

Championing Renewable Energy

Green Century convinces companies to reduce climate pollution and harness wind and solar power.

Problem

- Despite 2024 being the warmest year on record, global emissions from fossil fuels reached a record high with no sign of peaking.
- Nearly 70% of the 500 largest global companies have publicly committed to reducing their greenhouse gases that are worsening climate change, yet only a fraction have made plans to achieve reductions.
- Companies without a plan to decrease emissions and source renewable energy are at risk of reputational damage and producing more greenhouse gases that harm our planet.

Green Century's Solution

Green Century encourages companies to:

- Create a climate roadmap, or plan, to successfully shift away from fossil fuels and toward a clean energy economy.
- Make climate transition plans that include detailed strategies, milestones, and a timeline.
- Advance energy efficiency, clean transportation, and renewable energy, as well as strengthen climate credibility with customers and investors.



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Green Century works to transition companies away from fossil fuels. See back side for more examples.

Key Successes

Green Century engaged 31 companies in 2025 and filed 12 shareholder proposals on:

Verizon - As the world's second-largest telecommunications company, Verizon surpassed its goal of sourcing half of its electricity from renewable energy one year early in 2025 at 56 percent. This change has resulted in cutting 2.3 million metric tons of carbon dioxide – equivalent to taking about 500,000 cars off the road – each year. Green Century met with Verizon for three years to secure this goal and will push for additional renewable energy purchase targets this year.



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Semiconductors - Five semiconductor companies, including NVIDIA, Intel, and Texas Instruments, each agreed to publish a climate transition plan, or roadmap for reducing their climate emissions as a result of Green Century filing shareholder resolutions and holding negotiations. Texas Instruments achieved its 2025 carbon emission targets and, in accordance with Green Century's agreement, announced 2035 emissions reduction targets. Onsemi, announced specific science-based climate emissions goals, which are part of their climate transition plan.



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Warner Brothers Discovery - The newly merged owner of HBO, CNN, and Discovery agreed to and did publish its climate strategy by the end 2024. As part of its strategy, the company reported its greenhouse gas emissions for the first time as the first step to setting targets to reduce them. Green Century will engage the company on finalizing ambitious, science-based climate targets in the coming year.



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TD Bank - Green Century negotiated a commitment in 2025 from TD Bank, Canada's second largest bank, to publish progress toward its net-zero climate emissions target. This success came after the 2024 Green Century's shareholder resolution - that won 28.8% of shareholder's support - on climate change. Executives at TD Bank will be better motivated to incorporate their emissions reduction strategy into the company's overall business plan because of this commitment.



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AGCO - Green Century worked with this farm equipment manufacturer to make and publish a plan to hit its goal of sourcing 60% of their energy from renewable energy. The company will publish their plan in 2025, improving the transparency and credibility of its strategy to transition away from fossil fuels.

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