

Evanston's Climate Action Accomplishment Timeline

Year	Accomplishment
2020	<i>Learn the Recycling Basics</i> video wins Silver for Not-for-Profit, <i>Keep Food and Liquids Out of Your Recycling Cart</i> wins Silver for Public Interest/Awareness, Bronze for Use of 3D Animation and Hometown Media Award
	Designated as a Gold Walk Friendly Community by the Walk Friendly Communities Program
2019	First city in Illinois to be certified as a Community Wildlife Habitat by the National Wildlife Federation
2018	City Council approves the Climate Action and Resilience Plan
	First city in Illinois to set the goal of achieving 100% renewable electricity by 2030 and carbon neutrality by 2050.
2017	Mayor Steve Hagerty Commits to Climate Paris Accord Emissions Reductions
	Awarded a Gold designation through the U.S. Department of Energy's SolSmart designation program
	Mayor Steve Hagerty Joined the Mayors for 100% Clean Energy
2016	Former Mayor Elizabeth Tisdahl Signed the Global Covenant of Mayors
	Achieved goals of the 2014 Evanston Livability Plan
2015	Named 2015 Earth Hour U.S. Capital by World Wildlife Fund
2014	Adoption of the Evanston Livability Plan
2013	Achieved goals of the 2008 Evanston Climate Action Plan

2011	Evanston Climate Action Plan Update 2011
2009	Evanston Climate Action Plan Year 1 Report 2008 - 2009
2008	Adoption of the Evanston Climate Action Plan (ECAP)
2006	Former Mayor Lorraine H. Morton signs the U.S. Mayors Climate Protection Agreement