



Central Ohio Communities  
Working Toward a Better Future

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Sustainable2050 is a voluntary certification program that helps local governments to achieve their sustainability goals as related to the Regional Sustainability Agenda.

Sustainable2050 members earn certification points in the program by implementing sustainable policies and practices that seek to meet the objectives and goals of the Regional Sustainability Agenda (RSA). Based on points earned, Sustainable2050 members may attain four levels of certification:

- bronze
- silver
- gold
- platinum

To be eligible to participate in Sustainable2050, your organization or community must be a dues -paying Member or Associate Member of MORPC, or a Green Pact member as of June 8, 2017.

**Members and Associate Members must:**

- Pass a resolution of participation
- Designate a local champion
- Assign a representative to participate in program meetings
- Share data with MORPC as related to the goals and objectives of the RSA.

**About the Workbook:**

- Each worksheet represents one Goal of MORPC's Regional Sustainability Agenda (RSA).
- Each worksheet contains the objectives of each goal of the RSA.
- MORPC staff have compiled *eligible activities* for each objective of each goal. "Other" activities a community wishes to have considered should be described in the area provided for the corresponding objective and goal.

**Directions for the Workbook:**

- Fill out the Staff/Champion contact information on the Community Profile worksheet.
- Answer the three Mandatory Action questions on the Community Profile worksheet.
- The Tier Status will autopopulate. Move to the next worksheet.
- For each goal, the process will be the same:
- Select the appropriate "Status" of each eligible activity from the dropdown box in Column E.
- An asterick\* next to an Eligible Activity indicates that supporting documentation must be uploaded to the workbook. To embed a document, go to the Insert tab and select the Object option in the Text group and choose the documentation from your computer to include.
- Indicate the Data Source, if relevant, and the date the data was last updated, in Columns H and I.
- Indicate the Staff Lead of the Eligible Activity in Column J.
- At the bottom of the worksheet, the number of Eligible Activities marked "Completed" will be tallied.
- Move to the next worksheet until Workbook has been completed.
- Once Workbook has been completed, and all relevant documentation has been embedded, send the workbook to: .....

**Definitions of "Status" Options:**

- If your community has implemented an eligible activity that 1)improves municipal operations or 2)is available to the public and improves the community's overall sustainability efforts, select "**Completed**" from the dropdown box of the corresponding activity.
- If your community is currently implementing a project, but no components are currently available for use (or have a measurable impact on municipal operations or the community's sustainability efforts), select "**In-Progress**" from the dropdown box of the corresponding activity. If a project is multi-phased, and some components of the project have been implemented, select "In-Progress."(e.g.. 2 of 5 electric charging stations have been installed and are available for use) Staff will review projects in progress to determine if the eligible activity will count toward tier status.
- If your community has plans to implement an eligible activity, but construction or implementation has not yet begun, select "**Planned**" from the dropdown box of the corresponding activity.
- If your community is not working on an eligible activity, select "**Not Planned**" from the dropdown box of the corresponding activity.

Jurisdiction:	<b>City of Gahanna</b>
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<b>Mandatory Actions:</b>	
Has your community passed a resolution of participation, indicating commitment to the program?	Yes
Has your community designated a local champion to ensure public awareness and active participation?	Yes
Has your community assigned a representative to attend program meetings?	Yes

*(list staff representative as primary contact and local champion as secondary contact if different)*

<b>Tier Status</b>	
<i>Completed Actions:</i>	
Mandatory:	<b>3</b>
Completed Activities	<b>14</b>
Categories:	<b>4</b>
Total:	<b>17</b>
Your Status:	<b>silver</b>

<b>Certification Criteria:</b>				
	bronze	silver	gold	platinum
Mandatory:	3	3	3	3
Categories:	2 of 5	3 of 5	5 of 5	5 of 5
Activities:	6 of 52	10 of 52	25 of 52	40 of 52
Total:	9 of 55	13 of 55	28 of 55	43 of 55

Last Updated: 2/24/2019 20:44



Sustainable2050 Community Activities

Activity Documentation

Objective

Eligible Activity  
(\* = insert supporting documentation into column I)

Status of Activity

Insert documentation of Activity here

Data Source

Date of Data

Staff Lead

Energy

1	Reduce vehicle miles traveled.	Complete Streets Policy*	Planned				
		Zoning Code/Comprehensive Plan focused on Transportation Demand Management	Not Planned				
		Fix-It-First Strategy on Infrastructure Investments*	Not Planned				
		Telecommuting Policy*	Not Planned				
	Other - Add your activity here.*						
2	Reduce the percentage of commuters driving alone and increase the percentage of commuters riding transit, bicycle or walking.	Gohio Commute Participation	Not Planned				
		Offer Incentives to take Public Transportation*	Not Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
3	Increase the percentage of vehicles using alternative fuels.	Green Fleet Certified*	Not Planned				
		Alternative Fuel Vehicle Fleet Policy*	Planned				
		Have Public Electric Vehicle Charging Stations	Complete				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
4	Increase the number of trail miles traveled annually.	Multi-Use Trail Plan*	Complete				
		Prioritize Infrastructure Projects to Close Gaps on Local/Regional Trail Network*	In-Progress				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
5	Increase the number of alternative fuel stations.	Public Alternative Fuel Stations*	Complete				
		Collaboration with Private Partners to Add Public Alternative Fuel Stations*	Complete				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
6	Reduce per capita energy consumption across all sectors.	Energy Consumption Reduction*	Planned				
		Participation in Local Government Energy Partnership	Complete				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
7	Increase the number of local renewable energy projects and generating capacity.	Allow Local Renewable Energy Generation*	Not Planned				
		Coordinated Pipeline of Renewable Energy Projects with Utilities*	Not Planned				
		Participate in a Regional Procurement Initiative*	Not Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					

Total Points

5



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Status of Activity

Insert documentation of  
Activity here

Data Source

Date of Data

Staff Lead

Natural Resources

1	Reduce emissions to meet federal air quality standards.	Idle-Free Policy*	Complete					
		Gohio Commute Participant	Not Planned					
		Incentivization of Alternative Transportation*	Not Planned					
		Other - Add your activity here.*						
	2	Increase the number of people receiving air quality information and education.	Subscribed to MORPC Air Quality Forecasts	Complete				
			Have Operations Plan for Air Quality Alert Days*	Planned				
Other - Add your activity here.*								
3	Reduce the amount of municipal solid waste per capital disposed in the landfill.	Reduction in Landfill Solid Waste for your Facility or Community*	Planned					
		Curbside Recycling Program	Complete					
		Net Zero Waste Policy for Events*	Not Planned					
		Other - Add your activity here.*						
4	Minimize greenfield development and promote infill and redevelopment.	Zoning Code/Comprehensive Plan Focusing on Infill Development*	In-Progress					
		Incentivize Subdivisions and/or Green Stormwater Infrastructure*	Complete					
		Fix-It First Strategy when Prioritizing Infrastructure Investments*	Not Planned					
		Other - Add your activity here.*						
5	Reduce per capital water consumption.		Not Planned					
6	Improve water quality in the Upper Scioto Watershed (or other watersheds in the region.)	Gahanna participates in the Sustaining Scioto Subcommittee, which is focused on improving water quality in the Scioto Watershed.	In-Progress					

Total Points

4

1



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Activity Documentation

Objective

Eligible activity  
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Status of Activity

Insert documentation of  
Activity here

Data Source

Date of Data

Staff Lead

Economic  
Opportunity

1

Increase the number of businesses in  
Central Ohio with established  
sustainability policies and practices.

Green Purchasing Policy*
Promote Green Spot to Businesses and Residents
Other - Add your activity here.*

Not Planned  
Planned





Total Points

0

0



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Status of Activity

Insert documentation of  
Activity here

Data Source

Date of Data

Staff Lead

Sustainable Neighborhoods

1	Encourage MORPC member communities to adopt complete streets policies or policies that contain those elements.	Complete Streets Policy*	Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
2	Target infrastructure development to serve a higher number of people and jobs, and increase sidewalk coverage of arterials and collectors.	Processes or Policies that Prioritize Removing Pedestrian Network Gaps*	In-Progress				
		Processes or Policies that Increase the Number of People and Jobs Served by Infrastructure Projects*	Not Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
3	Reduce the number of fatalities and serious injuries from crashes.	Reduction in Number of Fatalities and Serious Injuries from Crashes in your Community*	Planned				
		Reduction in Pedestrian and Bicycle Fatalities and Serious Injuries from Crashes in your Community*	Planned				
		Prioritization of Infrastructure Projects that Improve Safety at High Crash Locations in your Community*	Complete				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
4	Target transit and bikeway infrastructure development to serve a higher number of people.	Processes or Policies that Prioritize Transit and Bikeway Infrastructure Access*	Complete				
		Prioritization of Pedestrian and Bicycle Infrastructure Projects Aligning with Central Ohio Greenway Connector Routes*	In-Progress				
		Prioritization of Pedestrian and Bicycle Infrastructure that Connect Community Transit Routes*	In-Progress				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
5	Increase the annual number of income eligible households receiving free weatherization and safety-related home repairs.	Promote MORPC's Home Weatherization Services or Similar Programs to Residents*	Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
6	Increase the number of Central Ohio Greenways trail miles.	Adoption of Countywide COG Trail Plan	Planned				
		Funding Construction of Segments of the Central Ohio Greenways Trail Network*	Complete				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					

Total Points

3



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Status of Activity

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Activity here

Data Source

Date of Data

Staff Lead

Collaboration

1	Establish the annual Summit on Sustainability as a premiere environmental conference through high participation and visibility.	Have at least one staff member attend the Summit on Sustainability annually	Complete				
		Promote the Summit through Multi-Media Networks*	Planned				
		Other - Add your activity here.*					
2	Increase number of local governments committed to sustainability.	Sustainable2050 Community	Complete				

Total Points

2

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