2017

- OneSTL Sustainability Summit with representatives from 153 organizations in attendance
- Six Working Groups formed and adopted regional sustainability targets
- T-Rex began hosting monthly OneSTL Sustainability Labs, and Sustainability Lab Planning Committee forms

2018

- Materials and Recycling Working Group received first grant for regional recycling education campaign (#recycleresponsibly, Stick with the Six)
- Energy and Emissions Working Group held a multi-sector goal and priority-setting workshop
- Washington University students presented preliminary results of the first regional greenhouse gas inventory at a Sustainability Lab
- Biodiversity Working Group competed in the global "City Nature Challenge"
- Food Access Working Group surveyed neighborhood stores and categorized food options
- OneSTL Communications Strategists group convened and created communications strategy for OneSTL

2019

- Materials and Recycling Working Group receives second grant for outreach education
- Food Waste Diversion Sub-Committee formed
- Biodiversity Working Group started developing a digital Biodiversity Atlas
- St. Louis Grow Solar pilot successfully completed with assistance from the Energy and Emissions Working Group
- Republic Services reported a decrease in contamination of recycling due to Working Group recycling education
- Citizens for Modern Transit assumed leadership of the Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Working Group

2020

- Biodiversity Working Group held workshop for professionals with author Doug Tallamy
- Sustainability efforts went virtual during pandemic lockdown
- Materials and Recycling Working Group receives third grant and published multiple campaigns to reduce contamination in recycling (PPE, Plastic Bags and Wraps)
- Initiated We Are OneSTL social media campaign

2017 — 2018 — 2019 — 2020 — *We are looking forward to future accomplishments!*

Green		Baseline		Current	
Developed Land per Capita	Number of developed acres per capita	2006	0.255	2016	0.266
Air Quality	Average number of days per year the EPA Air Quality Index exceeds 100 for ozone	2009-2011	30.3 days	2018-2020	11.3 days
Rainscaping	Acres of land treated for stormwater overflow using water quality best management practices	2010	578 acres	2020	9,965 acres
Tree Cities	Percent of municipalities that are certified by Tree City USA	2010	20.4%	2019	28.2%
Watershed Plans	Number of watersheds with a plan or active organization	2010	8	2020	30
Water Quality	Rivers and streams impaired (polluted), in miles	2012	709.5	2015	711.9
Sustainable Codes	Percent of local governments that have an energy conservation code and/or a green construction code	2013	86.8%	2020	86.6%
Greenhouse Gas Emissions	Total carbon dioxide equivalent emissions per capita	2008/2010	23.58 MTCO2e	---	

COVID-19 and regional metrics

- ***Notice the "Baseline" and "Current" years, they differ based on the source of the data.***
- ***Effects of pandemic are not realized for all metrics yet.***
- ***Economic metrics are positive, but 2020 numbers are not out yet.***
- ***Transportation metrics are the most current and generally show a decline in the numbers, mostly transit ridership.***
- ***How will these metrics recover?***
- ***Visit http://www.onestl.org/indicators for more details on each metric***

OneSTL Working Groups

Biodiversity

- *St. Louis Zoo and Botanical Gardens*
- *Urban tree canopy and right-of-way maintenance*

Energy and Emissions

- *Washington University and US Green Building Council*
- *Building energy efficiency and electric vehicle infrastructure*

Food Access

- *St. Louis Food Policy Coalition*
- *Local food production and urban farming*

Materials and Recycling

- *City and County health departments*
- *Recycling and food waste*

Transit Oriented Development

- *Citizens for Modern Transit*
- *Developer/Metro/Government relations and bus stop improvements*

Water and Green Infrastructure

- *Missouri WaterKeepers and Water Resources Committee*
- *Watershed planning resources and Water Quality Indices*

OneSTL Coordinating Activities

Sustainability Lab @ T-Rex

- *Monthly, on-line*
- *Informational, Educational, Networking*

Website Maintenance

- *Landing pages for working groups*
- *Toolkit and Resources*

Social Media Presence

- *Facebook, Twitter, Instagram*
- *Partner spotlights – We Are OneSTL (#WAO)*

Finding Connections

- *Food Waste Reduction = Recycling + Food Access*
- *Water Quality = Water + Biodiversity*

Community Resource

- *Best Practices*
- *Technical Assistance*

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