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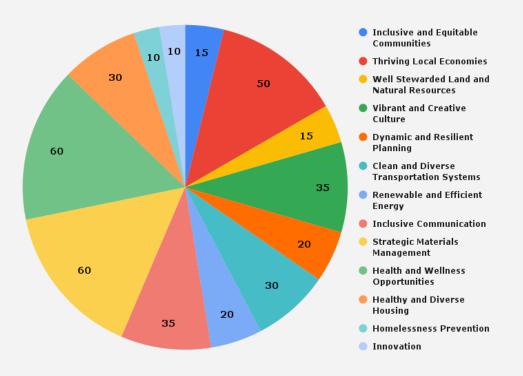




Haddam achieved Bronze certification in the spring of 2024 with 390 points.

Haddam, Connecticut, is a charming New England town located along the Connecticut River, Known for its scenic landscapes, Haddam offers a mix of historical sites and preserved natural areas. The town is home to landmarks like the early 20th-century East Haddam Swing Bridge. Haddam Meadows State Park provides river access for boating and fishing. With a history dating back to the 17th century, Haddam features classic colonial architecture. cozy local shops, and scenic walking trails, making it a peaceful, picturesque place with a warm, close-knit community atmosphere.

BRONZE 2024: POINTS EARNED BY CATEGORY



Supporting small business: a Haddam success story

Haddam exemplified its commitment to supporting local businesses within the community by offering \$20,000 grants to five different businesses adversely affected by the East Haddam Swing Bridge reconstruction project.

This vital support aimed to offset revenue losses and operational challenges faced by small businesses during the lengthy construction period. Haddam underscored its dedication to its small-business community.



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Haddam grows sustainable and affordable housing

In 2023, Haddam received a \$4.5 million grant to launch an adaptable, ADA-accessible revitalization project in Higganum Village. The project will repurpose the former elementary school, transforming it into a modern Senior Center with connected sidewalks that will link to the downtown area, enhancing accessibility and mobility. Additionally, the development includes the creation of thirty-six units of Affordable Senior Housing, offering a supportive, environment for local seniors.



\$8,300

Raised through the Community Match Fund

4

Total Action
Success Stories

23

Total Sustainability
Actions Completed

390

Total Certification
Points Earned



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Sustainable CT is a free, voluntary certification program that supports and recognizes thriving, resilient Connecticut municipalities. An independently funded, grassroots, municipal effort, Sustainable CT provides a wide-ranging menu of best practices. Municipalities choose Sustainable CT actions, implement them, and earn points toward certification.

Sustainable CT also provides opportunities for grant funding through its Community Match Fund program to help communities promote economic well-being and enhance equity, all while respecting the finite capacity of the natural environment. The program is designed to support all Connecticut municipalities, regardless of size, geography, or resources.

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