

# POMFRET ~2024~

Taking Action  
Making an Impact  
Celebrating Success

## Sustainable

# CT



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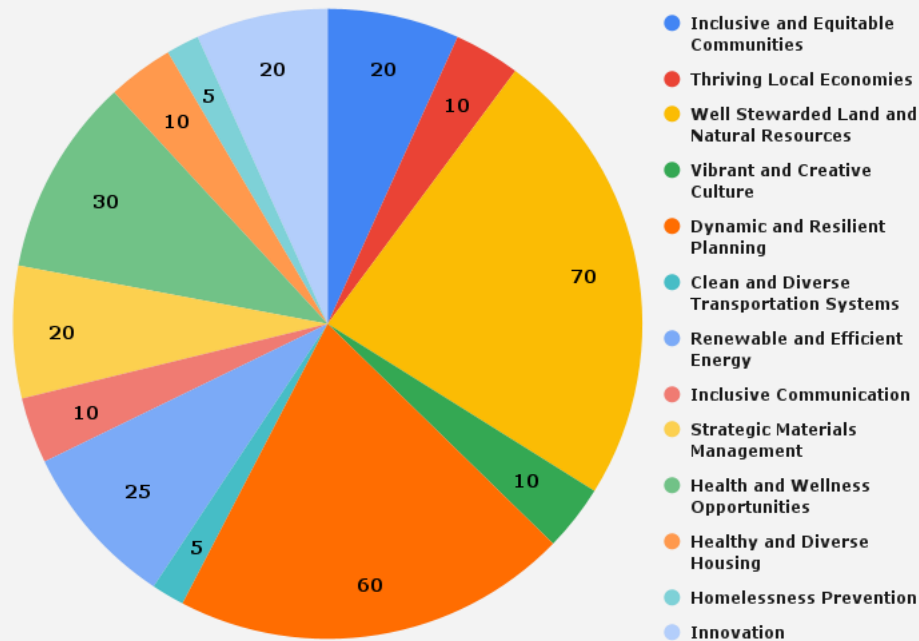




**Pomfret achieved Bronze certification with 295 points in the fall of 2024.**

Pomfret, a charming northeastern Connecticut town, offers a peaceful blend of rural beauty and historic charm. Its rolling hills, scenic woodlands, and crystal-clear lakes provide ample outdoor recreation, from hiking and fishing to boating. The town's well-preserved 18th-century buildings, including the historic Pomfret School campus, reflect its rich history. The vibrant community hosts numerous inviting restaurants and cafes such as the Vanilla Bean Café, a local favorite. For a tranquil escape and a taste of New England's past, Pomfret is a serene retreat.

**BRONZE 2024: POINTS EARNED BY CATEGORY**



**Pomfret is dedicated to preserving pollinators**

Pomfret took significant strides in 2024 to support pollinators. In May, the Agricultural Commission hosted a workshop on creating pollinator habitats. June saw the Conservation Commission lead a community planting event, installing 64 native plants in a 300 sq. ft. garden. Additionally, the town passed a Pollinator Friendly Community Resolution, committing to a healthy environment for pollinators. These actions demonstrate Pomfret's dedication to preserving pollinator populations.



**Combating invasive species: a Pomfret success story**

In collaboration with Fairvue Farms, Pomfret was awarded a grant from the CT Department of Agriculture for the complete removal of existing invasive species to return the nine acres of farm land to be useable land once again. This project exemplifies not only Pomfret's dedication to managing and removing invasive species, but also their willingness to support and collaborate with local farmers.



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<p><b>1</b></p> <p>Total Action Success Stories</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Total Sustainability Actions Completed</p>	<p><b>295</b></p> <p>Total Certification Points Earned</p>
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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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