

# NORWALK ~2024~

Taking Action  
Making an Impact  
Celebrating Success

# Sustainable CT

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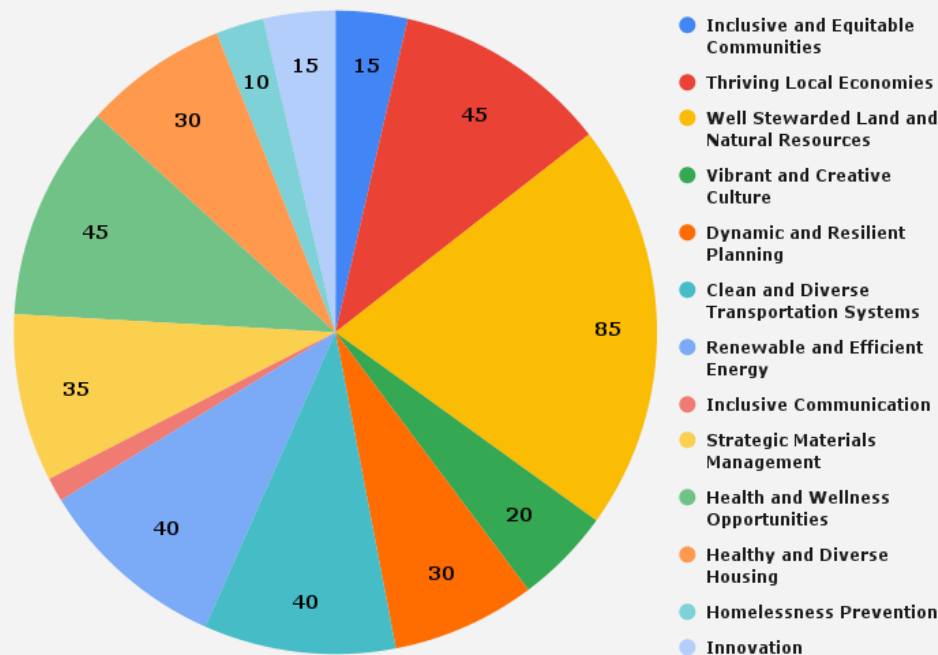




**Norwalk achieved Bronze certification with 415 points in the fall of 2024.**

Norwalk, Connecticut, is a lively coastal city celebrated for its diversity, history, and cultural attractions. With its waterfront along Long Island Sound, Norwalk offers scenic beaches, parks, and a popular harbor for boating, fishing, and other outdoor activities. The city is home to the renowned Maritime Aquarium, historic sites, and vibrant neighborhoods like SoNo (South Norwalk), known for its eclectic restaurants, shopping, and nightlife. Norwalk's expanding business sector and transit-friendly location attract professional development. With a commitment to sustainability and quality of life, Norwalk combines urban energy with suburban charm.

**BRONZE 2024: POINTS EARNED BY CATEGORY**



**Norwalk's watershed management: active and sustainable**

The City of Norwalk has been the active participant in the development and implementation of sustainable watershed management plans for all three regional watershed basins within its boundaries. To ensure watershed health and sustainability, Norwalk has adopted regulations to help protect its waters (such as a stormwater management policy) and has active action plans to continue strong watershed management.



**Effective parking management: a Norwalk success story**

Norwalk is adopting innovative strategies to improve parking management and accessibility. By reducing parking minimums in select areas, the city promotes efficient land use and pedestrian-friendly spaces. In specific business districts, Norwalk offers a fee-in-lieu of parking, allowing developers to contribute to a fund instead of building on-site parking. These funds support strategically located public parking, fostering a walkable, vibrant environment.



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\$37,744

Raised through the  
Community Match Fund

2

Total Action  
Success Stories

26

Total Sustainability  
Actions Completed

415

Total Certification  
Points Earned



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# ABOUT Sustainable CT

Local Actions. Statewide Impact.®



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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