



Climate Action Committee

BC LIBRARIES ARE READY FOR CLIMATE ACTION

The 2024 BCLA Climate Benchmark Survey results are in. Here's a little of what we've heard from BC library workers:



43%

Climate Action Matters

Almost half of the BC libraries who responded to our survey have been directly (41%) or indirectly (43%) affected by climate impacts in the previous two years (2022-2023). Climate impacts are real and challenging.

38%

We are Advocating Up

Most library climate advocacy was reported to be engaging with the boards of directors (22%) or parent organizations (16%).

Libraries are Planning for Climate Action

42% of participating organizations' strategic plans include climate-related language. What climate action have you taken through your strategic plan?



42%

51%

Library Culture is Ready to Engage

51% of respondents said their libraries demonstrated internal support for a culture of engagement, mobilization & advocacy on climate action.



NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD ON THIS MOMENTUM!

The Climate Action Committee welcomes you to attend our meetings to get ideas, inspiration and support for your library climate work. **Read the full Biennial BCLA Climate Benchmark: 2022-2023 Report and participate in the survey.**

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