFCCC Secretariat, and relevant public health authorities. This is a general overview for provisional planning purposes only.

Wake up 1-2 hours before you need to leave.

<u>Take your LFD COVID self-test early</u> (results take 30 minutes to process).

Prep / dress / breakfast / read test results.

Report your test results digitally, before leaving your accommodation...

If your test is positive, you are required to selfisolate for 10 days or until you get a negative PCR test.

You will be prompted to order a PCR test.

If the self-isolation affects your return travel dates, you may be eligible for assistance from UK or from UNFCCC solidarity fund.

If your test is negative, you can go to COP26 or other events...

Make sure you have your COP26 badge + proof of your negative test result.

Wear a mask in any shared transit (car, bus, or train).

Plan for extra time at security before your 1st meeting...

At COP26, wear your mask at all times (unless you are BOTH seated AND actively eating).

Do not crowd around negotiating rooms or around people you wish to meet.

Maintain 1-2 meters social distance.

Use COP26 Platform when room is full.

After COP26 or outside events...

Avoid bars or crowded restaurants, where risk of COVID transmission is highest.

Try to meet outdoors or in large open spaces whenever possible.

Plan to eat at your accommodation if possible.



Citizens' Climate work at COP26

- 15 badges per week (our most ever)
- 23 total delegates (larger than 30% of national delegations)
- 33 team members in Glasgow, representing 15 countries
- Overall team, including remote support: 46
- 6 team-members with Party (country) badges
- 50+ bilateral meetings
- Meetings with 11 ministers or heads of state
- People's Pavilion 51 sessions
- Isatis Cintrón addressing the High-Level Segment
- 310 contacts and leaders tracked, across 531 affiliations
- 237 events + tracking affiliations



Major new voluntary commitments

Powering Past Coal
Alliance
168 countries

Regen 10
Regen Ag for 500
million farmers

Glasgow Financial Alliance for Net Zero \$130 trillion AUM

Methane Pledge 105 nations to cut emissions 30 x 30

Ending Deforestation

More than 100 countries, 91% of forests, \$19.2 billion

Zero Emissions Transport

More than 100 nations, cities, states, and businesses

Clydebank Shipping Declaration

19 Countries sign up to zero-emissions shipping routes

FACT

Countries with more than 75% of global trade to develop green commodities

Nature, People, Planet

MDBs will foster nature-positive policy + investment

AIM4C

30 countries to work on accelerating sustainable agriculture with \$4 billion in new funding



COP26 official outcomes

Glasgow Pact — "cover decision" from COP / CMP / CMA

- First ever global commitment to phase down use of coal
- Global commitment to phase out fossil fuel subsidies (FFS)
- Question of what "inefficient" means, for FFS
- Frames Convention mandate (avoiding danger) as requiring "rapid, deep and sustained reductions in global greenhouse gas emissions, (45 per cent by 2030) in line with 1.5°C
- Doubling financial support for Adaptation
- Rulebook for Paris Agreement Article 6, paragraphs 2 (emissions trading), 4
 (Paris ETS mechanism), and 8 (non-market approaches)
- International Financial Institutions to consider climate vulnerabilities in concessional financial and other forms of support, including Special Drawing Rights
- Glasgow Work Programme for Action for Climate Empowerment (public information & climate civics)
- Glasgow Dialogue between Parties, relevant organizations and stakeholders for funding of activities to avert, minimize and address loss and damage



Article 6.8: "Non-market approaches"

Non-market approaches (NMA) to overall mitigation of global emissions (OMGE):

- Allow nations to cooperate to secure a faster pace of decarbonization
- Signal wisdom of climate income policies, to set strong carbon prices
- Make room for carbon border adjustments, to ensure climate leaders don't lose trade to pollution offshoring
- Increase likelihood of international "floor price" for carbon pollution
- Recognize regulatory measures that mandate accounting, disclosure, and avoidance of carbon-related liabilities
- Create conditions for climate-smart, nature-positive financial instruments
- Link Special Drawing Rights (SDR) to Paris Agreement action and funding
- Expand opportunity for mainstreaming of climate-smart finance
- Invite integration of Earth science data platforms into financial decision-making information flows
- Empower existing international institutions to become engines for climate action incentives and enforcement



High-Level carbon pricing dialogue

Highest-level discussion ever at COP of:

- climate income
- border adjustments
- trade as enforcement
- floor price
- SDRs to vastly expand climate finance
- non-market approaches





The Canadian example...

Backstop Policy - only provinces that don't have equivalent carbon pricing



Consumer Pollution Price

2019 - \$20 tonne 2022 - \$50 tonne Plans: incrementally rise

to \$170 tonne by 2030

Rebate for Family of 4

2021 data

ON \$600, **MB** \$720,

SK \$1,000, **AB** \$981

>60% families come out ahead Rural + 10%

2019 - 2021 via income tax 2022 via 4 direct rebates

90% returned to households10% returned to MUSH



Heavy Industry OBPS currently CBAMs / BCAs studied

If Canada's carbon pricing was fully implemented in industry (in lieu of OBPS) and had BCAs we would surpass our Paris commitments

OBPS = Output Based Pricing System



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How CCL Canada made it happen

We did what we were told would work. We documented everything. We sent out action sheets and met every single month like clockwork. We pulled relentlessly on the 5 levers of political will. We submitted countless documents as citizens from across Canada to the Pan-Canadian Framework on Clean Growth and Climate Change...

- Between 2010 and 2015 CCL Canada grew to 28 chapters in 70 ridings, conducted three national conferences, lobbied about 250 times, produced professional TV commercials and documented 865 times our words appeared newspapers.
- Between 2016 and 2017 we grew to 36 chapters covering 85 ridings, conducted five national conferences, lobbied 489 times, recorded 1302 appearances in newspapers and sent 1,548 letters to parliament.
- 3. In 2018 we conducted two national conferences, we grew to 38 chapters covering about 100 ridings, conducted 2 national conferences, 728 appearances in newspapers and recorded 525 letters sent to parliament.
- In October 2018 were 13th time lucky lobbying on Parliament Hill. That is when we found out Canada would be enacting a climate income policy.

PAN-CANADIAN FRAMEWORK



on Clean Growth and Climate Change

Canada's Plan to Address Climate
Change and Grow the Economy















CCL Canada in action











What have we learned since Climate Income became law?

From a **political** perspective:

- 1. Parties can get re-elected with a climate income policy.
- 2. Canada was a founding member of the World Bank-hosted Carbon Pricing Leadership Coalition.
- 3. Governments must consult all stakeholders when developing a carbon pricing policy.
- 4. Words matter: "pricing pollution" / "making polluters pay".
- 5. A climate income rebate that people can see is best.
- 6. Tax reform can pay for the low carbon transition.
- 7. Our PM Trudeau is empowered. At COP 26, he said:



"Just as globally we've agreed to a minimum corporate tax, we must work together to ensure it's no longer free to pollute anywhere around the world. That means establishing a shared minimum standard for pricing pollution." - PM Trudeau, November 2, 2021



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From an **activist's** perspective we learned:

- 1. The politicians need our help.
- For countries with direct representation of their lawmakers building political will at the grassroots level one constituency at a time by pulling on the 5 levers of political will is key.
- 3. Document everything.
- 4. You have to be more than an internet group. You have to have conferences and lobbying days.
- 5. Celebrate every success.
- 6. Be prepared for pushback when the policy is announced.
- 7. The policy will not be perfect on the first iteration and will need to be refined and protected for years to come.
- 8. There is a need for funding for groups that do effective organizing and grassroots education by citizenry about evidence-based climate policy outside the USA.













Climate civics as a lever for raising ambition

Citizen engagement and grassroots support are key for policy implementation and actively aligned with Article 12 of the Paris Agreement—Action for Climate Empowerment.

The climate income policy impacts positively on all 17 of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals for 2030.





















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Nigeria Lobby Training

Held right before COP26

- Training and coordination are a critical piece of the citizen volunteer lobby experience.
- We are a team.
- By working together, we expand our reach and create a more solid foundation for political will.





Nigeria Lobby Day

Shape your world.







Civics for Science Activation

In 2022, we will be working with citizen volunteers around the world to develop special skills for providing local policy and economic context, related to science insights.

This is critical, because many lawmakers and local policy-makers don't have the scientific or economic expertise in their teams to ensure best-case climate policy and finance mobilization.

The active engagement of citizens and stakeholders will be one of the foundational actions for ensuring private-sector commitments and national policy move fast enough.

The future is in all of our hands.



The Road to COP27

Jan - CCI Science Activation Trainings

Apr - World Bank / IMF Spring Meetings

Apr - CPLC High-Level Assembly

Apr - 3rd Good Food Finance High-Level Roundtable

Apr - Global Freshwaters Summit

Apr - Earth Day Citizens' Forum

May - ICIA Climate Income Forum

Jun - SB56 mid-year UNFCCC negotiations

Jun - CCL 2022 Annual Conference

Sep - UN General Assembly

Oct - World Bank / IMF Annual Meetings

Oct - 4th Good Food Finance High-Level Roundtable

Nov - COP27 Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt







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Time For Questions

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Thank you for joining us today

To follow up on today's discussion:

- Join a local Citizens' Climate volunteer chapter at <u>www.CitizensClimate.earth</u>
- Sign up for our new newsletter at www.CitizensClimateIntl.news
- Read more about COP26 at <u>www.CitizensClimate.earth/glasgow-pact</u>