

Joint Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan

Option 1

I, **Alberto Vaccari, Mayor of Municipality of Casalgrande (RE)** have been mandated by the Municipal Council on **10-04-2019** to sign up to the **Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy** as part of the group named **Unione Tresnario Secchia**, composed of **Baiso, Casalgrande, Castellarano, Scandiano, Rubiera and Viano Municipalities**, in full knowledge of the commitments set out in the official [Commitment Document](#) and summarised below.

Therefore, my local authority principally commits to:

- Collectively reducing CO₂ (and possibly other greenhouse gas) emissions on our respective territories by at least 40% by 2030, namely through improved energy efficiency and greater use of renewable energy sources;
- Increasing our resilience by adapting to the impacts of climate change.

In order to translate these commitments into action, my local authority as part of the group undertakes to fulfil the following step-by-step approach:

- Carry out a **Baseline Emissions Inventory** and a **Climate Change Risk and Vulnerability Assessment**;
- Submit a **Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan** within two years following the above date of the municipal council decision;
- **Report progress** at least every second year following the submission of the Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan for evaluation, monitoring and verification purposes.

I accept that our group of local authorities shall be suspended from the initiative – subject to prior notice in writing by the Covenant of Mayors Office – in case of non-submission of the above-mentioned documents (i.e. Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan and Progress Reports) within the established deadlines.

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