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The 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are part of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development adopted by the UN Member States and by Canada in September 2015. Implementing these SDGs calls for the commitment and active contribution of governments and all of civil society.

In adopting Sustainable Montréal 2016-2020 in June 2016, the City of Montréal is contributing to the advancement of these 17 goals by establishing 10 collective targets as well as 20 actions to be carried out by the municipal administration between now and 2020 and 20 more to be taken by Montréal organizations interested in making a commitment and joining the movement.

LEGEND

1. No poverty
2. Zero hunger
3. Good health and well-being
4. Quality education
5. Gender equality
6. Clean water and sanitation
7. Affordable and clean energy
8. Decent work and economic growth
9. Industry, innovation and infrastructure
10. Reduced inequalities
11. Sustainable cities and communities
12. Responsible consumption and production
13. Climate action
14. Life below water
15. Life on land
16. Peace, justice and strong institutions
17. Partnerships for the goals
## 10 COLLECTIVE TARGETS

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### MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION

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#### PRIORITY 1: REDUCE GHG EMISSIONS AND DEPENDENCE ON FOSSIL FUELS
- Increase the modal share of travel on foot, by bicycle and transit
  - Encourage the use of active transportation and public transit
- Electrify and optimize Montréal transportation
  - Reduce, optimize and electrify the vehicle fleet
- Increase the number of sustainable buildings in Montréal
  - Build and/or renovate buildings sustainably

#### PRIORITY 2: ADD VEGETATION, INCREASE BIODIVERSITY AND ENSURE THE CONTINUITY OF RESOURCES
- Protect and enrich the urban forest and biodiversity
  - Provide ecological management of land
- Increase plantings in the built environment
  - Develop sustainable parking areas
- Reduce and recover residual materials
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  - Organize zero waste and/or eco-responsible events
- Optimize water management
  - Reduce the consumption of drinking water and manage rainwater
- Decontaminate soils

#### PRIORITY 3: ENSURE ACCESS TO SUSTAINABLE, HUMAN-SCALE AND HEALTHY NEIGHBOURHOODS
- Fight inequality and promote inclusiveness
- Preserve heritage and promote culture
  - Protect, restore and enhance Montréal’s heritage
- Improve access to municipal services and equipment, as well as facilities
  - Make buildings universally accessible
- Make urban agriculture and healthy lifestyle habits part of the DNA of neighbourhoods
  - Encourage physical activity
  - Support access to healthful food and urban agriculture
  - Fight waste
- Continue the development of sustainable neighbourhoods
- Protect the quality of walkways and promote recreational activities

#### PRIORITY 4: MAKE THE TRANSITION TOWARD A GREEN, CIRCULAR AND RESPONSIBLE ECONOMY
- “Green” the economy
  - Integrate the principles of the circular economy into the organization’s business practices
  - Support the development of a social and solidarity economy
- Use responsible procurement practices
  - Adopt a socially responsible purchasing policy and/or criteria
- Divest from fossil fuels
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#### MOBILIZATION
- Mobilize organizations, citizens and employees
- Promote best practices and increase sustainable development initiatives
  - Launch, implement and promote at least one sustainable development project
- Expand Montréal’s renown here and internationally