



## Climate Action Coach Program Launches!



The [Salt Spring Climate Action Plan \(CAP 2.0\)](#) is an amazing resource, but with over 250 recommended actions, even we will admit it's a long read.

That is why we are excited to introduce you to our new [Climate Action Coach Program!](#)



[The Climate Action Coach Program](#) was created to help put **CAP 2.0** into action.

Our coaches can help islanders navigate the many rebate programs that reduce emissions and build our community's resilience in the face of climate change.

**Rob Lowrie and Maia Carolsfeld, our two new Climate Action Coaches,** are putting together educational materials to help us deepen our commitment to climate action.

They have also been reaching out to local businesses and organizations to help facilitate local rebate programs.

*"We act as navigators," explains Rob. "Often it's hard for people to invest their time and attention into figuring out what's even out there. We're taking that off of their shoulders by helping them get information more quickly and in ways that are easier to understand. We hope this will inspire them to take that next step to actually make the changes they want to make."*

If you are interested in meeting Rob and Maia, or just want to talk to us about the program in person, **come check out Transition Salt Spring's booth at the Fall Fair this weekend, September 18th and 19th.**

We will also have a demonstration heat pump unit, and a photo opportunity to **take your picture as a Climate Action Superhero.**



To learn more and meet Maia and Rob, email them at: [climatecoach@transitionsaltspring.com](mailto:climatecoach@transitionsaltspring.com)

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## Featured Events and News



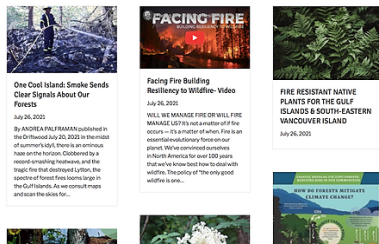
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## Website Wonders!

We have revamped [our website](#) to make it easier to share useful updates and info with you on all things climate action-related.

Check out the new [Forests Learning Portal](#) and [Fire and Drought](#) resources page!

### Fire and Drought Resources



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## Other News

### CLIMATE ACTION ROUNDTABLE

The conversation voters need.

 <b>Fatima Syed (Moderator)</b> Host, The Backbench Pod	 <b>Dan Albas</b> Conservative Party	 <b>Laurel Collins</b> New Democratic Party
 <b>Kristina Michaud</b> Bloc Québécois	 <b>Dr. Imre Szeman</b> Green Party	 <b>Hon. Jonathan Wilkinson</b> Liberal Party

Thursday, September 16 | 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. ET | 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. PT  
Zoom & Facebook Live

### Climate Roundtable

Thursday, September 16th at 4:00

PM PST, Climate Action Network

Canada will host a bilingual roundtable

with representatives from all major

parties to participate in a constructive

dialogue on how to advance climate

action in Canada. [Register here.](#)



### Introduction to Drawdown Course

A facilitated workshop, exploring Project Drawdown climate change solutions to assist participants in identifying, supporting, and

initiating climate change solutions at the household, community, and policy

levels. [Register here](#) for one of these

options.

Sept. 19, 2021 – 7-8 pm

Oct. 4, 2021 – 7-8 pm

Nov. 7, 2021 – 7-8 pm

Dec. 6, 2021 – 7-8 pm

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