

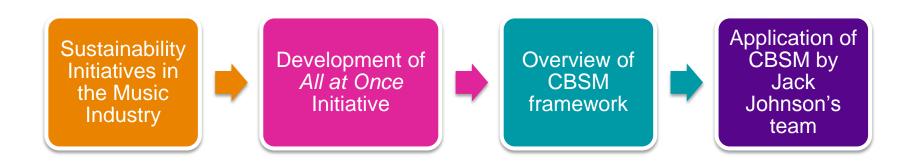
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## **Presentation Overview**





# Billboard's Top 10 "Greenest Musicians"



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Source: Billboard 2008

## Who is Jack Johnson?

## Surfer turned musician

Married college sweetheart Kim Johnson

Lives in Hawai'i

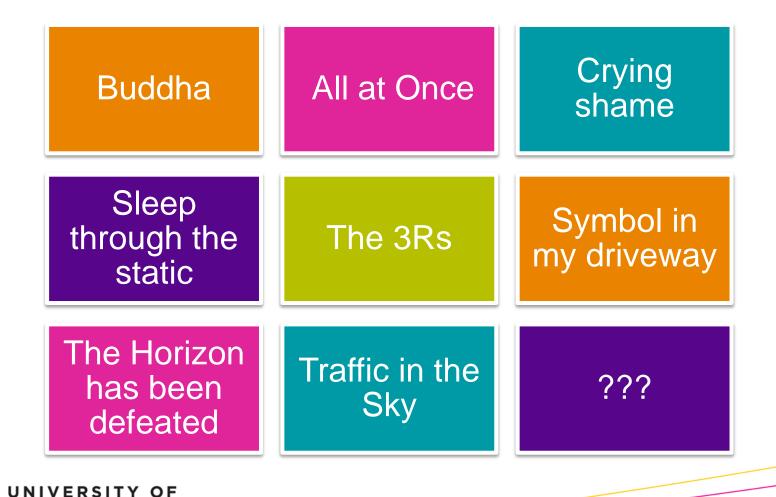
Many of his songs lyrics deal with environmental/social issues

2010 Billboard Music Awards Humanitarian Award

2012 National Wildlife Award for National Conservation Achievement Award in Communications



# "Do as I do, not as I sing..."



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# **Sustainability Strategy**









#### Venue

- Green Rider
- Refillable water stations
- Recycling and composting onsite
- Concession food sourced from locally grown food
- Eco-friendly concert merchandise

#### Fans

- Sustainable transportation – partnership with Zimride
- Commitment to an environmental issue (e.g. plastic-free water; bringing reusable shopping bags...)

#### Tour

- Biodiesel tour bus
- No single use water bottles for crew
- Giving back all proceeds from concerts go to Kokua Hawai'i Foundation
- Catering from local/organic sources

#### Production

- Solar-powered recording studio
- No plastic jewel cases

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# All At Once

### **PURPOSE:**

 Motivate fans to take action (individually and in their communities)

### **COMPONENTS:**

- Partnership with Reverb
- Pre- and postconcert engagement and outreach
- Johnson Ohana Charitable Foundation – matched funds

### **PARTNERS:**

 Hand-picked local non-profits organizations





#### **The CBSM Framework** 2 3 4 Identifying Broad barriers Developing scale Selecting Piloting strategies implementa behaviours and benefits tion Source: McKenzie-Mohr, 2011 UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO Page8

# **1. Selecting Behavior(s)**

#### Reducing Plastic Use

- Use reusable shopping bags
- Refill water bottles instead of buying bottled water

## Supporting local non-profits

 Volunteer with a local non-profit at least three hours per month

#### Supporting Sustainable Food Systems

• Eat one locally grown meal a week



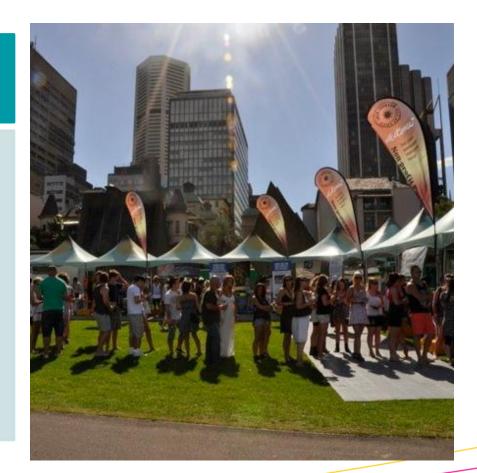




# 3. Developing Strategies

## Village Green

- Training non-profits
- Passport system
- Zero-handout policy
- Water-filling stations
- Local food for purchase



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# **3. Commitments**



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# **3. Capturing Commitment**

#### **During Concert**

## capture your commitment

An individual action multiplied by millions, creates global change.

The *All At Once* community encourages you to take individual action. Capture Your Commitment at the *All At Once* Photobooth in the Village Green or by *clicking here*.

Our commitments, and the collective positive impacts that we create together, will



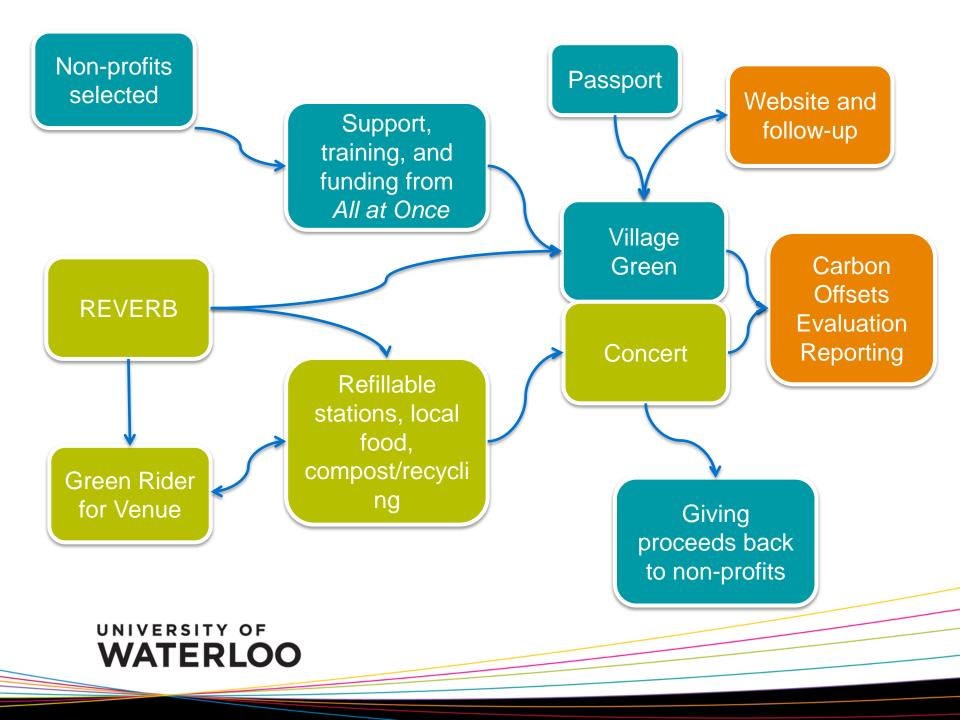
be tracked on the All At Once website and explore.org.

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#### Follow-up (AAO Community)



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# **5. Evaluation**







## Non-profit impacts

• A total of 3767 new members joined, resulting in an average of 22 new members per group (n=165)

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#### **Tour Impacts**

- 26,200 L water saved
- 380 tonnes of waste diverted from landfill
- 951 million food miles by eating locally grown food
- Full carbon offset

## Commitments from fans

- 29,300 concert goers participated in All at Once passport
- Completed 105,000 individ actions

2010 To the Sea Tour:

800,000 people 50 shows 10 countries

# Feedback from non-profits

IOBY was invited to be a small group of non-profits to table at the Jack Johnson concert at Madison Square Gardens...it was incredibly well planned, we were given months of advance notice and funding that supported our time and creation of outreach materials, and the non-profits were made a prominent part of the concert, placed front and center in the arena...fans were incentivized to learn about the non-profits with the chance to win concert tickets, a passport system, the list went on...

Erin Barnes, co-founder and Executive Director, IOBY





# Non-profit partners cont'd



Tangaroa Blue was absolutely thrilled to be part of the Village Green at Jack Johnson's concerts, and thankful for the opportunity to showcase our non-profit organisation around the country. We were able to fundraise vital donations and sign up over 568 volunteers to help out with our beach cleanup events, but mostly we were able to spread the message of protecting our oceans to thousands of people who will hopefully spread this message further.

Heidi Taylor, co-founder, Tangaroa Blue



# **CBSM - All at Once**

CBSM Framework	✓	×
1. Select Behavior	Selected several specific behaviours	Could have made them more 'non-divisible'
2. Identify Barriers and Benefits		Did not specifically conduct research on this prior to implementing
3. Develop Strategy	Focused on public commitments and following up afterwards	Further prompts
4. Pilot	Based on work done on previous tours	Did not officially complete this component; could conduct message trials
5. Implementation and Evaluation	Well-documented metrics related to commitments captured and impact of initiatives	Try to increase % of concert-goers that participate

# Putting it together

## AAO aimed to:

- Promote many sustainable behaviours
- Have large-scale impact through community engagement
- Foster long-lasting change through commitment and follow-up
- Engage Jack Johnson fans, inspiring them to action



















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