

THE CLIMATE AND ENVIRONMENT CHARTER FOR HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATIONS



Ambitions for the Charter



Promote a **transformational change** across the humanitarian sector to improve our practice

A **simple, accessible and aspirational** document

Available to all humanitarian organizations for adoption in the spirit of the Code of Conduct of 1994

Commitments

1. Step up our response to growing humanitarian needs and help people adapt to the impacts of the climate and environmental crises

2. Maximize the environmental sustainability of our work and rapidly reduce our greenhouse gas emissions

How...

3. Embrace the leadership of local actors and communities

4. Increase our capacity to understand climate and environmental risks and develop evidence-based solutions

5. Work collaboratively across the humanitarian, development and environmental sectors and beyond to strengthen climate action

6. Use our influence to mobilise urgent and ambitious climate action and environmental protection


7. Develop and improve targets and standards as we implement our commitments

Summary of Consultations


- 20+ live consultations and presentations on the Charter
- Online form available in English, French, Arabic, and Spanish
- Over 200 individuals representing 150+ organizations

RCRC National Societies	33
International NGOs	29
National NGO and INGO local/regional chapters	57
Humanitarian Networks	9
UN Agencies	13
Think tanks, researchers, other	15

Next Steps



**Disseminate and promote
the Charter**



**Collect and develop tools
and resources**



**Work across
and beyond the
humanitarian
sector to inspire
ambitious
action**