# **INCOMPLETE GUIDE TO CLIMATE ACTION**

Empowering Global Efforts on the Local Level



# WELCOME!

### A Note from 350 Marin

If you're new to Marin County, or if you're new to climate action, this document is intended to introduce you to the main stakeholders and key players in the climate movement in Marin, provide a diverse array of opportunities for community members, students, and educators to implement climate action into their practices, and consolidate varied climate resources, such as available county, state, and federal rebates and information on electrification, into one document.

Use this guide as you see fit. We all bring a different set of skills and perspectives to the fight against climate change, and any expectation to whole-heartedly involve yourself in every sphere-political, non-profits, education, etc.-is unrealistic. Instead of overwhelming yourself trying to involve yourself in all areas possible, let this guide reveal your place in the climate fight, as certain sections resonate with your own experiences and strengths. After informing yourself with this guide, we encourage you to pass it along and share the knowledge with your neighbors and community. Together we can make a big impact.

We acknowledge that this document is ever-changing, an "incomplete" guide to climate action in Marin. In this day and age, climate regulations, rebates, and county and town goals are constantly evolving. 350Marin's hope for this document is to update its information as needed, but also to let provided links in each section serve as landing pages for your own discovery.

We hope this guide functions as a useful tool in your growing climate activism. See our website for upcoming events and opportunities to get involved.

**Comments or suggestions?** Email us at <u>info@350Marin.org</u> <u>https://350marin.org/</u>

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# I. ORGANIZATIONS, AGENCIES, & BUSINESSES

# **Start Here:**

# MARIN CLIMATE & ENERGY PARTNERSHIP:

The Marin Climate & Energy Partnership (MCEP) is a collaboration of 11 municipalities, the County of Marin, and 3 public agencies. The MCEP website is a great landing page to learn about your city's recent greenhouse gas inventory and countywide progress against climate change. <u>https://marinclimate.org</u>

# I. LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES

Click the provided link to read your municipality's Climate Action Plan

Compare your municipality's goals to the state's goals.

CLIMATE ACTION PLAN: <u>https://www.gov.ca.gov/2022/11/16/california-releases-</u> worlds-first-plan-to-achieve-net-zero-carbon-pollution/

California State Climate Strategy: <u>ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/ab-32-</u> <u>climate-change-scoping-plan/2022-scoping-plan-documents</u>

- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 1990 levels by 2030; carbon neutral by 2045
- 100% of electricity will be carbon free by 2045, and in 2046, the state will begin to drawdown CO2

#### **COUNTY OF MARIN**

https://www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: Dana Armanino <u>darmanino@marincounty.org</u>
- County Supervisors/Municipal Elected Officials: Mary Sackett, Katie Rice (set to retire), Stephanie Moulton-Peters, Dennis Rodoni, Eric Lucan
- GHG Emissions Goal: Cut GHG to below zero emissions by 2045.

#### BELVEDERE

www.cityofbelvedere.org/223/Sustainable-Belvedere

- Municipal Elected Officials: Peter Mark (Mayor), Jane Cooper (Vice Mayor), Sally Wilkinson, Nancy Kemnitzer, James Lynch
- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 1990 levels by 2030; 80% below 1990 levels by 2050

#### **CORTE MADERA**

www.townofcortemadera.org/1151/Climate-Sustainability

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: Phoebe Goulden pgoulden@tcmmail.org
- Climate Action Committee: David Johnson, Chair
- Climate Action Committee Page: <u>www.townofcortemadera.org/876/Climate-</u> <u>Action-Committee</u>
- Municipal Elected Officials: Eli Beckman (Mayor), Pat Ravasio (Vice Mayor), Fred Casissa, Charles Lee, Rosa Thomas
- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 1990 levels by 2030; 80% below 1990 levels by 2050

#### FAIRFAX

#### https://www.townoffairfax.org/departments/climate-and-environment/

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: unfilled (as of 3/12/2024)
- Fairfax Climate Action Committee: Jody Timms, Chair
- Climate Action Committee Page: <u>www.townoffairfax.org/climate-action-</u> <u>committee/</u>
- Municipal Elected Officials: Barbara Coler (Mayor), Lisel Blash (Vice Mayor), Bruce Ackerman, Chance Cutrano, and Stephanie Hellman
- GHG Emissions Goal: 100% GHG emissions reduction by 2030

#### LARKSPUR

#### www.ci.larkspur.ca.us/156/Climate-Action

- Larkspur Climate Group: David and Robin Moller
- Municipal Elected Officials: Scot Candell (Mayor), Catherine Way (Vice Mayor), Kevin Carroll, Gabe Paulson, Stephanie Andre
- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 1990 levels by 2030; 80% below 1990 levels by 2050

#### **MILL VALLEY**

www.cityofmillvalley.org/514/Sustainability-Efforts

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: Grace Ledwith <u>gledwith@cityofmillvalley.org</u>
- Mill Valley Climate Action Plan (CAP) Task Force: Debbie Alley (Chair), Al Grumet (Vice Chair), Susan Gladwin (Committee Member)
- Municipal Elected Officials: Urban Carmel (Mayor), Stephen Burke (Vice Mayor), Jim Wickman, Max Perrey, Caroline Joachim
- GHG Emissions Goal: 47% below 1990 levels by 2030; carbon neutrality by 2045

#### NOVATO

#### https://www.novato.org/government/sustainability

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: Gretchen Schubeck gschubeck@novato.org
- Novato Sustainability Commission: Bob Brown, Chair
- Sustainability Commission Page: <u>www.novato.org/government/commissions-</u> <u>committees-boards/sustainability-commission?locale=en</u>
- Municipal Elected Officials: Mark Milberg (Mayor), Tim O'Connor(Mayor Pro Tem), Pat Eklund, Rachel Farac, Susan Wernick
- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 2005 emissions by 2035

#### ROSS

www.townofross.org/planning/page/climate-action-plan-and-sustainabilityinformation

- Municipal Elected Officials: Elisabeth Brekhus (Mayor), C. William Kircher Jr. (Mayor Pro Tem), P. Beach Kuhl, Julie McMillan, Elizabeth Robbins, G. Kelley Reid
- GHG Emissions Goal: No goal past 2020

#### SAN ANSELMO

https://www.townofsananselmo.org/636/Climate-Action-and-Sustainability

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: unfilled at this time
- San Anselmo Climate Action Commission: Sue Saunders, Chair
- Climate Action Commission Page: <u>www.townofsananselmo.org/190/Climate-Action-</u> <u>Commission</u>
- Municipal Elected Officials: Eileen Burk (Mayor), Tarrell Kullaway (Vice Mayor), Brian Colbert, Alexis Fineman, Steve Burdo
- GHG Emissions Goal: 54% below 2005 levels by 2030; 80% below 1990 levels by 2050

#### SAN RAFAEL

https://www.cityofsanrafael.org/departments/sustainability/

- Sustainability Program Manager: Cory Bytof <u>cory.bytof@cityofsanrafael.org</u>
- Climate Adaptation and Resilience Planner: Kate Hagemann -<u>Kate.hagemann@cityofsanrafael.org</u>
- Sustainable San Rafael: Bill Carney
  - https://www.sustainablesanrafael.org/
- Municipal Elected Officials: Kate Colin (Mayor), Maika Llorens Gulati, Eli Hill, Maribeth Bushey, Rachel Kertz
- GHG Emissions Goal: 40% below 1990 levels by 2030; 80% below 1990 levels by 2050

#### SAUSALITO

www.sausalito.gov/city-government/boards-and-commissions/sustainabilitycommission

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinators: Catie Thou Garcia <u>cthowgarcia@sausalito.gov</u>
- Sausalito Sustainability Commission: Greg Thomson, Chair
- Sustainability Commission Page: <u>www.sausalito.gov/city-government/boards-and-commissions/sustainability-commission</u>
- Municipal Elected Officials: Ian Patrick Sobieski (Mayor), Joan Cox, (Vice Mayor), Melissa Blaustein, Jill James Hoffman, Janelle Kellman
- GHG Emissions Goal: 50% below 2005 levels by 2030

#### TIBURON

#### https://www.townoftiburon.org/338/Green-Government

- Climate Action & Sustainability Coordinator: Grace Ledwith <u>gledwith@cityofmillvalley.org</u>
- Tiburon Climate Action Committee: Sanna Thomas
- Municipal Elected Officials: Alice Fredericks (Mayor), Holli P. Thier (Vice Mayor), Jon Welner, Jack Ryan, Isaac Nikfar
- GHG Emissions Goal: 50% below 1990 levels by 2030; carbon neutrality by 2045

#### MarinCASCollaborative

The Marin Climate Action & Sustainability (CAS) Collaborative is an informal network open to 1-2 community volunteers per municipality who serve on existing local government committees and commissions; and additional climate leaders from non-profits and in communities without a formal structure who are dedicated to supporting local government action on behalf of climate change. It typically meets on Zoom on the 3rd Thursday of each month, and is currently hosted and facilitated by the Chair of the Fairfax Climate Action Committee, Jody Timms. Contact jodytimms@comcast.net for further information.

# **SUMMARY: COMPARING GOALS**

#### **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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#### COUNTY OF MARIN

GHG Emissions Goal:

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# **II. COUNTYWIDE ENTITIES**





#### **County of Marin**

#### www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability

Learn about upcoming sustainability events, energy efficiency programs, rebates, building requirements, and more

• Electrify Marin – Natural Gas Appliance Rebate Program for single-family property owners:

www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability/electrify

- Marin Grand Jury Reports: <a href="http://www.marincounty.org/depts/gj/reports-and-responses">www.marincounty.org/depts/gj/reports-and-responses</a>
- Recent Climate-Related Reports:
  - Electrical Resiliency It's Time to Do More (Green Energy & Microgrids): <u>https://www.marincounty.org/-/media/files/departments/gj/reports-</u> <u>responses/2022-23/electrical-resiliency--its-time-to-do-more.pdf?la=en</u>
  - Climate Change: How Will Marin Adapt?: <u>www.marincounty.org/-/media/files/departments/gj/reports-</u> <u>responses/2019-20/climate-change--how-will-marin-adapt.pdf?la=en</u>
  - SMART at a Crossroads Here Today, Gone Tomorrow?: <u>www.marincounty.org/-/media/files/departments/gj/reports-</u> <u>responses/2022-23/smart-at-a-crossroads.pdf?la=en</u>

### Marin Clean Energy

#### www.mcecleanenergy.org

A not-for-profit public agency community choice aggregator (CCA), which selects and purchases cleaner energy supplies that are delivered through existing wires to locals, while hiring locals for energy projects. Founded in 2010, with the support of local climate officials and activists, MCE has eliminated over 700,000 metric tons of GHGs and saved customers over \$31.5 million. Serves most cities in the counties of Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, and Solano.

# Transportation Authority of Marin (TAM)

#### <u>www.tam.ca.gov</u>

TAM organizes the projects and programs necessary for "improving overall mobility, including roads, highways, sidewalks, Safe Routes to School, bicycle lanes, transit and alternative commute options." Funded by Marin County voter support of transportation funding (Measure AA and Measure B). Organization is governed by multiple committees, including those made up of public officials, local citizens, and volunteers.

# **COUNTYWIDE ENTITIES (CONT'D)**



#### **Water Services**

- Marin Water <u>www.marinwater.org</u>
  - A publicly owned and managed water system, Marin Municipal Water District is the first municipal water district in California. Today MMWD serves more than 191,000 people in central and southern Marin at reasonable prices with 100 percent locally sourced drinking water.
- North Marin Water District <u>https://nmwd.com/</u>
  - The District provides water service to the greater Novato area (76 square miles), and the West Marin Point Reyes area (23 square miles including Point Reyes Station, Inverness Park, Bear Valley, Olema and Paradise Ranch Estates area).
- Stinson Beach County Water District <u>http://stinsonwater.org/</u>
  - The District serves the Stinson Beach Village along Shoreline Highway and Panoramic Highway surrounded by Golden Gate National Recreation Area boundary. Its services include water service including treatment plant and system maintenance, garbage franchise, and on-site wastewater management.

#### **Sanitary Services**

- Marin Sanitary Service <u>https://marinsanitaryservice.com/</u>
  - Marin Sanitary Service provides weekly garbage, recycling and compostables (food scrap, yard waste and food-soiled paper) collection services to residential customers in San Rafael, San Anselmo, Ross, Kentfield, Kent Woodlands, Fairfax, Greenbrae, Larkspur and other unincorporated areas of Central Marin County. They currently service more than 30,000 residential accounts, almost one third of the population of Marin.
- Central Marin Sanitation Agency <a href="https://www.cmsa.us">https://www.cmsa.us</a>
  - CMSA is responsible for treating and disposing of wastewater and biosolids from Central Marin County and produces recycled water and renewable power. CMSA also regulates the commercial, industrial, and institutional discharges into the sewage collection system of member districts.
- Mill Valley Refuse Service <a href="https://www.millvalleyrefuse.com">https://www.millvalleyrefuse.com</a>
  - Mill Valley Refuse Service provides garbage, recycling, and compost collection services to Southern Marin. They offer a range of services, including debris boxes, street sweeping, storage boxes, and portable toilet rentals.
- Recology https://www.recology.com/recology-sonoma-marin/west-marin/
  - Recology provides services to West Marin and strives to find the best and highest use of all materials they collect, helping the community to divert as many materials as possible away from the landfill.







#### **CalEPA and Climate Action Teams**

#### calepa.ca.gov/climate-action/

View their Climate Action report cards to review state agencies' greenhouse gas emissions:

- California Air Resources Board (CARB): <u>ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/topics/climate-change</u>
  - CARB Scoping Plan: <u>ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/ab-32-climate-</u> <u>change-scoping-plan/2022-scoping-plan-documents</u>
  - The CARB's Scoping Plan lays a path for carbon neutrality no later than 2045.
- California Energy Commission: <u>www.energy.ca.gov/</u>
- CalRecycle: <u>calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/</u>
- California Water Boards: <u>www.waterboards.ca.gov/</u>
- California Department of Pesticide Regulation: <u>www.cdpr.ca.gov/</u>
- Department of Toxic Substances Control: <u>dtsc.ca.gov/</u>
- California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment: <u>oehha.ca.gov/</u>

### **California Climate Action Corps**

#### www.californiavolunteers.ca.gov/climateactioncorps/

The California Climate Action Corps Fellowship trains emerging leaders for 11 months, from September to August, to work with various communities on sustainability projects. Fellows engage in volunteer work, climate action, and education initiatives, focusing on urban greening, organic waste recovery, edible food redistribution, and wildfire resiliency.

### **SEI Climate Corps**

#### https://www.climatecorps.org/

Climate Corps is an award-winning fellowship program that provides professional development opportunities for emerging leaders by implementing sustainability and resiliency projects with local governments, nonprofits, and for-profit businesses. Host organizations receive the support of qualified, passionate, dedicated Fellows, who gain real-world expertise in sustainability project implementation. Climate Corps simultaneously addresses climate and sustainability projects and cultivates the next generation of environmental leaders. Since 2010, Climate Corps has worked with over 600 partners and 800 Fellows on 1,300 high-impact projects.

# **IV. GREEN BUSINESSES**

- Venture Pad: <u>www.venturepad.works/</u>
- Green River Sustainable Financial Services: greenriverfinserv.com
- Amy's Drive Thru, Corte Madera
- Sustainable Exchange, San Rafael
  - Refillery, near plastic and waste free
- Solstice Mercantile
  - Refillery
- Green Business Locator Marin County: www.greenbusinessca.org/marincounty
- Green Business Locator California: The Climate Center

#### **Second-Hand Stores**

#### Thrift

- St. Patrick's Thrift Shop, Larkspur
- Mt Carmel Shop, Mill Valley
- Marin Humane Thrift Shop, San Anselmo
- The Salvation Army, San Rafael
- Bloom, San Rafael
- Goodwill Store, San Rafael
- Hodge Podge Thrift Store, San Rafael
- Grace Thrift Shop, Fairfax
- Tiburon Thrift Shop, Tiburon

Consignment

- Swan Dive, Corte Madera
- Lola's Depot, Fairfax
- Magpie, Fairfax
- Shimmer, Fairfax
- Sugar Magnolia, Larkspur
- Diamonds in the Rough, Mill Valley
- The Warehouse, Mill Valley (furniture)
- Sax, San Anselmo
- SeeSaw Child's Consignment, San Anselmo
- Stella's Consignment, San Anselmo
- Couture Revival, San Rafael
- Encore Consignment of Marin, San Rafael
- Home Consignment Center, San Rafael
- Willow Grove Consignment, Sausalito
- Vintage Ruse, Tam Junction (vintage)



## **IV. GREEN BUSINESSES**

#### **Farmers Markets**

Year-round

- Thursday Marin Farmers' Market, San Rafael
  - When: Thursdays, 8 am 1 pm
  - www.agriculturalinstitute.org/thursday-marin
- Sunday Marin Farmers' Market, San Rafael
  - When: Sundays, 8 am 1 pm
  - <u>www.agriculturalinstitute.org/sunday-marin</u>
- Corte Madera Farmers' Market, Corte Madera
  - When: Wednesdays, noon 5 pm
  - www.marincommunityfarmersmarkets.org
- Marin Country Mart Farmers' Market, Larkspur Landing
  - When: Saturdays, 9 am 2 pm,
  - www.marincountrymart.com/farmers-market
- Mill Valley Farmers' Market, Mill Valley
  - When: Fridays, 9:30 am 2:30 pm
  - www.marincommunityfarmersmarkets.org
- Rollin' Root Farmer's Market, Greenbrae
  - When: Fridays, 1 2 pm
  - www.mymarinhealth.org/events-calendar/event-details/?Event=29839
- Strawberry Village Farmers Market, Strawberry Village
  - When: Tuesdays, 10 am 2:30 pm

Seasonal

- Novato Farmer's Market
  - When: Tuesdays May September, 4 pm 8 pm
  - http://communityfarmersmarkets.com/markets/#novato

#### • Point Reyes Farmer's Market

- When: Saturdays -June November, 9 am 1 pm
- http://www.pointreyesfarmersmarket.org
- Fairfax Farmer's Market
  - When: Wednesdays May September, 4 pm 8 pm
  - http://communityfarmersmarkets.com/markets/#fairfax
- San Rafael Summer Farmers Market
  - When: Thursdays, May 16th August 29th, 2024.
  - https://www.agriculturalinstitute.org/san-rafael-summer

# II. COMMUNITY GROUPS/NON-PROFITS

#### **350Marin**: <u>350marin.org</u>

- <u>350marin.org/contact-us/</u> or <u>info@350marin.org</u>
- 350BayArea: 350bayarea.org
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• info@350bayareaaction.org

#### 350: <u>350.org</u>

https://350.org/contact/

# **MARIN-SPECIFIC**

- MarinCAN: <u>www.marincounty.org/marincan</u>
  - Sam Ruben
- Marin Conservation League: <u>www.marinconservationleague.org</u>
  - Terri Thomas, <u>mcl@marinconservationleague.org</u>
- Sustainable Marin: <u>www.sustainablemarin.org/</u>
  - Join active chapters in Mill Valley, Novato, San Rafael/Fairfax
- Citizens Climate Lobby Marin Chapter: <u>citizensclimatelobby.org</u>
   <u>Peter Joseph</u>
- Zero Waste Marin: zerowastemarin.org/
   <u>Heather Abrams, Todd Cusimano, Jessica Deakyne, & Cristine Alilovich</u>
- Sierra Club Marin Group: <u>www.sierraclub.org/san-francisco-bay/marin/community-marin</u>
- Marin Carbon Project: <u>marincarbonproject.org/</u>
   Dr. Jeff Creque, John Wick, & Patricia Hickey
- West Marin Environmental Action Committee: www.eacmarin.org/
   Ashley Eagle-Gibbs
- Tamalpais Conservation Club: <u>www.tccmarin.org/</u>
- Marin Environmental Housing Collaborative: <u>marinmehc.org/</u>
- Resilient Neighborhoods
  - Jennifer Hammond, jennifer@resilientneighborhoods.org
- Green Change: <u>https://greenchange.net</u>

# REGIONAL

- Cool the Earth: <u>cooltheearth.org/</u>
  - Ride and Drive Clean Campaign: rideanddriveclean.org
  - Carleen Cullen, <u>ccullen@cooltheearth.org</u>
- Climate Reality Project Bay Area: <u>www.climaterealitybayarea.org/</u>
  - David and Robin Moller & Kevin Morrison
- BayREN: <u>www.bayren.org</u>
- Switch is On: switchison.org
- Quit Carbon: <u>www.quitcarbon.com</u>
- Greenbelt Alliance: <u>www.greenbelt.org/</u>
- Acterra: <u>acterra.org</u>
- Building Decarbonization Coalition: <u>buildingdecarb.org/initiatives/california</u>
- Green Home Tours:
  - www.maringreenhometour.org
  - www.eastbaygreenhome.com/program
- Third Act: <u>https://thirdact.org/working-groups/san-francisco-bay-area/</u>

# **STATEWIDE**

- The Climate Center: <u>theclimatecenter.org</u>
  - Ellie Cohen & Kurt Johnson, <u>ellie@theclimatecenter.org & kurt@theclimatecenter.org & info@theclimatecenter.org</u>
- CalCAN: <u>calclimateag.org/</u>
- Environment California: environmentamerica.org/california/
- California Environmental Voters: <u>envirovoters.org/</u>
- Sierra Club California: <u>www.sierraclub.org/california</u>
- California Clean Water Fund: <u>cleanwaterfund.org/states/california</u>
- Sustainable Conservation: <u>suscon.org/</u>

# **NATIONAL & GLOBAL**

- Rewiring America: <u>www.rewiringamerica.org</u>
- The Nature Conservancy: <u>www.nature.org/en-us/</u>
- Sunrise Movement: <u>www.sunrisemovement.org/</u>
- Greenpeace USA: <u>www.greenpeace.org/usa/</u>
- Carbon Tax Center: <u>www.carbontax.org/</u>
- The Cool Effect: <u>www.cooleffect.org/</u>
- Environmental Defense Fund: <u>www.edf.org/</u>
- World Resources Institute: <u>www.wri.org</u>
- Center for Biological Diversity: <u>www.biologicaldiversity.org/</u>
- Sierra Club: <u>https://www.sierraclub.org</u>
- The Trust for Public Land: <u>https://www.tpl.org/</u>

# III. GETTING INVOLVED

# **INTERNSHIPS**

- 350Marin: 350marin.org/350marin-internship-program/
- West Marin EAC: <u>https://www.eacmarin.org/internship-apply</u>
- Agricultural Institute of Marin (AIM): <u>www.agriculturalinstitute.org/technical-</u>
   <u>assistance</u>
- California Climate Action Corps: <a href="http://www.californiavolunteers.ca.gov/wanted-climate-champions-to-serve-in-california-climate-action-corps/">www.californiavolunteers.ca.gov/wanted-climate-champions-to-serve-in-california-climate-action-corps/</a>
- Wellkind: <u>www.wellkind.org/forestry-internship</u>
- Turtle Island Restoration Network: <a href="mailto:seaturtles.org/about-us/internships/">seaturtles.org/about-us/internships/</a>
- Marine Mammal Center: <u>www.marinemammalcenter.org/get-</u> involved/volunteer/sausalito/youth-crew
- Asian Pacific Environmental Network: <a href="mailto:apen4ej.org/get-involved/#Volunteer">apen4ej.org/get-involved/#Volunteer</a>
- Bay Model: <u>https://www.spn.usace.army.mil/Missions/Recreation/Bay-Model-</u> <u>Visitor-Center/The-Bay-Model-Journey/Be-a-Volunteer/</u>

# **OUTDOOR VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Marin County Parks: <u>www.parks.marincounty.org/discoverlearn/volunteer</u>
- Marin Water: <u>www.marinwater.org/volunteer</u>
- The Nature Conservancy: <u>https://www.nature.org/en-us/get-involved/how-to-help/volunteer/</u>
- Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy:
   <u>www.parksconservancy.org/volunteer/volunteer-projects-and-activities</u>
  - Marin Specific GGNPC Volunteer Programs: Restore & Monitor Critical Habitat, Marin Headlands Nursery, Golden Gate Trail Crew, and others
- Slide Ranch: <u>www.slideranch.org/volunteer</u>
- Turtle Island Restoration Network: <a href="mailto:seaturtles.org/events/">seaturtles.org/events/</a>
- The Marine Mammal Center: <a href="http://www.marinemammalcenter.org/get-involved/volunteer/sausalito/adult">www.marinemammalcenter.org/get-involved/volunteer/sausalito/adult</a>
- Marin Audubon Society: <u>marinaudubon.org/volunteer/</u>

# **IV. RESOURCES**

# **EDUCATING YOURSELF**

- Marin Climate & Energy Partnership Sustainability Tracker
  - <u>www.marintracker.org/</u>
- Resilient Neighborhoods Program: Free, online workshops to decarbonize your home and lifestyle collaboratively alongside neighbors
   <u>www.resilientneighborhoods.org/</u>
- Marin Conservation League Climate Action Working Group Meetings: Recordings from Jan-Hoffman, Feb-Carbon Sequestration, March-Electrifying Existing Buildings, April-Damon Connolly, May-Christine O'Rourke-EV Acceleration Plan, etc.
  - www.youtube.com/channel/UCFe4AywCNPrJOurzSvuAxBA
- MarinCAN Document Library:
  - Review the organization's Strategic Plan & Solutions pages: <u>www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability/climate-and-adaptation/marincan</u>
- Project Drawdown's Neighborhood in the Classroom & Community: Short documentary series featuring stories of climate solutions heroes
  - <u>www.jotform.com/220626542849158</u>

# **RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS**

- California Coastal Commission: Resources for California educators
  - www.coastal.ca.gov/publiced/directory/educate.html
- Marin RCD Scholarship: Supporting young interns

   www.marinrcd.org/scholarship-application/
- California Academy of Science: Educator Resources
  - www.calacademy.org/educators
- Climate Kids
  - <u>www.climatekids.org/</u>
- Marin School of Environmental Leadership: Four year high school program to support rising environmental leaders; located at Terra Linda High School
  - <u>thesel.org/</u>

# **EDUCATION**

#### • The Presidio Graduate School

- Located at University of Redlands, Marin Campus in San Anselmo, Presidio Graduate School's graduate programs integrate sustainability and social justice into the entire curriculum. At Presidio, students are immersed in a community of changemakers working to create a more just and sustainable world. Presidio students develop the mindset and skills to make a tangible, positive impact and will join a vibrant and growing community of passionate sustainability and social justice professionals.
  - https://www.presidio.edu/
- College of Marin
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# **HOME ELECTRIFICATION & SUSTAINABLE UPGRADES**

- Marin County Electrification Requirement: Am I Required to Go Electric?
  - www.marincounty.org/-/media/files/departments/cd/planning/sustainabili ty/green-
  - <u>building/marincountyelectrificationrequirementsinfographicnygs2023.pdf</u>
     FAQs -
  - https://www.marincounty.org/-/media/files/departments/cd/planning/sus tainability/electrify-marin/faq.pdf?la=en
- Marin Sustainability Program for Residents
  - <u>www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability/new-for-</u> residents-page
- Marin Sustainability Program for Realtors
  - <u>www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability/for-realtors-page</u>
- Rebates, Incentives, Financing
  - www.marincounty.org/depts/cd/divisions/sustainability/electrify
  - Additional Rebates Available at <u>BayREN</u> & <u>Tech Clean California</u>
  - Additional Federal, State, & County Rebates: <u>Rewiring America</u>, <u>The Switch is</u> On, Electrify Marin
- Quit Carbon: Free service that provides detailed report of ways to upgrade your home to clean energy
  - <u>www.quitcarbon.com/</u>
- Marin Green Home Tours
  - <u>https://www.maringreenhometour.org</u>:
- Ready, Set, Replace
  - o <u>https://www.readysetreplace.com/</u>

# **TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS & ELECTRIC VEHICLES**

- Marin Transit: <u>https://marintransit.org</u>
- Smart Train: <u>https://www.sonomamarintrain.org</u>
- Ride and Drive Clean's EV Guide & Series:
  - EV Guides: rideanddriveclean.org/ev-guides/
  - EV Zoom Series: rideanddriveclean.org/events/
- Marin Countywide Electric Vehicle Acceleration Strategy: Includes useful information on current electric vehicle options
  - <u>marinclimate.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/Marin-EV-Acceleration-</u> <u>Strategy.pdf</u>
- Marin Commutes: <u>marincommutes.org/</u>

# **RELIABLE NEWS SOURCES & PODCASTS**

#### **News Sources**

- Canary Media: <u>www.canarymedia.com/</u>
- Democracy Now!: <u>www.democracynow.org/</u>
- The Guardian: www.theguardian.com/us
- Common Dreams: <u>www.commondreams.org/</u>
- The New York Times: <u>www.nytimes.com/</u>
- Inside Climate News: <u>insideclimatenews.org/</u>
- Environment America: <u>environmentamerica.org/</u>
- E&E News by Politico <u>www.eenews.net/</u>
- MarinIJ: <u>www.marinij.com/</u>

#### **Podcasts**

- Hot Take
- The Climate Question BBC
- Outrage + Optimism
- How to Save a Planet
- Emergence Magazine Podcast