



# 2023 Impact Report



## Food Security For All

In 2023, AdkAction **doubled the number of families** we help to put local, fresh food on the table in the Central and Western Adirondacks, Champlain Valley and Tri-Lakes region.

We teamed up with leaders in Hamilton County to help give families with young children monthly stipends to spend on staple items at local grocery stores, helping give our youngest eaters the best chances for good health and a great life.

**261** households receiving food directly from our programs

## Clean Water Safe Roads

We transformed our road salt reduction work into a regional movement for change: **nearly tripling the number of highway crews we train for salt and sand reduction practices** and launching an outreach campaign to educate thousands of residents and visitors about the importance of protecting our clean water.

**12** highway departments engaged in our road salt reduction work



## Pollinator Conservation

Over the past three years, we have exponentially expanded pollinator habitat through our Adirondack Pollinator Project's native plant and seed distribution efforts. This year, our Library Buzz program and first Adirondack Pollinator Festival engaged more families and youth, equipping them with the knowledge and resources to become ongoing advocates for pollinator conservation.

**2,628** native plants distributed through our annual plant sale





## Regenerating Soils

Our Compost for Good team educated hundreds of individuals, farmers, and business owners about composting to regenerate soils and keep food waste out of landfills. In 2023, we outfitted the Towns of Newcomb and Minerva with a community-scale composter to serve the two municipalities, cutting costs and greenhouse gas emissions.

**85** trainings, workshops, and publications

## Broadband and Cellular Coverage

We reached significant milestones in driving funding toward the North Country for broadband access and are increasing our efforts to expand cellular coverage to the frontcountry.

**1.3** billion dollars secured for the region through partnered efforts



## Community Revitalization

By prioritizing arts opportunities in our Adirondack towns and villages and elevating other areas of community development like rural grocery access, downtown densification, community gardens, and further Main Street redevelopment, we are working to help our downtowns remain vital, beautiful, and functional service centers.

**500** visitors to the Keeseville Community Arts Festival



**AdkAction projects address unmet needs, promote vibrant communities, and preserve the natural beauty of the Adirondacks for all.**

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