

METRO BOSTON YOUTH CLIMATE SUMMIT



When: Saturday, May 16

Time: 1:00 pm - 4:45 pm (doors open at 12:45pm), set-up begins at 11:30am

Where: Somerville High School, 81 Highland Ave, Somerville, MA

Register here! <https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/ndu296c/lp/ca985c2d-848e-4a94-a5fd-12db2067361d>

Opening remarks (1:00p.m.-1:20 p.m)

We will open our Summit with a warm welcome from Lizzi Weyant, the Executive Director of MAPC, Mayor Jake Wilson of the City of Somerville, and members of the summit's Youth Advisory Group.

Concurrent Breakout Session 1 (1:30p.m.-2:20p.m.)

Lightning Talks Taking Climate Action (Session 1)

Meet high school students who are helping neighbors in Everett complete home energy efficiency upgrades, designing climate programs for the Governor's office, and leading climate resilience actions across the region.

Workshop 1 Climate Zine Making Workshop

Facilitated by *Curiko Studios*.

Workshop 2 Climate and Environmental Justice

Facilitated by the *Mystic River Watershed Association*

Workshop 3 Food Justice

Community Exhibition (2:20-3:20)

Get to know classmates from around Massachusetts who are also passionate about climate justice. Come by the poster session to learn from peers about composting, waste-free living, clean energy programs, and sustainability efforts in nearby high schools. Bring clothes for a clothing swap and garment-painting station. We'll have pizza and snacks.

Concurrent Breakout Session 2 (3:20-4:10)

Lightning Talks Climate Advocacy and Social Change

Learn from student and adult activists working each day to build climate action networks and advocate for environmental justice, air and water quality improvements, and efficient public transportation.

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Closing Remarks and Activity (4:10-4:45)

We will close our summit with a few words from Massachusetts' Undersecretary of Environmental Justice and Equity, María Belén Power, a thank you to our Youth Advisory Group, and a short reflection activity.