



# 195 Countries Up Their Ambition.



In a similar vein, Fundación Avina also took action to follow up on decisions made at COP 26 (2021) and encourage the adoption of the five-year strategic plan presented by the High-Level Champions at COP 27 to increase climate ambition and accelerate actions undertaken by cities, regions, private companies, investors, and civil society stakeholders. The 195 nations that approved the plan recognized the value of the global **Race to Zero** campaign, led by over 7,000 entities committed to achieving net zero emissions by 2050 and reducing global emissions by 50% by 2030, as well as the Race to Resilience campaign - which aims to protect 4 billion people living in conditions that make them vulnerable to climate change by 2030. The successful adoption of this plan is a testament to the strength of an innovative and inclusive approach to multilateral decision making.

Fundación Avina has supported the High-Level Champions since 2019, with one of the

organization's directors serving as political adviser to the leadership team, which oversaw the group charged with drafting the five-year strategic plan. It was made up of representatives from the governments of the United Kingdom and Chile, the Secretariat of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), and other external partners.

**The decision to increase the ambition to address the negative effects of climate change in these 195 countries will directly impact over 1 million people and a further 800 million, indirectly.**

