

Vermont Interfaith Power and Light

Individual Membership

Vermont Interfaith Power and Light (VTIPL) supports faith communities and individuals in reducing the harmful effects of global climate change. We are committed to the practice of energy conservation, energy efficiency, and use of renewable energy to reduce the greenhouse gas emissions that are rapidly leading to a climate crisis.

This commitment honors my belief that Earth and Creation are sacred and precious. **I pledge, together with other members of VTIPL, to increase my awareness of global climate change, to engage in one or more of the actions below [please check action(s) planned], and to make a financial contribution:**

Contribution: Student \$15___ Basic \$30___ Family \$45___ Green Grower \$60___ Energy Star \$100___ Other___
Additional contribution: Climate Champion \$_____

___ Stay current with information about the science of climate change and the human role in such change, as it evolves.

___ Conduct an energy audit of my home to identify opportunities for energy conservation, increased efficiency, and financial savings.

___ Replace one or more old appliances with a new Energy Star certified appliance(s).

___ Begin the process of replacing all incandescent light bulbs in my home with energy-saving compact fluorescents.

___ Support the development of renewable energy sources by purchasing "green power" from my utility, installing solar panels, contributing to a wind turbine fund, or using other renewable energy sources in place of fossil fuels.

___ Purchase carbon credits to offset the CO2 emissions from my air travel.

___ Purchase a fuel-efficient vehicle (40+ mpg) and/or use more public transportation or alternative transportation.

___ Analyze my "carbon footprint" and begin to reduce and offset my CO2 emissions with the goal of becoming a carbon-neutral household.

___ Communicate with my elected representatives on a local, state and national level to ask for their support for public policies and/or in other ways support policies that help solve the problem of global climate change.

___ Join a discussion group to work with others to avert a climate crisis.

___ Be on a VTIPL email "Action & Information Alert" list to receive notice of actions, events, etc. on climate change.

Name:

Mailing Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Name of your faith community, if any:

Signature(s): _____

Please return this form to: VTIPL, 1 East Village Drive, Burlington, VT 05401

Thank you!