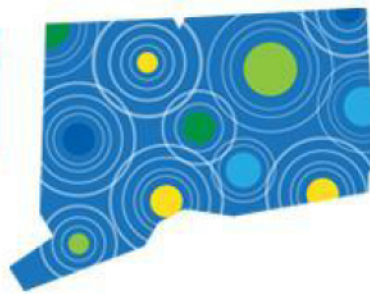


Actions & Impact

The Sustainable CT Newsletter



Re:source:ful 2

Connecticut Public Showcases Sustainable CT Grantees

CPTV has followed [its 2020 premiere of "Re:source:ful"](#) with a brand new episode - once again highlighting grassroots efforts **supported by Sustainable CT** that promote sustainable and equitable communities. From a youth summer program focused on constructing new hiking trails, to an ambitious mural project highlighting Black leaders across Connecticut, this program showcases how residents and local leaders can band together to address specific needs and create innovative solutions to ensure their communities thrive.

The newest episode of "Re:source:ful" premiered Saturday, October 2, on CPTV. It is now available on-demand [on cptv.org](#), as well as at [video.cptv.org](#); on [YouTube](#); and on the free Connecticut Public mobile app. (Visit [Google Play](#) or the [Apple App Store](#) to download the app.) Be re:source:ful and check it out!



Measuring Equity in Action: Connecting Local Data to Sustainable CT Actions

Sustainable CT knows that municipalities statewide have the power and potential to ensure every neighborhood can thrive—no matter where residents come from, what they look like, or how much they earn. Our voluntary municipal certification process fosters inclusivity, resiliency and vibrancy, with a core commitment to equity.

But where is the best place to start?

DataHaven, a non-profit research organization that has served Connecticut since 1992, has designed this series of equity reports to help you better understand your community. Reports for each town are available on [the DataHaven website](#).

These reports use data from federal and state agencies, as well as in-depth local surveys of randomly-selected adults, to provide a detailed overview of social and economic conditions in your community.

[Connecticut Town Equity Reports...](#)



"Arrested Mobility" Will Move You

Join the Capitol Region Council of Governments and renowned speaker Charles T. Brown for his presentation

on **"Arrested Mobility: Exploring the Adverse Impacts of Over-policing BIPOC Mobility in the US."** October 21 at 12:00 p.m.

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Homelessness Defined

The Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness will lead a presentation and discussion that uses the four

categories of homelessness as defined by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). HUD language will be highlighted alongside examples of each category, followed by a description of the homeless service system responses and with a sample of creative municipal-lead responses. This is a response to and preparation for town submissions for [Sustainable CT Action 12: Effective, Compassionate Homelessness Prevention](#).

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Food For Thought

Our thanks to Cara Santino, for acknowledging the importance of Sustainable CT in her recent article

"Recipes for resistance: Practical applications of restorative food justice in New Haven, Connecticut." Published in the Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development.

[\[READ the FULL ARTICLE\]](#)



One For The Books

The brand new Park Street Library opened in Hartford's historic Frog Hollow neighborhood on October 2.

Help the residents clean and beautify the surrounding area by supporting their [SCT-matched crowd funding campaign](#). Only 13 days left!



Next SCT Coffee Hour: October 15, 10 a.m.

Understanding your community and optimizing for equity with [new local data reports from DataHaven](#).

Join Sustainable CT for informal discussions the third Friday of each month. We share program updates and resources, explore your questions, and strengthen the network of Sustainable CT champions. These sessions are open to all.

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Put Me In, Coach!



Work with a Sustainable CT Equity Coach

With this no-cost assistance program, your community will be paired with a Sustainable CT Equity Coach to lay out a process to address equity-related issues of importance in your community.

[\[LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR EQUITY COACHES\]](#)



Click through for a short video on equity coaching



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