

Summit County Council Environmental Ad Hoc Committee

Sustainability Action Inventory: Nonprofit

Action Categories

Clean Water
Air Quality
Land Conservation/Soil Quality
Biodiversity
Food and Farming
Access to Nature (People Activities)
Climate Change
Clean Energy
Materials Management

Organizations included

Akron Zoo
Akron Cooperative Farms
Akron Parks Collaborative
Big Love
Let's Grow Akron
Keep Akron Beautiful
Ohio Erie Canalway Coalition
Power A Clean Future Ohio
Scouting America
Sierra Club
Summit Metro Parks

Clean Water

- Akron Zoo
 - Stormwater recycling
 - Grey water recycling
- Big Love
 - Policy Advocacy
- Ohio Erie Canalway Coalition
 - Canal cleanups
 - Guided canoe programs
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political action

- University of Akron
 - Water quality monitoring

Air Quality

- Big Love
 - Policy advocacy
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political Action

Land Conservation/Soil Quality

- Big Love
 - Policy advocacy
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political Action
- Trust for Public Land, supported by Akron Community Foundation

Biodiversity

- Akron Parks Collaborative/City of Akron
 - Nature in our Neighborhoods (city park meadows)
- Akron Zoo
 - Many programs
- Big Love
 - Akron Food Forestry
 - Policy advocacy
- Project ACORN
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political Action
- Summit Metro Parks
 - Endangered species management
 - Habitat restoration
 - Wild back yards
- Summit of Sustainability Alliance/Big Love/Community Life Collaborative/Others, supported by Akron Community Foundation
 - Native plant giveaway
- Tinker's Creek Watershed Partners, supported by Akron Community Foundation

Food and Farming

- Akron Cooperative Farms, supported by Akron Community Foundation
- Big Love
 - Policy advocacy
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political Action

Access to Nature (People Activities)

- Akron Parks Collaborative
 - Akron Parks Challenge
- Big Love
 - Policy advocacy
- Scouting America, supported by Akron Community Foundation
 - Great Trail Council
 - Trail upkeep
- Keep Akron Beautiful
 - Flowerscapes
 - Adopt-a-sites
 - Litter pickups
- Sierra Club
 - Volunteering
 - Political Action

Opportunity organization: Ohio & Erie Canalway Coalition (supported by ACF)

Climate Change

- Akron Zoo
 - Net zero by 2040
- Power A Clean Future Ohio

Clean Energy

Materials Management

- Akron Zoo
 - “Big Hanna”/ Zero waste
 - Cans for Corridors
- Big Love
 - Zero Waste Porch Rockr
- Keep Akron Beautiful, supported by Akron Community Foundation
 - Litter/recycling programs

Opportunity organization: Let’s Grow Akron