



MISSION: *We work with faith communities to address the causes and consequences of global climate change through education and public policy advocacy. We work toward the following GOALS:*

Understanding: *To explore the scientific, spiritual, and social dimensions of the ecological crisis*

Reflection: *To nurture reverence and wonder toward the Creation and our interconnected Earth community*

Action: *To apply these understandings and reflections in the conduct of our lives, as individuals, families and congregations*

Advocacy: *To work for public policy that supports the health of the Earth's ecosystems and that serves justice and respect for all life*

Congregational Certificate of Participation

We add our prayers, intentions, and actions to those of other individuals and congregations in North Carolina who are dedicated to preserving the health of our people, the natural beauty of our state, and all of Creation.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONGREGATION *(please print)*

As a member of the congregation named above, I affirm that we are supporting the mission and goals of NC Interfaith Power & Light through one or more of the following activities:

- Host a “Hope Workshop on Global Warming” presented by NC Interfaith Power & Light volunteers.
- Conduct an energy audit of our buildings to improve energy efficiency.
- Make energy efficient improvements to our congregation’s buildings.
- Enlist in the NC GreenPower (www.ncgreenpower.org) program as a congregation and as individuals.
- Install compact fluorescent lights (CFLs) in our religious buildings or homes.
- Show a film from the NC Interfaith Power & Light video lending library.
- Study the adult curriculum guides, “It’s God’s World” (Christian), “The Cry of Creation” (Interfaith), or a program of your own denomination.
- Establish ongoing Care of Creation study or advocacy groups within the congregation.
- Advocate with public officials to reduce global warming pollution through public policy.

SIGNATURE: _____ **PRINT NAME:** _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ Date: _____

- Representing:
- Individual member who will organize congregational activity
 - Congregational committee who will sponsor the activity
 - Congregation committing to additional activity

To affirm the participation of members of this congregation in the activities and mission of NC Interfaith Power & Light, please sign and mail to NC IPL at the above address.