

Climate Change

Virginia's natural resources are challenged and stressed by climate change. Many native species face invasive plants, insects and diseases that threaten their continued existence.

Therefore, the Garden Club of Virginia supports:

- Independent, academic, peer-reviewed scientific research of climate change phenomena
- Educational programs for members and the general public about the causes and consequences of climate change
- Individual and state-wide initiatives to control greenhouse gas emissions
- Individual and state-wide initiatives to protect the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries
- Individual and state-wide initiatives to support sustainable forests to protect Virginia watersheds and promote clean air
- Legislative initiatives to address climate change