

# 1990 – 2020 | AN ALLIANCE FOR THE CLIMATE

The cornerstone for Climate Alliance is laid in **1990**.

Six delegates from Amazonia, representatives of ten cities and numerous organisations from Germany, Austria and Switzerland meet in Frankfurt am Main.

Climate Alliance Italy is founded in **1991**.

Member cities elaborate a guide on alternatives to tropical timber.



1992 Exaristo Nuykang sign Frankfurt am Main's golden book

16 cities (AT, DE, IT, NL) sign the founding declaration of the Climate Alliance association in **1992**.

Municipal and indigenous representatives from within the membership form Climate Alliance's first board.

Climate Alliance receives official recognition as a non-profit organisation in **1993**.

An organisation consisting of a European office in Germany and national coordination offices in Italy, the Netherlands and Austria is established. The members set up the first working group on CO<sub>2</sub> reduction strategies.

Climate Alliance begins work on its first EU project in **1994**.

One result is a catalogue of measures meant as a checklist for members. Climate Alliance Austria is founded.

A study on the rights of indigenous peoples in Amazonia is carried out in **1995**.

Climate Alliance National Coordination Offices are founded in Luxembourg and Switzerland.

Climate Alliance presents a status report at the UN Climate Conference in Kyoto in **1997**.

For the first time, the scope and range of municipal climate commitment is thus presented to an international public.

Member municipalities adopt the Bolzano Declaration as a supplementary principle document in **2000**.

In addition to halving CO<sub>2</sub> emissions as a medium-term goal, a sustainable per capita greenhouse gas emissions sum is also defined as a long-term goal.

Climate Alliance again uses campaigns to draw attention to climate protection in **2002**.

Some 30,000 children collect green footprints within the framework of the Green Footprint campaign, first in Germany and later throughout Europe. For the first time, Climate Alliance awards the Climate Star prize for outstanding climate action.

A delegation of German and Austrian municipal representatives travels to Peru in **2004**.

The solar lamp project is then established in Iquitos via a partnership with the FORMABIAP programme for the training of indigenous teachers. In cooperation with the teachers, this new technology is made known in the indigenous communities.



2002 Climate Star

