

Sustainability Understanding the Big Picture

The City of Austin has been hard at work to identify tangible results within all **10 categories** of the **Sustainability Action Agenda.** Read more about Austin's different and exciting progress below.





25%

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of total energy supply provided through renewables, (the goal is 35%)

Avoided **54.3** megawatts of peak demand through energy efflciency programs



Ecosystems & Green Infrastructure



10,474 trees planted

trees planted

3,095 linear feet of creek erosion solutions

Arts & Culture



12 pieces added to Art In Public Places program

68 public events

held for the cultural arts, reaching a total audience of 13,500



2.2 million pounds

of CO2 were offset with PICC purchases



Zero Waste







of recycled materials in 2012

(that's 22 pounds per household every two weeks)

School & Youth



10% of City's youth

(about 20,000 individuals) provided with workforce development, internship, or social service programs

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3 acres of community gardens (that's 8 new gardens)



3,331 animals were returned to their owner

7,416 animals adopted, resulting in a 90% or better live animal outcome



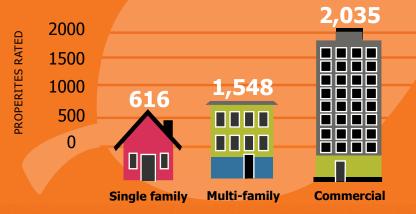
Smoking

banned from parks, golf courses, libraries, and affordable housing



and Seaholm EcoDistrict

Properties Rated Through Austin Energy Green Building



Mobility & Air Quality



signalization improvements that ease trafflc congestion



37.8 miles of new bike lanes built



12.5 miles of sidewalks added

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Green Economy & Innovation

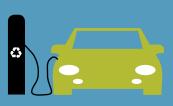


111 Green Business Leaders

recognized, representing 10.2 million square feet of offlce space and 12,000 employees



4,000 Smart thermostats purchased



161 electric vehicle charging stations have provided

20,216 charges

avoiding 152 metric tons of greenhouse gas emissions

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