Tool 1.1: Mayoral Announcement

[INSERT CITY LOGO]

MAYOR/CITY [NAME] COMMITS TO DEVELOPMENT OF
A CLIMATE ACTION PLAN FOR THE CITY

Today, Mayor [NAME] committed to taking action to address climate change by planning for and implementing actions to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and increase resilience of communities to impacts of climate change and regularly report progress publicly.

The Mayor [NAME] will reinforce his / her commitment to climate action by compiling an inventory of greenhouse emissions, reporting on the current impacts of climate change on the city, creating an action plan including clear and ambitious GHG reduction and climate adaptation targets, and implementing a common system of measuring those emissions and monitoring climate risks.

With this commitment, the city will continue to work to make [CITY] a community where people want to live, where businesses want to invest and where other cities look to for leadership on climate change. Taking stronger local action will improve the quality and livability of [CITY], and we proudly join fellow cities around the world to foster a global climate impact and help successfully implement the Paris Agreement.

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