

17 – Partnerships for the Goals

AKKC has chosen two targets to show special consideration:

17.16 – Enhance the global partnership for sustainable development, complemented by multi-stakeholder partnerships that mobilize and share knowledge, expertise, technology and financial resources, to support the achievement of the sustainable development goals in all countries, in particular developing countries.

AKKC wants to gather a wide range of stakeholders for a joint reflection on Denmark's goal of a 70% CO2 reduction. This is to be done, for example, in connection with AKKC's new hybrid event NET ZERO pathways 2021. The goal of the event is to bring together the government, the private, the public, citizens and the knowledge environment. These actors can each provide input to perspectives and nuances in the work with the country's CO2 reduction.

The event will culminate in a summary report to the government. The report will act as an aiding tool to navigate the sustainable efforts of the future and, hopefully, be an inspiration for other countries in the long term.

AKKC collaborates with several actors in connection with NET ZERO, such as the Center for Grøn Omstilling, Green Hub Denmark, Erhverv NordDanmark, Port of Aalborg, SparNord, Aalborg University, Netværk for Bæredygtig Erhvervsudvikling and Business Aalborg.

17.17 – Encourage and promote effective public, public-private and civil society partnerships, building on the experience and resourcing strategies of partnerships

At AKKC, we have a goal of increasing awareness of Aalborg and North Jutland as a sustainable destination. To succeed in this, it requires actors from the public sector, the private sector and civil society to meet around a common goal: to raise the sustainability performance of Aalborg and North Jutland.

AKKC collaborates with several bodies within the public sector, which in collaboration with the private sector and citizens seek to spread awareness of how we can all contribute to a more sustainable everyday life.

The following examples will paint the picture on which projects and partnerships AKKC is part of:

AKKC collaborates e.g. with Aalborg Bæredygtighedsfestival, a co-creative festival where municipalities, companies, NGOs and citizens meet to become more knowledgeable on the sustainable transformation.

AKKC also works to connect local companies, who work hard for the sustainable transition, with the organization's many annual visitors. This happens e.g. in collaboration with the umbrella organization Green Hub Denmark, which consists of public and private actors. The partnership intends to increase national and international recognition of Aalborg and Northern Jutland as a role model, leading city, and region, in regard to the testing of sustainable solutions of the future.

In addition, AKKC also collaborates with local actors in tourism, such as VisitAalborg, Aalborg Municipality and the business community, with the focal point being a strategic point of departure for Aalborg as a more sustainable destination. The partnership also aims to disseminate the work to actors in tourism, while assisting in the implementation of sustainable initiatives.