

PETERBOROUGH'S GREEN HISTORY

CLIMATE ACTION IN OUR TOWN



Peterborough has a proud history of climate action & advocacy. Here are some actions our town has taken to address its role in the climate crisis:

2006: Adopted a “Green Purchasing” policy requiring the town to consider environmental values when making town purchases and acquisitions.

2007: Was one of 164 towns to pass a [climate change resolution](#) calling for state and national actions to address the climate crisis.

2007: Participated in the PSNH Smart Start Program to reduce energy consumption at municipal facilities by installing energy-saving measures.

2007: Adopted an anti-idling policy to stop all unnecessary idling of town vehicles and equipment to save energy and reduce pollution.

2013: Established a ten-town power collaborative to purchase wind power (and eventually hydropower) to supply municipal electricity needs.

2015: Installed a 1-MW solar array to supply electricity to waste water treatment plant & other municipal buildings.

2017: Passed another [resolution](#) declaring the importance of taking action to address the climate crisis.

2020: Completed conversion of town streetlights to LED lights.

Our community's work towards reducing our dirty energy consumption has set the foundation for us to commit to a 100% clean and renewable energy transition. This Ready for 100% Resolution is the next clear step in executing our [town's commitment to a sustainable future](#).



ARE YOU READY FOR 100%?

PETERBOROUGH ENERGY ACTION is a grassroots organization working with the community to transition Our Town — Peterborough, New Hampshire to 100% clean, affordable, renewable energy for all.

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