

# Theory of Change for a Climate Ready Glasgow City Region

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## Principles

**Intrinsic value of nature**  
Nature/biodiversity has intrinsic value and efforts to build climate resilience should do so in ecological, as well as human, communities

**Climate & social justice**  
People's lives can be made healthier and happier – and inequality/ vulnerability lessened – by efforts to build climate resilience

**Revolution in understanding**  
There needs to be a 'revolution in understanding' the potential impacts of climate change, and the adaptation options available

**More of the same won't do**  
An effective response to climate change will require a revolutionary approach

**Revolution in planning**  
There needs to be a 'revolution in planning'. We must rethink how we use land and space, and where and what we build, with planners empowered to prioritise climate resilience

**Revolution in finance**  
There needs to be a 'revolution in finance' to ensure that the funds and resources necessary to build climate resilience are made available

**Recognising uncertainty**  
Our future is uncertain; we need to reduce global heating and plan for worst-case scenarios, recognising that climate change is not a linear process

