TRANSATLANTIC CLIMATE ALLIANCE

~We Accelerate and Empower Bold Climate Action~

Mission Statement

The Transatlantic Climate Alliance is a developing non-governmental organization that fosters subnational collaboration through its **Transatlantic Climate Council** to help leaders implement decarbonization pathways, transition to a sustainable future, and prevent the worst effects of our global climate crisis.

Vision Statement

In a world overflowing with climate goals – but short on climate progress – the **Transatlantic Climate Alliance** is focused on "The HOW."

The **Transatlantic Climate Alliance** will convene public and private sector leaders to serve as Advisors on its **Transatlantic Climate Council** where they will share and develop best practices designed to accelerate the adoption of clean energy, promote green jobs, and implement climate adaptation & mitigation measures at the subnational level.

By expediting the exchange of information between experts in science & technology, research & development, finance & economics, manufacturing & infrastructure, labor & workforce, policy & government, education & training, equity & inclusion, advocacy & civil society...

The **Transatlantic Climate Alliance**, through its **Transatlantic Climate Council**, will bring climate allies and leaders together to act as a catalyst and accelerator to close the glaring gap between the pace of our climate action and the impending crisis unraveling before our eyes.

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Values Statement

"In a world overflowing with climate goals – but short on climate progress... the Transatlantic Climate Alliance is focused on "**The <u>HOW</u>**.""

In the Transatlantic Climate Alliance Vision Statement excerpt above, "The how" refers to the practical steps needed to bring a clean energy future to fruition. But "the how" also means the manner in which these solutions are established, prioritized, and put forth with respect to justice, equity, diversity, and <u>inclusion</u>.

The Transatlantic Climate Alliance understands that beyond its inherent geographic diversity as an international collaborative, true diversity requires drawing from groups across all racial, ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic boundaries. The Transatlantic Climate Alliance acknowledges that its efforts to help investigate problems, build networks, design strategies, and implement solutions are enriched and enhanced by diverse voices and opinions.

The Alliance also understands the need for proactive inclusion to properly ensure that historically disenfranchised groups have equitable access & meaningful opportunities to contribute at every level of the decision making process. The Alliance acknowledges this does not happen by chance, and that inherent bias serves as a significant barrier to genuine justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion.

In order to ensure these key considerations have been adequately prioritized, the Transatlantic Climate Alliance hereby establishes a <u>Transatlantic Climate</u> <u>Council</u> of <u>Justice</u>, <u>Equity</u>, <u>Diversity</u>, <u>& Inclusion (JEDI)</u>. The "JEDI" Council will advise on the work of every other Transatlantic Climate Council and any solutions, reports, or strategies put forth for the Transatlantic Climate Alliance.

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Transatlantic Climate Council - Collaborative Agreement

Whereas, the Transatlantic Climate Alliance is a developing non-governmental organization that will convene a Transatlantic Climate Council of subnational leaders and experts designed to advise on best practices relative to the global climate crisis, the implementation of sustainability and decarbonization pathways, and the establishment of collaborative partnerships to advance bold climate action...

Whereas, the global climate crisis constitutes a common, existential threat with the potential to cause devastating consequences of an unprecedented nature and magnitude throughout our Atlantic region, and our world...

Whereas, the pace of cumulative progress thus far relative to preventing and preparing for the worst effects of climate change has failed to match the rapid pace of deterioration relative to our global climate crisis...

Whereas, the development and implementation of solutions capable of adequately addressing the daunting challenges brought on by climate change will necessitate robust collaboration between dedicated, subnational clean energy leaders and climate experts from the public and private sector...

Now therefore, as a Founding Member of the Transatlantic Climate Council of the Transatlantic Climate Alliance, I hereby pledge to support in good faith the exchange of best practices, the implementation of strategies, and the formation of valuable partnerships relative to addressing the significant challenges associated with our global climate crisis.

Signed,

Founding Member

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