Did you make any New Year’s resolutions? Whether it was to start a new hobby or introduce some new healthy habits, we hope you will also commit to fighting for a livable planet with the Georgia Sierra Club this year.

Our cities and our leaders are making commitments, too. Over 100 cities have committed to transition to 100% clean, renewable energy, school districts are going solar, and national support for a Green New Deal is taking off. We’ve got the momentum we need to keep winning in 2019. Let’s bring our communities together to celebrate these successes, reflect on where we need to go, and make plans on how to get there.

Sierra Club activists across the country will be coming together the week of January 21st to gather and make climate commitments for 2019 -- a week of action we’re calling Our Climate Resolutions.

Communities are coming together to share ideas, visions, and co-create New
Year's climate resolutions. At the end of your event, Sierra Club organizers will be ready to help you put your community on a path toward 100% clean energy or to fight for a green agenda in our new Congress.

Here’s what comes next:

1. **Confirm your event**. Decide when and where you’ll have your event, pick a discussion guide to focus on, and confirm with us you’ll be hosting! Create a Facebook Event, Eventbrite, Meetup or other online event page to help invite your friends & community and track RSVPs. Don't forget to share that link with us so we can help recruit other Sierra Club activists in your area as well!

2. **Review the materials**. Our activist toolkit gives step-by-step guidance on how to host an event, and our discussion guides provide a structure and focus for your conversation.

These conversations have the potential to transform Sierra Club’s organizing work in 2019. We hope you will take this leap with us and commit to host an event during this week of action.

If you have any questions, please contact Marquese Averett, Clean Energy Organizer, at marquese.averett@sierraclub.org.

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**Host your own community conversation!**

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**Get Involved**

It's a new year, and our committees and groups are already hard at work to exploring, enjoying, and protecting Georgia! Now is the perfect time to get involved, so come join us!

- **Wildlands Committee Meeting**: January 14, 6 PM @ Chapter Office
- **Conservation Committee Meeting**: January 14, 7 PM @ Chapter Office
- **LaGrange Group Meeting**: January 15, 6:30 PM @ St. Mark’s Episcopal Church
- **Savannah River Group Meeting**: January 15, 6:30 PM @ Unitarian Universalist Church of Augusta
- **Gwinnett Group Meeting**: January 17, 7 PM @ Berkmar High School
- **RAIL Committee Meeting**: January 28, 6:30 PM @ Chapter Office
- **Clean Energy For All Committee Meeting**: February 4, 6:30 PM @ Chapter Office
- **Centennial Group Meeting**: February 7, 7 PM @ Life University
- **Metro Atlanta Group Meeting**: February 12, 7 PM @ Chapter Office

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**More Opportunities**
We're Hiring!

Are you looking for a job? Interested in working on protecting Georgia's natural environment? Come join our team!

We are currently accepting applications for an Administrative Assistant and a Development Associate.

To apply for the Administrative Assistant position, click here >>

To apply for the Development Associate position, click here >>

Not currently searching for a job? We still have several ways you can get involved! Volunteer with us in 2019. To learn more about our volunteer opportunities and to find out where you can get plugged in, click the blue button below:

Volunteer in the New Year!

Thank You, Brenda!

After a year and half of incredible work with the Georgia Chapter, we are heartened to announce that Brenda Cargin, our Communications Coordinator will be leaving the Georgia Chapter to take a position with Atlanta-based Telemundo Broadcasting.

Brenda has contributed so much to the Sierra Club during her time here, including improving and expanding our Georgia Sierran newsletter, increasing our social media and digital reach, and bringing a keen and discerning marketing and branding eye to everything the Georgia Sierra Club does. She will be greatly missed, and we wish her much success in her new position.

We're sure we will still see Brenda around at Sierra Club events and moderate hike outings!

Atlanta Climate Reality Leadership Training

On March 14-16, former US Vice President and Climate Reality Chairman Al Gore will join environmental justice movement leaders, faith voices, business visionaries, communications professionals, and world-class scientists in Atlanta to train a new class of activists.

Partnership for Southern Equity Just Energy Academy

Applications are due TODAY for the Partnership for Southern Equity's upcoming Just Energy Academy.

This seven-month leadership
as Climate Reality Leaders, taking action on the climate crisis, advocating for solutions, and building a diverse, equitable, and inclusive climate movement for all.

**APPLY TODAY! Participation in this three-day event is FREE, but space is limited and applications close Monday, January 28th.**

Learn more about the program and apply today by clicking the blue button below.

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