

Take Action! Ideas

“The journey of 1000 miles starts with a single step”- Chinese proverb

	Things I’m Doing	Things I Could Do	No Way!
<p>Communicate about climate change</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watch “The Most Important Thing You Can Do” • Solve climate change by talking about it with others • Use these tips to talk about climate change • Investigate your community’s opinions about global warming • Consider different climate communication strategies for different audiences • Ask Extension colleagues about how they communicate about climate change in their programming 			
<p>Build your climate change skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research how Wisconsin’s weather is changing at the State Climatology website • Use the WI Initiative on Climate Change Impacts “Trends and Projections” maps to learn how climate change may affect your community • Browse the UW Extension “Wisconsin Climate Connection” website for climate resources • Participate in a UW Climate Leadership Team’s professional development climate webinar • Collaborate with a BIPOC community to integrate their climate knowledge into Extension climate outreach 			
<p>Connect with others for collective action</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend a UW Climate Leadership Team Meeting or join us! • Follow the Climate Leadership Team’s Sharepoint site • Join a WICCI working group • Connect with the National Extension Climate Change Initiative for training and resources • Join a community climate awareness group 			
<p>Save Energy and \$\$\$</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out ways to save energy at Focus on Energy • Conduct an energy audit of your Extension Office • Get funding and rebates for energy efficiency upgrades 			
<p>Increase climate resiliency</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use this framework to organize for resiliency • Work with others to increase community climate resilience using the Community Climate Resiliency Menu • Talk with a CLT member to explore how I could integrate climate resiliency into my programming • Investigate grants and help your community become more climate resilient 			
<p>Here’s my idea!</p>			

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