



CT COALITION FOR CLIMATE ACTION

The CT Coalition for Climate Action is a broad-based group comprised of over 50 organizations including health care providers, scientists, environmental organizations, religious groups, renewable energy, business, justice, and other entities representing more than 300,000 members that believe in healthy homes and resilient communities.

The Coalition supports legislation this session that will contribute to safer, healthier communities throughout Connecticut.

Steering Committee:

- American College of Physicians CT Chapter
- Conservation Law Foundation
- CT Health Professionals for Climate Action
- CT League of Conservation Voters
- Environment Connecticut
- Interreligious Eco-Justice Network
- Mitchell Environmental Health Associates
- Peoples Action for Clean Energy
- Save the Sound
- Sierra Club Connecticut
- The Nature Conservancy in Connecticut

ACT NOW

to Reduce Energy Costs, Create Jobs and Protect the Health of our Communities

OUR GOALS INCLUDE

- ▶ **Helping businesses and families** save money by improving the energy efficiency of their homes and offices.
- ▶ **Expanding Solar** through deployment of residential and small commercial solar and energy storage for homes, apartments, businesses, and places of worship.
- ▶ **Protecting and improving health** in our communities, including our most vulnerable populations in low-wealth neighborhoods, the elderly, children, communities of color, and those with pre-existing health conditions.

SOLUTIONS

- ▶ **Accelerate Clean Energy Development**
 - Make it easier and cheaper to Go Solar
 - Fund the thermal energy network pilot program
 - Create refundable renewable energy tax credit incentives for families and businesses
- ▶ **Affordable Energy**
 - Continue investment in energy efficiency through protecting the systems benefits charge
 - Increase weatherization by funding the Residential Energy Preparations Services program to decrease barriers to entry
- ▶ **Act Now to Protect Communities**
 - Create protections from extreme heat for vulnerable communities
 - Deprioritize incinerators to improve air quality and health of residents
 - Repair damage from federal termination of environmental funding

