



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
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Dear Compact of Mayors Secretariat:

I hereby declare the intent of the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota to comply with the Compact of Mayors, the world's largest cooperative effort among mayors and city leaders to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, track progress, and prepare for the impacts of climate change.

The Compact of Mayors has defined a series of requirements that cities are expected to meet over time, recognizing that each city may be at a different stage of development on the pathway to compliance with the Compact.

I commit to advancing the City of Saint Paul along the stages of the Compact, with the goal of becoming fully compliant with all the requirements within three years. Specifically, I pledge to publicly report on the following within the next three years:

- The greenhouse gas emissions inventory for the City of Saint Paul consistent with the Global Protocol for Community-Scale Greenhouse Gas Emission Inventories (GPC), within one year or less.
- The climate hazards faced by our city, within one year or less.
- Our target to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, within two years or less.
- The climate vulnerabilities faced by our city, within two years or less.
- Our plans to address climate change mitigation and adaptation within three years or less.

If you have any further questions regarding the City of Saint Paul's participation in the Compact of Mayors, please do not hesitate to contact me or Anne Hunt, Environmental Policy Director, at 651.266.8620 or anne.hunt@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

Sincerely,

Christopher B. Coleman
Mayor