



## Climate Commitment

With a long-term goal of achieving carbon neutrality, ACP members made the following joint commitments on April 22, 2023:

By April 2023, ACP members:

- Completed an initial greenhouse gas inventory for Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions.
- Determined the priority categories for Scope 3 emissions and determined a timeline for completing a Scope 3 inventory.

By April 2024 or sooner, we will:

- Determine carbon neutrality goal(s) and timeline(s).
- Develop an emissions reduction plan and determine a timeline for completing the plan.

Annually, we will:

- Measure and report greenhouse gas emissions.
- Identify, share, and implement strategies to (1) reduce greenhouse gas emissions from operations and (2) remove greenhouse gas emissions from the atmosphere.
- Support strong nature-based solutions in international, federal, and state climate change policies.
- Communicate the journey to achieve carbon neutrality with audiences.

## Plastic Commitment

In July 2017, ACP members made the following collective commitments:

- Immediately eliminate single-use plastic bags and plastic straws.
- Eliminate plastic beverage bottles by 2020.
- Showcase innovative alternatives to single-use plastic.

In April 2019, [ACP members made the additional commitments](#):

- Significantly reduce or eliminate single-use plastic packaging in retail products.
- Dining area tableware (including plates, cups, lids, dishes and utensils) are single-use plastic free.
- Reduce single-use plastic in back-of-house operations.

## Sustainable Feed Commitment

In collaboration with SAFE Shark and Ray, ACP partnered to launch a [sustainable feed business commitment pilot program](#) in 2023. The primary goal of this project is to assess current feed used by pilot facilities, and to work with suppliers to seek alternatives to “feed sustainable”.

In 2023, ACP and SAFE Shark and Ray:

- Created a Sustainable Feed Work Group.
- Received a CGF Grant.
- Presented at AZA Annual.
- Collected 30 assessments from ACP and SAFE Shark and Ray Partners.

This project seeks to influence suppliers, promote sustainable fisheries, and engage AZA-accredited members in transitioning to sustainable seafood alternatives, emphasizing the interconnectedness of responsible sourcing and global shark conservation.

