

# Community Conversations: Climate Action

To inform the creation of a Community Climate Action Plan

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# County of Huron Climate Action

- **Corporate Climate Change Adaptation Plan**

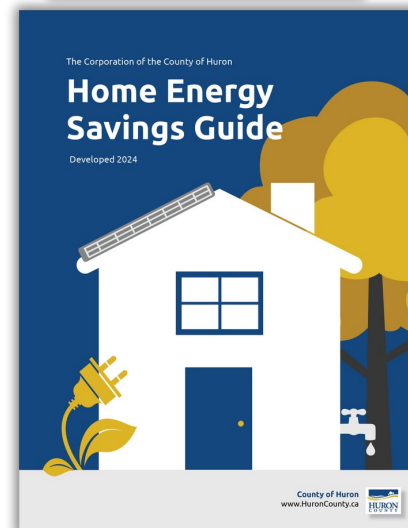
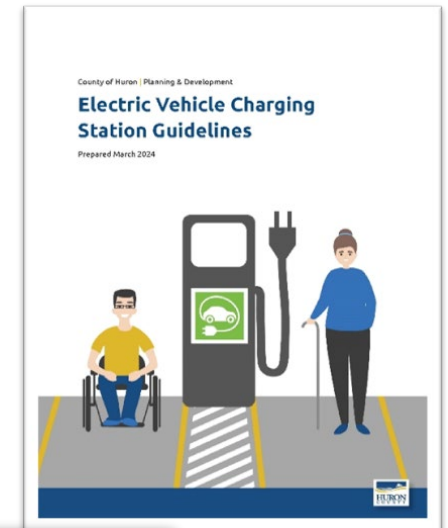
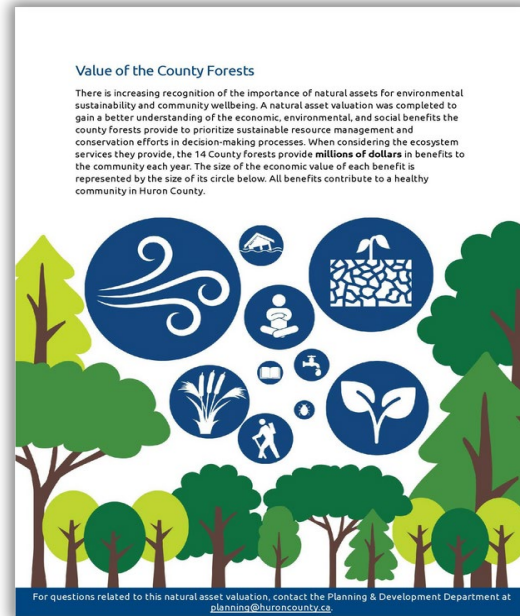
- 5 priority Areas for actions
- 14 goals
- 63 actions



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# Climate Action Plan Update: Purpose

- Build on established successes to date
- Make informed decisions based on updated climate risks and impacts in Huron County
- Combine corporate and community feedback to understand desired actions
- Continue partnerships with local environmental groups and organizations
- Position Huron County as a rural leader in climate action
- Optimize on external funding opportunities

# Climate Action Plan: Timeline

## Corporate Consultation

- **February/March** – Corporate and Community Survey
- **June** – Corporate Leadership Workshop: Climate Risk, Vision and Actions
- **Summer** – Community conversations with relevant groups and organizations
- **Fall** - Possible follow-up regarding goals & actions with Directors

## Plan Development

- **July/August** – Analyze information, develop vision/goals, and start to draft actions
- **September/October** – Finalize draft plan including content and actions
- **November/December** – Final approval and sign-off on climate action plan

# Climate Action Plan: Public Engagement

- Community Survey – over 350 respondents!
- Community Conversations:
  - Lakeshore Eco-Network
  - Lake Huron Coastal Centre
  - Conservation Authorities
  - Municipalities
  - Bluewater Environmental Committee
  - Huron Stewardship Council



# Question:

What are the main objectives and goals of your committee?



# Question 1:

What environmental or climate change-related challenges is your community currently facing?





## Question 2:

What programs or actions is your committee already taking to increase climate change resiliency in the community?



# Question 3:

What gaps have you identified in environmental or climate action locally?



# Question 4:

How can the County  
best partner with  
your committee to  
advance climate  
action?



Thank you!

