

WORKSHEET: Developing Your Faith for Earth Councilor Action Plan

1) Brainstorm (Create Plan). Which one of the three Action Ideas (list at back of Toolkit) do you want to implement in/with your Faith-based organization or community? Do you already have approval from your Faith Leader? Make some notes, as needed, about the idea and what support you will need to share the idea with your organization/community:

2) Timeline. Using the high-level timeline below. Fill in and add dates to provide an approximate schedule for how your action will be planned (preparation), executed (day or days of action), and completed (final report submitted).

DATE	ACTIVITY	COMPLETED
April	Draft Action Plan & receive approval from Faith Leader, Institution, or Community	
April	Action Plan submitted to UNEP/URI for Faith for Earth Councilor approval	
June	Faith for Earth Councilors announced & recognized at World Environment Day	
	Detail dates & steps to implement each phase of your Action Plan between now and November, 2021:	
Nov 1	Final report submitted to UNEP/URI	
End of 2021	Faith for Earth acknowledges all completed plans and Faith for Earth Councilors	

3) Educate and Inspire. What will work best for your organization/community to feel eager and excited to help you make the action successful? Is there education needed? Are you providing that training or is someone else? How will you recruit the team you need to join you for the action day or period of the project? The Faith for Earth Principles (below) and sacred scriptures from your Tradition will likely provide useful guidelines and encouragement. Are there ways you will share them with the group as part of the training and/or action day(s) you share together? What are your takeaways from the Faith for Earth Counselor training that you want to pass on to your organization/community? Write your ideas here:

Faith for Earth principles:

- Commitment to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights
- Respect for all spiritual and religious beliefs
- Adoption of the principles of “Leave no one behind”
- Transparency in governance structure and decision-making
- Interfaith collaboration with mutual acceptance and respect
- Focus on the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs
- Building bridges between existing knowledge and experience scientifically and spiritually
- Perform Actions that respect individual and communal beliefs
- Aim at Transforming people’s behaviors through their spiritual values

Sacred Scripture(s) or teaching(s) that you wish to include:

4) Logistics and Content Checklist. The checklist below provides suggestions for ways to create a successful period of education and implementation as you both prepare for and host your day(s) of action / project.

COMPLETE	TRAINING / ENCOURAGEMENT RESOURCE	NOTES
	Begin with and/or include Sacred Scriptures at training and day(s) of action (above)	
	Model and teach Faith for Earth Principles (above) as follows:	
	Provide necessary education about selection Action Area (1 of the 3), including the connected SDG as follows:	
	Enlist support of team members from your organization, or outside partnerships who will be providing instruction or collaborating with your organization/community to complete your day of action/project.	
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COMPLETE	TRAINING / ENCOURAGEMENT RESOURCE	NOTES
	<p>Create agenda, checklist and arrange other logistics for implementing action/project. Be sure someone on your team is taking care of photography or video and social media as well as an evaluation (optional) for those who participate. Photos, social media and evaluations will help you collect success stories and feedback about the action/project that will support you final report.</p>	
	<p>Media plan (optional) – Share social media with local news or media before the event and follow-up with photos and success stories after to increase awareness about your action/project in your region.</p>	
	<p><i>Celebrate your success and completed project with your Faith Leader and Organization/Community!!</i></p>	
	<p>Consider how Faith for Earth Councilor work will continue in your organization/community and submit Final Report to UNEP/URI</p>	