



SAMPLING OF MEMBER ENERGY-RELATED CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

All Coalition members have committed to our collective Clean Energy Vision, which includes surpassing the State of Minnesota's current economy-wide greenhouse gas emissions targets of 30 percent reduction by 2025 and 80 percent reduction by 2050; increasing access to affordable, reliable, clean energy to improve racial, economic, social and public health outcomes; and fueling economic growth for all Minnesotans.



3M

3M is committed to the RE100 Initiative to source 100 percent renewable electricity for their global operations by 2050, with an interim goal of 50 percent by 2025. Additionally, 3M is helping customers reduce their greenhouse gas emissions by 250 million tons of carbon dioxide equivalent emissions through use of 3M products.



Blue Cross Blue Shield

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has committed to reducing Scope 1 and Scope 2 carbon emissions at their Eagan and northern office campuses by 25 percent by 2025 from their 2018 baseline.



Ecolab

Ecolab aims to halve their carbon emissions by 2030 and reduce them to net-zero by 2050. To meet their 1.5° C commitment, they will electrify their fleet of service vehicles, move to 100 percent renewable energy in their global operations, expand energy efficiency projects at their plants, offices and operations around the world; and work with their supply chain partners to adopt similarly ambitious climate goals.



Anderson Corporation

Andersen Corporation is working to reduce normalized (based on production rates) solid waste, water and energy use by 20 percent by 2020, using 2013 as a baseline.



Aveda

All of Aveda's products are managed with 100 percent wind power through renewable energy credits and carbon offsets balancing their electrical and natural gas usage. They also are working toward a goal of zero emissions from manufacturing.



Great River Energy

Great River Energy is working to provide 50 percent renewable energy to its all requirements member-owner cooperatives by 2030.



Best Buy

Best Buy has committed to reducing carbon emissions in their operations by 75 percent by 2030 (over a 2009 baseline) and to be carbon neutral by 2050. Additionally, they have committed to helping their customers reduce the carbon emissions associated with the use of products sold 20% by 2030, saving them \$5 billion in energy costs.



Metropolitan Airports Commission

The Metropolitan Airports Commission has committed to an 80 percent reduction in total greenhouse gas emissions from a 2014-15 baseline, by 2030.



Mortenson

Mortenson is working toward being Net Zero Energy Ready by 2030, and all of their U.S. offices are currently powered by clean energy from emissions-free wind farms.



State of Minnesota Members: Metropolitan Council & Department of Administration



Leading from the public sector, the Metropolitan Council and Department of Administration have a goal for a 30 percent reduction in consumption of energy per square foot by 2027 relative to a 2017 adjusted baseline, as well as a 30 percent reduction of greenhouse gas emissions by 2025 relative to a 2005 calculated baseline.



Target

Target plans to reduce its absolute Scope 1, 2 and 3 greenhouse gas emissions by 30 percent below 2017 levels by 2030, and has committed that 80 percent of their suppliers will set science-based reduction targets on their Scope 1 and 2 emissions by 2023. Furthermore, Target is committed to the RE100 Initiative, with a goal to source 100 percent renewable electricity across its global operations by 2030 with an interim goal to achieve 60 percent by 2025.



Tennant

Tennant Company has a goal to reduce absolute Scope 1 and 2 emissions 25 percent by 2030 from a 2016 base year, as well as reduce their Scope 3 use of sold products emissions 50 percent per dollar of equipment revenue by 2030, also from a 2016 base year.



University of Minnesota

The University of Minnesota is working toward carbon neutrality by 2050 and a 50 percent emissions reduction by 2020. Additionally, divisions and units of the University, including the Institute on the Environment, have set additional sustainability-related goals.

Uponor Uponor

Uponor has a goal to reduce Scope 1 and Scope 2 greenhouse gas emissions by 20 percent per net sales by 2020, from 2015 levels.



Xcel Energy

Xcel Energy is working to provide 100 percent carbon-free electricity by 2050 and reduce carbon emissions 80 percent by 2030, from 2005 levels. Furthermore, all of their pool and passenger vehicles will be plug-in hybrid electric or electric vehicles by 2025.



About the Minnesota Sustainable Growth Coalition

Nearly 30 businesses and organizations formed the Minnesota Sustainable Growth Coalition, a business led partnership harnessing their expertise to advance the next frontier of corporate sustainability – the circular economy. Our members are: 3M, Ackerberg, Allianz Life Insurance Company of North America, Andersen Corporation, Antea Group, Aveda, Barr, Best Buy, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota, Ecolab, Ever-Green Energy, Great Plains Institute, Great River Energy, Greater MSP, HealthPartners, HGA, Metropolitan Airports Commission, Metropolitan Council, Minnesota Department of Administration, Mortenson, National Grid Renewables, Target, Tennant, University of Minnesota, Uponor, Wenck, Xcel Energy.