



Local Government Climate Roadmap

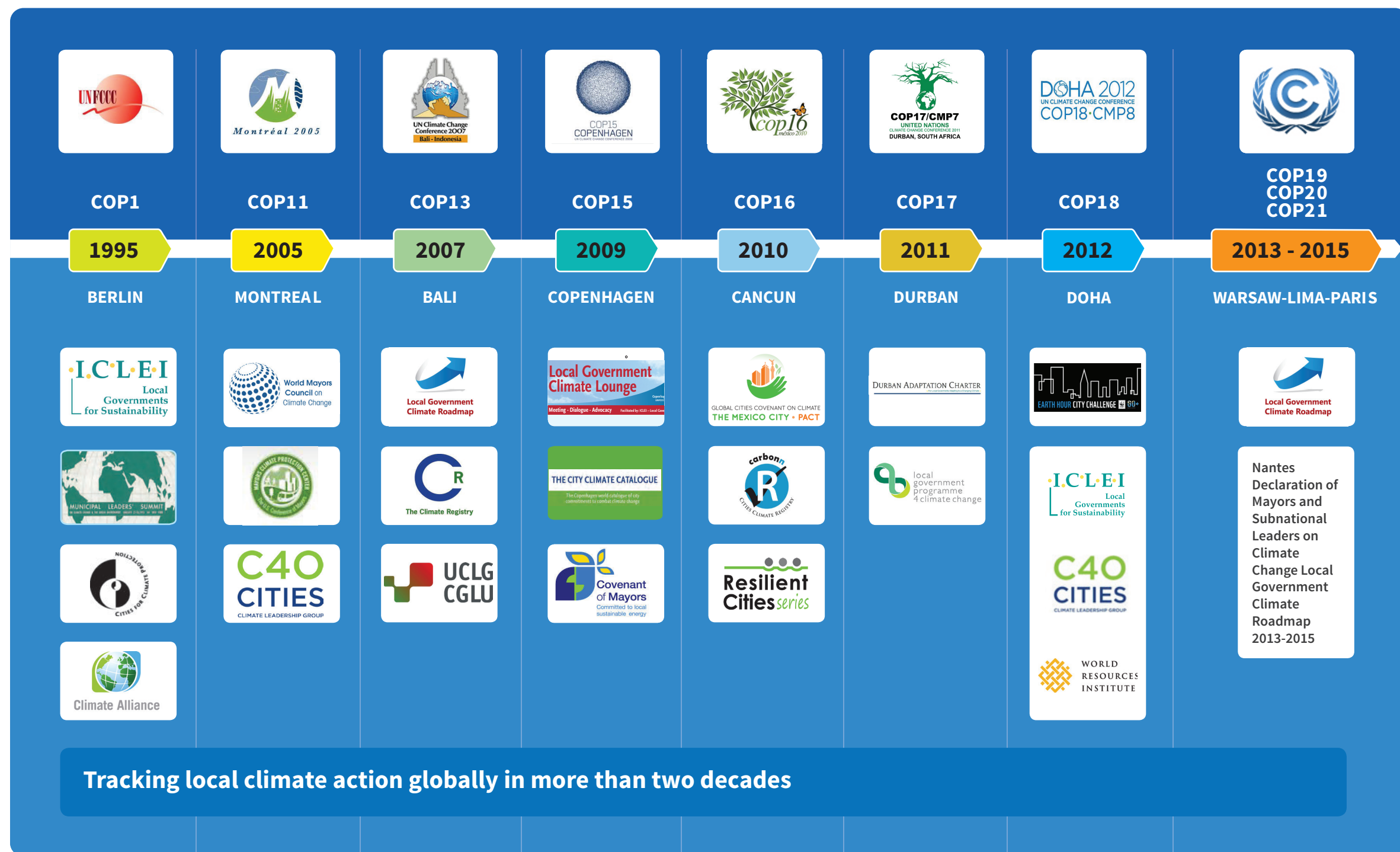
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Paris 2015
COP21/CMP11

Lima 2014
COP20/CMP10

Warsaw 2013
COP19/CMP9

Raising **Global** level of Ambition
through **Local** Climate Action



1990-2005 - COP1 - Berlin

Local climate action started to spread globally (e.g. ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability) and regionally (e.g. ClimateAlliance in Europe) in early 1990's, prior to the adoption of United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and its Kyoto Protocol. Local governments and municipal authorities (LGMA) constituency was recognized as of the first three observer groups at the UNFCCC in 1995. During this period, ICLEI led the Municipal Leaders Summits on Climate in 1993, 1995, 1997 and 2005.

2005 – COP11/CMP1 - Montreal

The U.S. Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement reached to more than 1000 signatories. World Mayors Council on

Climate Change and C40 Climate Leadership Group started as new networks to foster local political leadership on climate change globally.

2007– COP13/CMP3 - Bali

United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG) adopted Jeju Declaration. The Climate Registry was launched in North America. Local Government Climate Roadmap was announced as the global response of local governments to Bali Roadmap to ensure recognition, engagement and empowerment of local climate action.

2009– COP15/CMP5 - Copenhagen

European Covenant of Mayors organized its first ceremony. Copenhagen World Catalogue captured more than 3000 climate commitments

of local governments. Local Government Climate Lounge was convened with 100 Mayors and more than 1200 local government representatives.

2010– COP16/CMP6 - Cancun

Tokyo launched the world's first urban cap and trade programme. China announced low carbon pilot cities program. The Global Cities Covenant on Climate – The Mexico City Pact and carbonn Cities Climate Registry were adopted as the global response of local governments to measurable, reportable and verifiable climate action. Local and subnational governments were recognized as governmental stakeholders of the global climate regime in Cancun Agreements. Resilient Cities Congress series kicked-off.

2011 – COP17/CMP7 - Durban

Durban Adaptation Charter was adopted at the Durban Local Government Convention.

2012 – COP18/CMP8 - Doha

The Global Protocol on Community Scale GHG Emissions (GPC) was released by ICLEI, C40 and World Resources Institute. State of California launched the world's first subnational cap and trade programme. Vancouver was awarded the Global Earth Hour Capital.

2013 – 2015 COP19/COP20/COP21 - Warsaw, Lima, Paris

The Nantes Declaration of Mayors and Subnational Leaders on Climate Change was adopted at the World Mayor's Summit on Climate Change.

Milestones of Local Government Climate Roadmap Phase I: 2007-2012



Local Government Climate Roadmap UNFCCC Side event in Copenhagen in 2009.



Adoption of the Global Cities Covenant - The Mexico City Pact in 2010.



Adoption of the Durban Adaptation Charter in 2011.



Local Government Climate Roadmap UNFCCC Side event in Durban in 2011.



Launch of the Global Protocol for Community Scale GHG Emissions (GPC) in May 2012, Bonn.



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Phase II: 2013-2015*

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*The Local Government Climate Roadmap Phase II : 2013 - 2015 was officially launched at the World Mayors Summit on Climate Change that adopted the Nantes Declaration of Mayors and Subnational Leaders on Climate Change.

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Mission

Engaging Local governments in the new global climate regime

- Build on the success of recognition of local and subnational governments as governmental stakeholders in Cancun Agreements para.7 of Dec.1/CP16
- Prepare for Phase-3 (2016-2020) (Resourcing local climate action)

Strategy

Partnerships for Action at all levels

- Strengthening global, regional and national initiatives by scaling up and harmonizing
 1. Commitment and reporting
 2. Capacity building and rewarding
 3. City-to-City, City-Region, City-Rural, City-Business-Citizen, Region-Region and multilevel partnerships
- Establish Friends of Cities at the UNFCCC
 1. High Level Mayor-Ministerial Dialogues
 2. Action Plan under ADP Workstream-2
 3. Engagement in Means of Implementation (capacity building, finance, technology)
- Generate synergies with outside-UNFCCC processes focusing on urbanization
 1. Post-Rio+20 processes: sustainable development goals and high level political forum
 2. Hyogo Framework for Action on Disaster Risk Reduction Phase-2, 2015
 3. HABITATIII – 2016
 4. Nagoya 10-Year Plan of Action for Biodiversity
- Enhance finance for local climate action

Institutional Framework

Capitalizing on Local Governments and Municipal Authorities (LGMA) Constituency for Lobbying and Advocacy at the UNFCCC

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