


## A Short List of ‘Tens of Millions of Little Things’ ...

Individual	Local	National	Global
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walk or Ride your Bike</li> <li>• Use water barrels / add a water garden</li> <li>• Plant a tree or several</li> <li>• Discuss Climate Change with others, talk about solutions</li> <li>• Drive an energy efficient vehicle</li> <li>• Drive less, use public transportation</li> <li>• Conserve water</li> <li>• Conserve heat (programmable thermostat, turn down in winter)</li> <li>• Conserve electricity (turn off lights / electronics, hang laundry)</li> <li>• Use tankless water heaters</li> <li>• Become a beekeeper</li> <li>• Join a CSA, buy local produce</li> <li>• Reduce air travel</li> <li>• Call state rep to request return of renewable energy credits</li> <li>• Plant vegetables and share</li> <li>• Plant natives</li> <li>• Don't water the grass</li> <li>• Mow less – taller grass needs less water and edges out weeds</li> <li>• Don't use <b>ANY</b> pesticides / herbicides</li> <li>• Reduce/Reuse/Recycle – buy less!</li> <li>• Take a climate change class</li> <li>• Read alternative energy books</li> <li>• Join or form a GREEN book club</li> <li>• Support businesses that create green products – buy green</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organize interfaith movement to put PV solar systems on all church, synagogue, temple, etc. roofs</li> <li>• Get involved with Community gardens</li> <li>• Organize community tree-planting</li> <li>• Find and support a local Permaculture group</li> <li>• Plan community rain gardens (Elgin, Illinois has!)</li> <li>• Write a Letter to the Editor about climate change</li> <li>• Talk to your town about current sustainability, and if there is a climate change response plan</li> <li>• Invest in green products, divest from fossil fuels</li> <li>• Share healthy foods, habits with family and friends</li> <li>• Support local sustainable food systems</li> <li>• Eat locally produced food</li> <li>• Promote energy efficiency across all areas, encouraged by incentives and education</li> <li>• For more ideas, visit: <a href="http://www.50waystohelp.com/">http://www.50waystohelp.com/</a></li> <li>• Visit/support <a href="http://thesolutionsproject.org/">thesolutionsproject.org/</a></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Write the President and your Congressional reps to act ASAP to reverse climate change, to actively support photovoltaics and end fracking - WEEKLY</b></li> <li>• Support the development of renewable energy</li> <li>• Support a carbon tax to discourage fossil fuel –based systems</li> <li>• Support tax credits alternative fuels</li> <li>• Demonstrate with others – against Keystone pipeline, and Fracking</li> <li>• Join groups that are taking action on climate change – Climate Reality Project, 350.org, Peaceful Uprising, Sierra Club, Citizens Climate Lobby</li> <li>• Communicate with national business leaders about climate change</li> <li>• Be active in your support of climate solutions</li> <li>• Visit/support the Environmental Working Group – <a href="http://www.ewg.org">www.ewg.org</a></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep up to date with and be aware of international news related to climate events and solutions.</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="border: 2px solid green; padding: 10px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p><b>"If there's a world here in a 100 years, it's going to be saved by tens of millions of little things. The powers-that-be can break up any big thing they want. They can corrupt it or co-opt it from the inside, or they can attack it from the outside. But what are they going to do about 10 million little things? They break up two of them, and three more like them spring up!"</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;">~ Pete Seeger</p> </div>

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