

RCC Network Peer Learning & Action Opportunities

and how partner organizations can get involved!

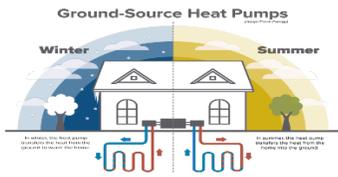
We're connecting cities with implementation partners to support cities to implement high impact actions together while navigating and accessing new federal and state funding and tax credits. <https://rccmn.co/get-involved/>



21st Century Communities Peer-Learning Webinars

2nd Thursdays, 12:30pm to 2pm join us on [Zoom](#) share a case study with city teams guiding redevelopment projects to include low-carbon, resilient buildings, energy & transportation rccmn.co/21st-century-communities/

- **June 8** - [Tower Side Innovation District](#) guiding sustainable development [Recording](#),
- **July 13** - [City Policies & Zoning Guiding Low-Carbon Redevelopment](#) [RSVP](#)
- **Aug 10** - [Building Energy Codes, Energy, Geothermal & New Financing Tools](#) [RSVP](#)
- **Sept 14** - [Mobility: Multi Modal Access, Parking, E.V.s Shared Use](#) [RSVP](#)
- **Oct 12** - [Public Realm: Green Space, Stormwater, Infrastructure](#) [RSVP](#)
- **Nov 9** - [Equity & Inclusion: Blue Line Coalition](#) [Blue Line Coalition](#) [RSVP](#)
- **Dec 14** - [Benefits of TOD for Increasing Tax Base](#) [Met Council TOD](#) [RSVP](#)



Collaborative Climate Implementation

<https://rccmn.co/collaborative-climate-implementation>

We're working to co-convene local government, nonprofit, business, community & foundation partners with the & six inter-agency [MN Climate Action Framework](#) topic teams to align strategies & funding to make it easy for cities to put new federal & state climate funding to work locally to cut carbon & advance equity!

- **Clean energy and efficient buildings**
- **Clean transportation**
- **Resilient communities**
- **Healthy lives and communities**
- **Climate-smart natural and working lands**
- **Clean economy**

Join a Topic Team - We invite you to meet with your peers through a Topic Team to develop strategy maps to guide cities as they implement high impact actions Teams of resource people from state agency, business, nonprofit & community based/ EJ groups will identify relevant state, federal & private funding sources to facilitate groups of cities applying for funding and implementing projects together.

Coaching on Strategy Mapping [Community Strategy Engagement Accelerator](#)

Multi-City Implementation Example [Electrify Everything](#) Eden Prairie Edina, Minneapolis, & SLP to reduce home energy use & transition to clean energy.



County Clusters <https://rccmn.co/county-clusters/>

Join us quarterly on zoom to meet County Commissioners, city staff & community volunteers to plan collaborative next steps to invest federal & MN funds.



Annual City County Climate Action Conference (October)

<https://rccmn.co/city-county-climate-action-conference/>

Share successful examples & resources during topic breakout sessions with teams from 50 cities working to achieve their climate goals on time.

Hands-On Volunteer Opportunities

Invite your staff to volunteer locally in their community



Directory of Local Volunteer Community Coalitions

hosting cleanups, habitat restoration, educational & candidate forums, E.V. rides, etc. <https://rccmn.co/local-community-coalitions/>

Friends of Lake Hiawatha/Rice Lake/Bde Psin

Join us Saturday mornings for habitat restoration & monthly for Native-Led Plant Walks & Speaker Events <https://rccmn.co/friendsoflakehiawatha/>



Minneapolis Climate Equity Plan <https://rccmn.co/minneapolis/>

Neighborhood Teams - engaging neighbors weatherize homes, plant trees, **Topic Teams** - implementing specific strategies, i.e. improving air quality

Hi-Lake District Geothermal rccmn.co/district-ground-source-energy/

Planning with residents, businesses & developers to make buildings geothermal-ready to reduce heating & cooling costs.