

# BROWARD COUNTY GREEN SCHOOLS CAMPAIGN

November 11, 2025

# WHAT IS THE GREEN SCHOOLS CAMPAIGN?

- The Broward Green Schools Campaign is a part of The Climate Reality Project's national network of local campaigns aiming to transition educational institutions to 100% clean energy.
- Within Broward County's campaign the Broward Sierra Group - Junior Team is calling for a clean energy, electrification of school busses, composting, and more.

# WE NEED 100% CLEAN ENERGY FOR OUR SCHOOLS

- Annually, schools in the United States are spending \$8 billion on energy and emit an estimated 72 million metric tons of carbon dioxide – equivalent to the output of 18 coal plants.
- CO2 emissions contribute to increased frequency of extreme heat; instances of extreme heat lead to higher rates of heat related illness, and can be dangerous to predisposed groups and individuals.
- Broward County has already began taking action to reducing its carbon emissions, and Green Schools is the next step.

# OUR DEMAND

- The Broward Green Schools Campaign is calling for Broward County Public Schools (BCPS) to transition to 100% clean energy
- Electrify the bus fleet as diesel buses age out and get the V2G convertors as soon as available
- Implement sustainable composting programs in schools
- Expand environmental education in BCPS

# THE BENEFITS OF RESILIENT SCHOOLS

## Ex: Healthier schools



Renewable energy cuts pollution, creating a healthier environment for students and staff.

## Ex: Learning opportunities



Clean energy initiatives provide practical learning experiences in sustainability and technology.

## Ex: Lower Energy Costs



Clean energy reduces utility expenses, freeing up funds for educational improvements.

# COMMUNITY INPUT

- Already endorsed by
  - Representative Robin Bartleman, District 103
  - Representative Micheal Gottlieb, District 102
  - Mayor Joy Cooper, Hallandale Beach
  - Mayor Sandra Welch, Coconut Creek
  - Mayor Mike Ryan, Sunrise
  - Mayor Judy Paul, Davie
  - Commissioner Nancy Metayer Bowen, Coral Springs
  - Commissioner Idelma Quintana, Hollywood
  - Commissioner Jennifer Andreu, Plantation
  - Commissioner Melissa Dunn, Lauderhill

# PAST SUCCESSES



## School Board Resolution

On December 17, BCPS unanimously passed Resolution 25-122 in support of transitioning to clean energy.



## Plantation Proclamation

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## Coconut Creek Proclamation

On October 10, the City of Coconut Creek also passed a proclamation stating their support.



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Campaign to promote environmental stewardship, sustainability, resiliency and energy conservation in Broward schools.

## WHO ARE WE?

We are a group of Broward students ages 12-18 who have joined Broward Sierra Group - Junior Team and are working with Climate Reality Project of North Broward and Palm Beach County. On December 17, 2024, we got the Broward School Board to unanimously pass a resolution in support of transitioning the school district to renewable energy!

## RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS



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## BENEFITS OF JOINING

- Acquire leadership skills while organizing campaign and speaking to elected officials, school board members, and other stakeholders
- Practice graphic design and communication skills
- Earn community service hours.
- Meet students and environmental activists across Broward County
- Improve our community and expand your network and resume

## JOIN + SUPPORT THE CAMPAIGN!



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# QUESTIONS?

