

2010 - Grant received from HUD/EPA/DOT



2013 - Plan Completed



2013-2015 - Grant partners keep meeting



2015 - Green Cities Challenge launched



2017 - Held Sustainability Summit and launched Sustainability Lab @ T-REX



2017 - Working Groups form and set targets



2017-now - Several grants received to help meet targets

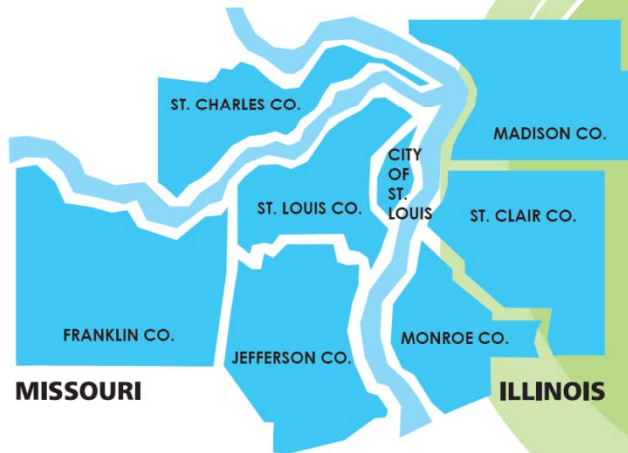


2023 - Working Groups all in on Climate Action Plan

# 2024 Report to the Region



PLAN FOR A PROSPEROUS, HEALTHY, VIBRANT ST. LOUIS REGION



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### OneSTL Performance Indicators

Collaborative				
Indicator	Definition	Desired Trend	Baseline	Current
<a href="#">OneSTL Network Membership</a>	Number of OneSTL Network Members	↑	2013	2022: 490
<a href="#">Sustainability Lab @ T-Rex</a>	Average number of people in attendance per month at the Sustainability Lab @ T-Rex	↑	2017	2022: 21
<a href="#">Access to Information</a>	Number of OneSTL.org users in the St. Louis Metro Area	↑	2014	2022: 5,394

Prosperous				
Indicator	Definition	Desired Trend	Baseline	Current
<a href="#">Access to Jobs</a>	Percent of residents living within a reasonable travel time to work	↑	2006-2010	2017-2021: 67.7%
<a href="#">Poverty</a>	Percent of residents living in poverty	↓	2010	2021: 11.0%
<a href="#">Employment</a>	Number of full-time equivalent (FTE) jobs	↑	2019	2021: 1,190,768




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## System Performance Dashboard


#### Federal Measures

**Highways**



See the future targets for safety, asset condition, congestion, reliability, and emissions.


**Transit**



See the future targets for safety, reliability, and asset condition.


#### Our Communities and Region

**Economic Vitality**




Track the region's progress on employment and GDP.

**Thriving Neighborhoods and Communities**




Understand data on vacancy and housing/transportation costs.

**A Vibrant Downtown and Central Core**



See how population and employment in the central core has changed.


**Healthy and Sustainable Environment**



Track the region's progress on air quality and carbon emissions.


#### Our Transportation System

**Safe and Secure**




Track the region's progress

**Choices and Access**




Look at data on non-single

**Seamless, Efficient, and Reliable**



Assess congestion and

**Well-Maintained and Resilient**



See the current condition of

STL 2030 PROGRESS

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NORTH STAR METRICS
Human Capital
Infrastructure
Business & Economic Development
Public Safety

POPULATION GROWTH
GDP GROWTH
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME GROWTH
HOME OWNERSHIP RATE

Population Growth

+0.7%

Average Annual Growth Through 2030 (100k Pop)

Steady population growth drives a thriving regional economy. People are a critical regional asset and racial equity and inclusion strengthens communities. A growing, diverse, and dynamic workforce is key to economic success.

Population Growth by Peer MSA (2016-2022)

Population Composition by Race/Ethnicity by Peer MSA (2021)

St. Louis MSA Population Growth by Age (2016-2021)

St. Louis MSA Population Growth by County (2016-2021)

Net Migration (2016-2021)



# OneSTL Working Groups

## Biodiversity

- ❑ *Led by Missouri Botanical Garden with the St. Louis Zoo*
- ❑ *Protecting and enhancing local ecosystems*



Margy and Dan Terpstra - Shady Oak Sanctuary, Kirkwood, MO



Margy and Dan Terpstra are long-time residents of Kirkwood, MO. They began to transform their property in 1996, to restore habitat for wildlife through native plantings. Their Shady Oaks Sanctuary makes appreciative use of the multiple topographic levels around their suburban yard. Cameras are subtle partners with water features and plantings that provide year-round ecological food sources. The Terpstra's never tire of discovering Nature's ways. They gauge the success of ongoing efforts by the diversity of species they observe, document, and share through photos and blog stories posted to their [website](#). Shady Oaks holds Platinum Certification from the Bring Conservation Home program of St. Louis Audubon.

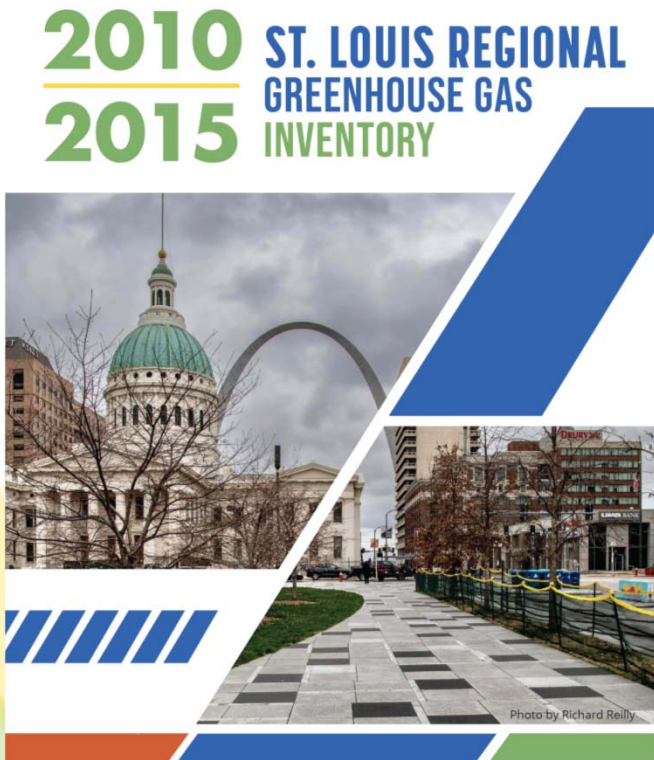
Populating a biodiversity hub with:

- Species Inventories
- Case Studies
- Research Findings
- Policies and Practices
- Corridor Projects and Plans
- Stewardship Opportunities

# OneSTL Working Groups

## Energy and Emissions

- ❑ *Led by Missouri Gateway Green Building Council and Washington University*
- ❑ *Local renewable energy, building energy efficiency and electric vehicle infrastructure*



- Assembled and release a regional greenhouse gas inventory
- Supported the St. Louis Building Energy Exchange
- Assisted with Climate Pollution Reduction Grant outreach and coordination on implementation grant application

# OneSTL Working Groups

## Food Access

- ❑ *Advisory Committee on Social Determinant of Health Study – Healthy Food and Nutrition*

City of St. Louis  
Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)  
Accelerator Plan

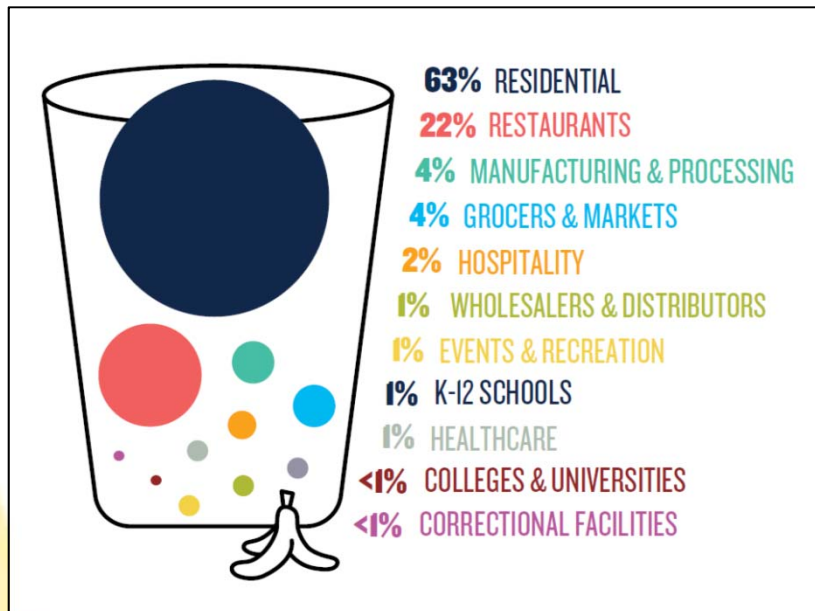


- Increase access to quality fruits and vegetables in areas with low access
- More products and purchasing from urban farms/farming, farmers markets, and other programs
- Collaborating with Materials group on food waste reduction

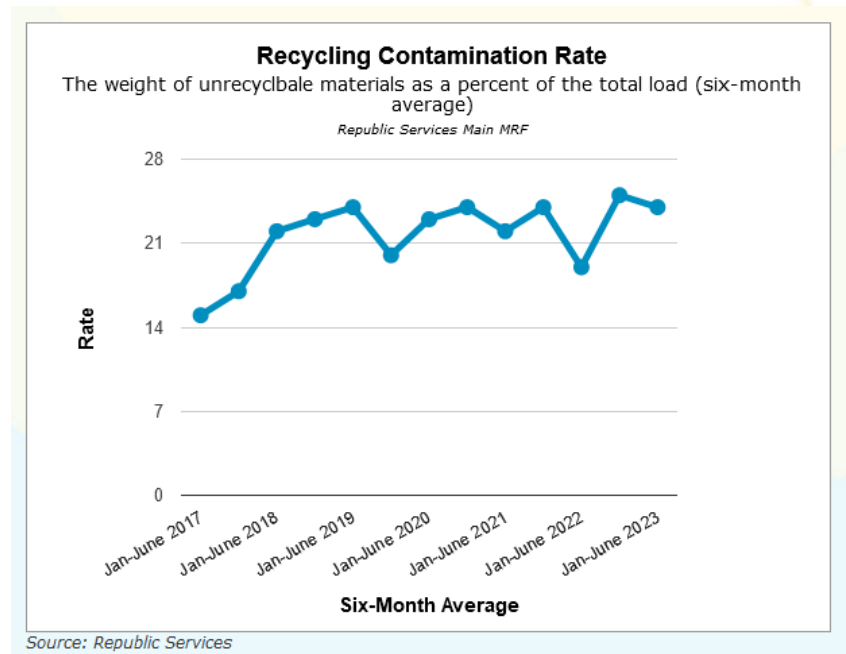
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## Materials and Recycling

- ❑ *Led by Missouri Botanical Garden and Community Volunteers*
- ❑ *Waste reduction through recycling, plastic reduction and food waste*



- Released a regional food waste study

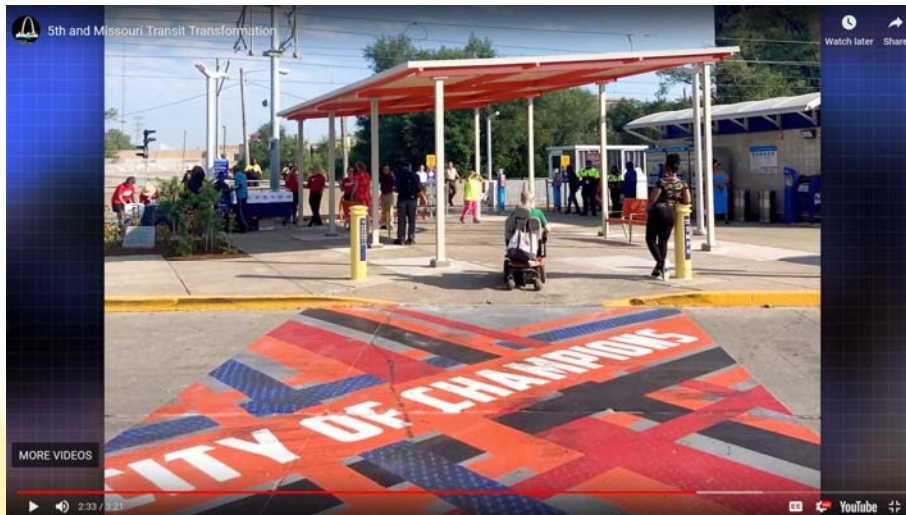


- Worked with Republic Services to get usable data and target setting

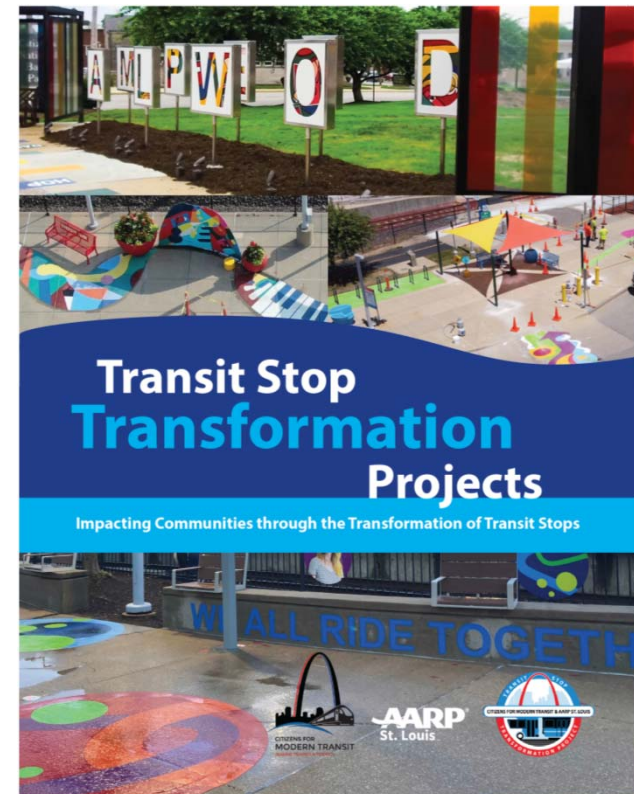
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## Transit Oriented Development

- ❑ *Led by Citizens for Modern Transit*
- ❑ *Developer/Metro/Government relations and transit station improvements*



- Transit Stop Transformation at 5<sup>th</sup> and Missouri in East St. Louis



- Released the Transit Stop Transformation instruction guide



# OneSTL Working Groups

## Water and Green Infrastructure

- ❑ *Subcommittee of Water Resources Committee*
- ❑ *Watershed planning resources and water quality awareness*



- Brentwood Park – a success in mitigating flooding



- Meramec River stream bank stabilization



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