Organizations Engaging in Environmental Justice and Water and Land Protection

There are many groups that focus on caring for the environment and communities most harmed by pollution, climate change and other forms of environmental devastation. Here is a listing of just a few in each of the states in which the Sisters of Mercy have a significant presence. Additional states and links will be added as we learn of them.

<u>California</u>

- The Climate Center
- Communities for a Better Environment
- Pacific Beach Coalition
- Village Harvest

Connecticut

- Interreligious Eco-Justice Network
- Save the Sound
- The Nature Conservancy in Connecticut
- Connecticut Audubon
- Connecticut River Conservancy

<u>Florida</u>

- Conservation Florida
- Florida Interfaith Climate Actions Network
- Florida Defenders of the Environment
- Florida Wildlife Federation

<u>Georgia</u>

- Koinonia Farm
- Calloway Gardens

<u>Illinois</u>

- Faith in Place
- <u>LVEJO</u>
- Illinois Stewardship Alliance
- Illinois Food Scrap Coalition
- EcoShip Chicago
- The Climate Reality Project
- Moms Clean Air Force

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- The Iowa Environmental Council
- Iowa Interfaith Power and Light
- <u>Iowa's Coldwater Conservancy</u>

- Iowa Rivers Revival

<u>Maine</u>

- <u>350 Maine</u>
- Center for an Ecology-Based Economy
- Environmental Priorities Coalition
- Maine Climate Action
- Maine Conservation Alliance
- Maine League of Conservation Voters
- Maine People's Alliance (Environmental Justice Awareness Coalition)
- Maine Youth for Climate Justice
- National Resources Council of Maine
- Northwest Atlantic Marine Alliance
- Penobscot Nation

Maryland

- Interfaith Partners for the Chesapeake
- Interfaith Power and Light of D.C., Maryland, Northern Virginia
- Lower Shore Land Trust
- Maryland Campaign for Environmental Human Rights
- Maryland Catholics for Our Common Home

<u>Michigan</u>

- People's Water Board Coalition
- Flint Rising
- Oil & Water Don't Mix
- The Greening of Detroit
- East Michigan Environmental Action Council
- Detoiters Working for Environmental Justice
- FLOW For Love of Water
- Michigan League of Conservation Voters
- Southwest Detroit Environmental Vision
- Voices for Earth Justice
- Michigan Environmental Justice Coalition
- Michigan Citizens for Water Conservation
- Six Rivers Regional Land Conservancy

<u>Nebraska</u>

- Nebraska Interfaith Power and Light
- Bold Nebraska

New Hampshire

- <u>350 NH</u>
- American Friends Service Committee NH

- Climate Action NH
- Echo Action NH
- Granite State Organizing (variety of issues)
- Merrimack River Watershed Council
- <u>New Hampshire Network</u> (coalition of orgs)
- NH Renews
- University of NH sustainability initiatives

New Jersey

- The Land Conservancy of New Jersey
- Clean Ocean Action
- Alliance for New Jersey Environmental Education

New York

- Buffalo Niagara Waterkeeper
- Citizens Campaign for the Environment (CCE)
- Clean and Healthy New York
- Interfaith Climate Justice Community of Western New York
- New York Interfaith Power & Light
- New York Renews
- Religious Organizations Along the River
- Sierra Club Atlantic Chapter
- South Bronx United
- Western New York Environmental Alliance

North Carolina

- Catawba Riverkeeper
- CleanAireNC

<u>Ohio</u>

- Faith Communities Go Green, a project of the Green Umbrella sustainability alliance of Greater Cincinnati
- <u>Imago</u> ecological education organization
- Sisters of Charity's Earth Connection
- Mill Creek Alliance

<u>Oklahoma</u>

- Fertile Ground Cooperative
- Restore Farms
- Conservation Coalition of Oklahoma

Pennsylvania

- Pennsylvania Interfaith Power and Light
- PennFuture
- Penn Environment
 Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
- Climate Change Resources for PA

Rhode Island

- Brown University Climate Lab
- Climate Action RI (350 org)
- Environmental Council of RI (coalition of groups)
- People's Port Authority
- Racial Environmental Justice Committee
- RI Interfaith Power & Light
- Sierra Club
- Southside Community Land Trust (urban farms)
- Sunrise PVD

<u>Texas</u>

- Texan by Nature
- Ecology Action of Texas
- <u>Downwinders at Risk</u>
- <u>T.E.J.A.S.</u> (Texas Environmental Advocacy Services)

<u>Vermont</u>

- Audubon Vermont
- Vermont Interfaith Power & Light
- Vermont Natural Resources Council
- Vermont Land Trust
- Vermont River Conservancy