



Eco-Neighbourhoods

Topic

Active citizenship
and sustainability

Where was it implemented?

Auckland

Who made it possible?

The programme is funded by specific local boards and managed by local community facilitators.



Link to the project

<https://livelightly.nz/eco-neighbourhoods/>



Brief description

Eco-Neighbourhoods aim to connect like-minded neighbours across local suburbs, who can find fun ways to make a real difference in climate change together, including activities and workshops.

Results achieved

The project website talk about 42,112 implemented actions, making simple changes to everyday actions that will make a big difference to the carbon footprint and well-being of citizens in participating neighborhoods.

Success factors

It is an opportunity for people to learn different ways to live sustainability: you could learn how to grow and buy local food, keep shared chickens, improve your home's energy efficiency, set up pest control in your hood, minimize waste, harvest rainwater or compost . Check out these action areas: eat, grow, move, energy, shop and talk.

People involved

There are many groups in the Auckland community working to make change.

Replicability tips

To form a group, it is recommended to have at least six people from different families in your neighborhood. The next step is the most exciting: decide what you want to do to help our environment and then get busy! A community facilitator could assist groups in setting up and getting started, providing support, advice and ideas. You could keep in touch through the EcoNeighbourhoods newsletter and FB page.