



Relevant research & information

Relevant outreach & training

Good decision-making,  
policy development, & action

# LARC

Los Angeles Regional Collaborative  
for Climate Action and Sustainability

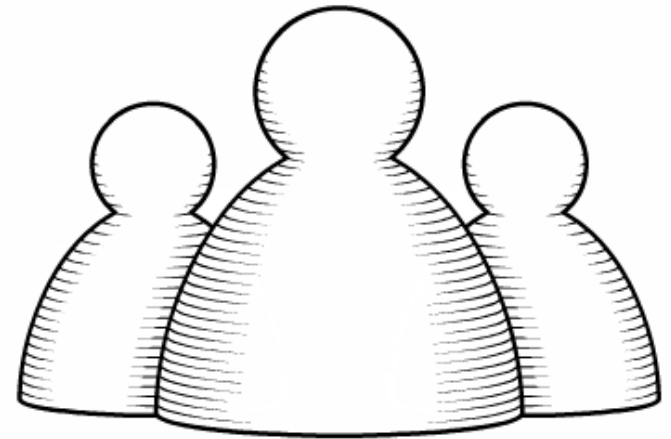
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# What do we do?

Cultivate partnerships to connect  
**climate research & policy**

Our members are:

- **NGOs**
- **Government**
- **Academia**
- **Community Groups**
- **Business Community**
- **Students**



Our current members:



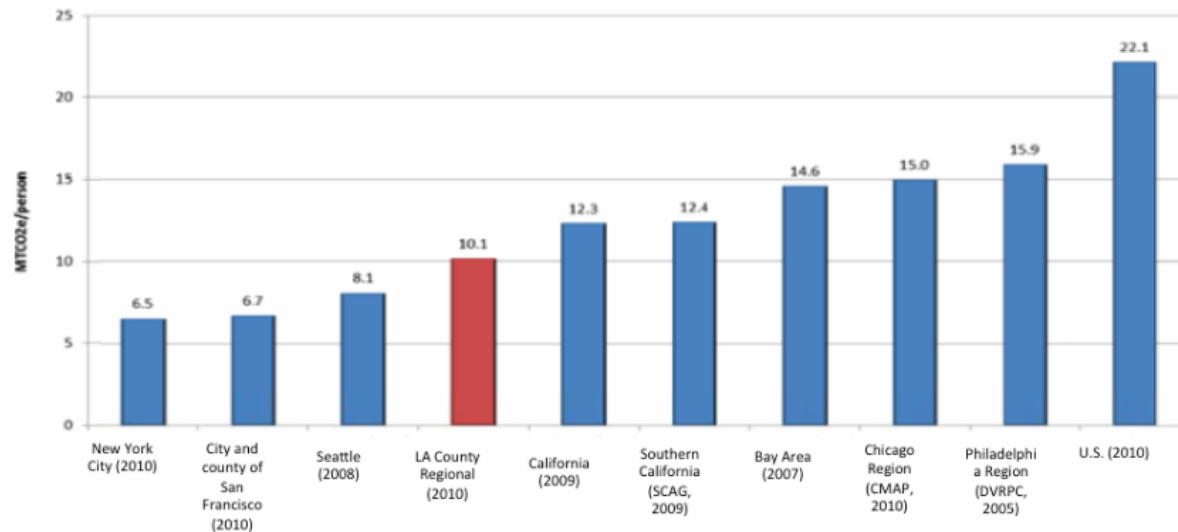
## 3rd Month Forums



**The 3rd Month Forum is a public event series held quarterly to explore climate action efforts in the Los Angeles region.**

# LAC Community Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Inventory

LA County Regional Per-Capita Emissions  
Compared to other Cities and Regions



In partnership with Los Angeles County Internal Services Division Office of Sustainability, recently released 2010 community GHG inventories for every city in LA County. These data serve as a baseline and starting point for critical climate action planning work that must occur throughout the region to comply with the mandates set forth in AB 32.

## **AdaptLA: Sea Level Rise Vulnerability Studies**



**In development: develop a comprehensive shoreline change and coastal erosion model for the Los Angeles region.**

And our biggest project...

## A Greater LA: The Framework for Climate Action & Sustainability

**WHAT**

A practical and place-based resource to support effective climate action planning

**WHY**

To minimize the burden of mandates, while maximizing the effectiveness of action

**WHO**

By practitioners for practitioners

With the help of the Strategic Growth Grant...



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Strategic Growth Council



ENERGY



TRANSPORTATION  
& LAND USE



WATER



PUBLIC HEALTH



OCEAN &  
COASTAL  
RESOURCES



EMERGENCY  
SERVICES



FORESTRY,  
BIODIVERSITY, &  
HABITAT



WASTE  
MANAGEMENT



**The Framework will include:**

**State of the Region**

**Priorities and Actions**

**Tools & Trainings**

**Implementation Strategies**

**& Best Practices Compendium**



# The State of the Region

The State of the Region report will summarize and synthesize the best knowledge available on climate change science and policy related to LA.

## Goals

- 1) To be the singular resource for decision-makers working on climate action in the region.
- 2) To provide the basis for Framework priorities and actions.

## Next Steps

Meet with scientists and other experts to fill-in gaps  
Meet with community organizers and others working on resilience

## Provide State of the Region Assessment

Analyze GHG inventories  
Climate science  
State & local policies  
local/regional plans

## Create Tools and Trainings

Begin building a coalition to implement actions through information sharing and collaborations

## Identify Region Specific Priorities

Based on best available science and existing policy

**Build Support**



## Evaluate Implementation Strategies

Analysis of governance, funding, and financing structures

## Recommended Actions

Actions to achieve resiliency, especially actions with multiple benefits

And the ultimate alliance...

The Alliance of Regional Collaboratives on Climate Action

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CAPITAL REGION  
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Regional  
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