

A COMMUNITY CLIMATE CHANGE WORKSHOP

May 23, 2017



Agenda

- Welcome/Introductory Remarks
- Overview
- Accomplishments
- Next Steps
- Survey
- Q & A
- Break-out Tables



Source: The Synergy Centre

Welcome/Introductory Remarks

Love Our Green Island Town Hall Meeting

Celebrating our successes and brainstorming What's Next



Source: Bay Area News Group

Overview - Local Action Plan for Climate Protection



LOCAL ACTION PLAN FOR CLIMATE PROTECTION

PREPARED BY THE CITY OF ALAMEDA
CLIMATE PROTECTION TASK FORCE AND THE
PLANNING AND BUILDING DEPARTMENT
As Part of the Cities for Climate Protection Campaign

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Alameda on February 5, 2008



City of Alameda Planning and Building Department 2263 Santa Clara Avenue, Room 190, Alameda, CA 94501 GOAL: Reduce GHG emissions to 25% below 2005 baseline by 2020

"LAPCP"



Overview - Local Action Plan for Climate Protection

A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE BEGINNINGS OF CLIMATE PROTECTION IN ALAMEDA

2005 – Alamedans for Climate Protection

2006-2008 - Climate Protection Task Force

February 5, 2008 – City Council Adoption of Local Action Plan

September 17, 2008 – First CASA community meeting



Local Action Plan for Climate Protection

TOP 7 EMISSIONS REDUCTION INITIATIVES

The initiatives listed below were identified in

Alameda's Local Action Plan for Climate Protection

as the 7 most significant actions that can be taken to reduce emissions and contribute towards meeting the goal of the local action plan.



ADOPT "ZERO WASTE STRATEGY"
PROGRAMS AND ORDINANCES

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DEVELOP A MULTI-FACETED COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM TO INCREASE PUBLIC AWARENESS AND PARTICIPATION IN GREENHOUSE GAS REDUCTIONS



Encourage the Alameda Public Utilities Board to require that **ALAMEDA MUNICIPAL POWER** maintain and expand its source mix to **100% CARBON-FREE SOURCES**

Amend the Alameda Municipal Code to include **SUSTAINABLE DESIGN & GREEN BUILDING STANDARDS** for all new, substantially expanded, and remodeled buildings



CONVERT FERRY FLEET TO BIODIESEL



CONVERT CITY VEHICLE FLEET TO ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES



Require that all **NEW MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS'** short & long term **TRANSPORTATION EMISSIONS IMPACTS ARE REDUCED BY 10%**





MISSION STATEMENT

CASA (Community Action for a Sustainable Alameda) is a community-wide coalition that will raise awareness, mobilize community action, and facilitate implementation of programs to achieve the goal of Alameda's Local Action Plan for Climate Protection (to reduce Alameda's carbon emissions to 25% below 2005 levels by the year 2020) and to increase community sustainability and well-being.





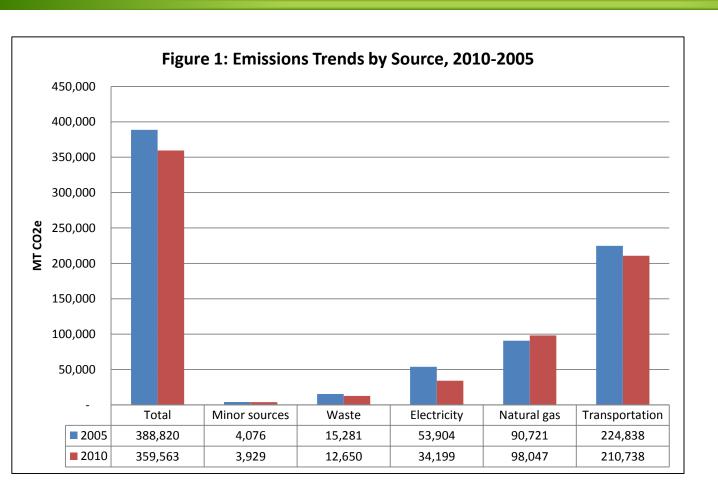
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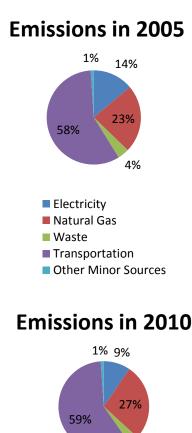
By 2020 the City of Alameda will be a community whose actions are based on the principles of sustainability and carbon neutrality. We will have met, or exceeded, our community's goal of reducing carbon emissions to 25% below 2005 levels. We will continue to challenge ourselves to conform to or surpass emissions reduction goals and standards established internationally, nationally and by the State of California.

Using less energy and resources, we will progressively become a more environmentally conscious, resilient, abundant and sustainable community achieving for now and for future generations the highest feasible standards for the well-being of Alameda's residents, its bioregion, and the Earth as a whole.



LAPCP Progress by 2010





4%

Accomplishments: Waste



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- Support CASA, Miss Alameda Says Compost, AUSD's Green Schools Challenge, and outreach to local businesses and apartment buildings
- Polystyrene Ban (2008)
- Zero Waste Implementation Plan (2010)
- City/County Mandatory Recycling Ordinance (2012-2014)
- County Plastic Bag Ban (2013-2017)
- Recycling and composting in high-visibility public areas and public events











Accomplishments: Waste



- Sorters unionize in 2016
- Franchise is in best financial condition in more than a decade

Accomplishments: City and Public Works

Our street trees capture 9,120 tons of pollutants



Sustainability awards











Alameda Municipal Power (AMP):

- 130 years old
- Community-owned
- Overseen by Public Utilities Board
- High reliability
- High customer satisfaction

AMP transitioned to high level of renewable power in the 1980s

- Geothermal
- Landfill gas
- Hydroelectric
- Wind



Local Action Plan for Climate Protection Energy Initiatives:

- Expand power mix to 100% carbon-neutral energy
- Provide technical assistance and, if possible, funding to encourage residents and businesses to be energy efficient
- Support sustainable design and green building standards



RESIDENTIAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY

- 2 LEDs mailed to every household
- In-store discounted LEDs
- Appliance rebates



COMMERCIAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY

- Highest energyefficiency rebates ever
- AMP manages the work.



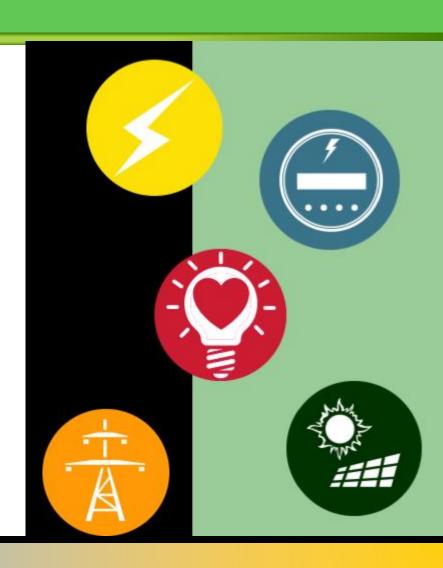


CIVIC CENTER PARKING GARAGE

- Reduced \$51,000
 electric bill by 75%
- 900,000 kWh annual reduction
- 280 metric tons of GHG



- Two new renewable power contracts
- Street lights
- Smart meters
- More energy-efficient substation equipment
- Energy efficiency program for low-income (in development)
- Community solar facility (in development)





Alameda's Choice for 100% Renewable Energy

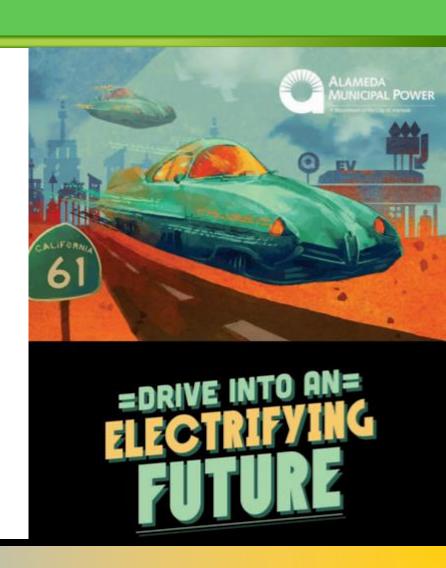




Rebates for exceeding Title 24 by 10%

electric ehicles

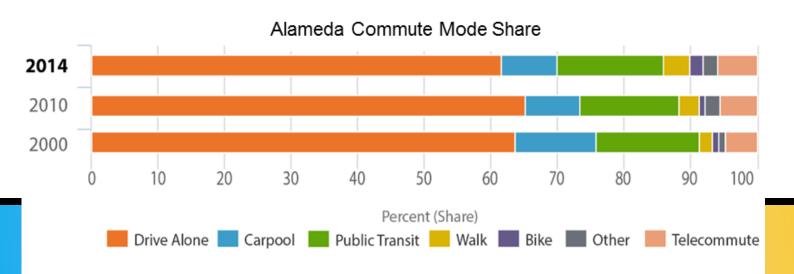
- Level 3
 EV chargers for public use
- Level 2
 EV chargers for AMP fleet
- AMP fleet vehicles are EV or hybrid
- New EV programs coming!





Transportation – Big Picture

- Increased congestion and cost of living
- New transportation technology
- Decrease in solo driving
 - Transit commuters increased to 16% in Alameda
 - 22% of young people not getting driver's license



Transportation – Recent Actions

- Transit Improvements
 - Improved transit frequencies
 - Restored Line 19 with developer participation
 - Ferry service to South S.F. and Oakland jobs
- Bikeway Improvements
 - Increased bikeway mileage from 35 in 2010 to 41 in 2017
 - Shoreline bikeway
- Private Sector Partnership



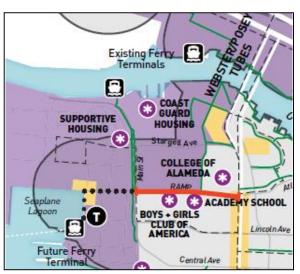




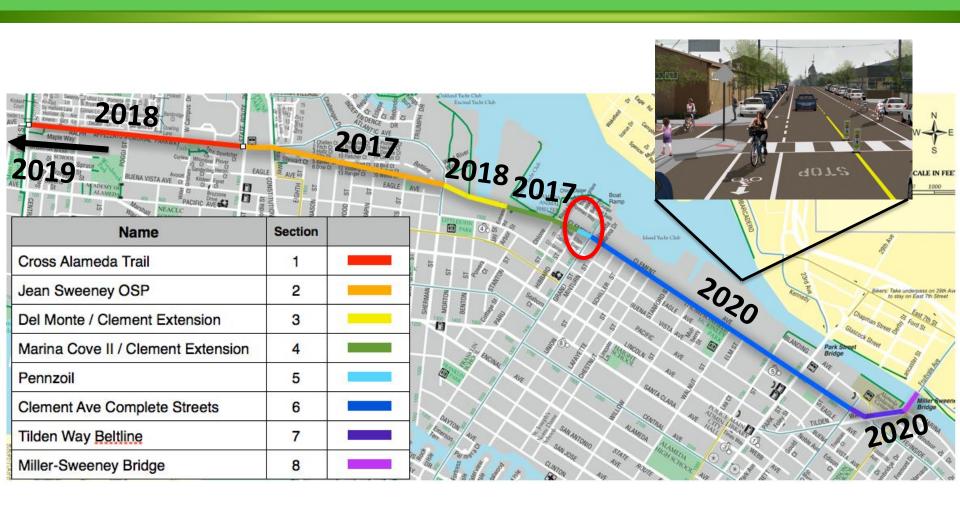
Transportation – Future Actions

- Current Projects/Plans (\$50 million)
 - Awareness Campaign
 - Transportation Choices Plan
 - Corridor Improvements
 - Appezzato Pkwy Bus Lanes
 - Central Avenue
 - Cross Alameda Trail





Transportation – Cross Alameda Trail



Transportation – Climate Plan Progress

- Transportation & Land Use Initiatives
 - Bus queue jump lanes (Webster done; others in process)
 - Alternative transportation (Shoreline done; others in process)
 - Alternative fuel City fleet (In process)
 - New developments reduce emissions by 10% (Required)



Accomplishments: Planning/Bldg

 Require that all new major developments' short and long-term transportation emissions impacts are reduced by 10%

Transportation Emission Reduction Measures

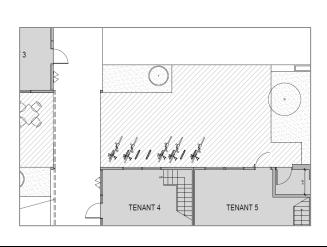
- Revise parking standards to encourage alternative modes of transportation.
 - Transportation Demand Management (TDM)
 Program





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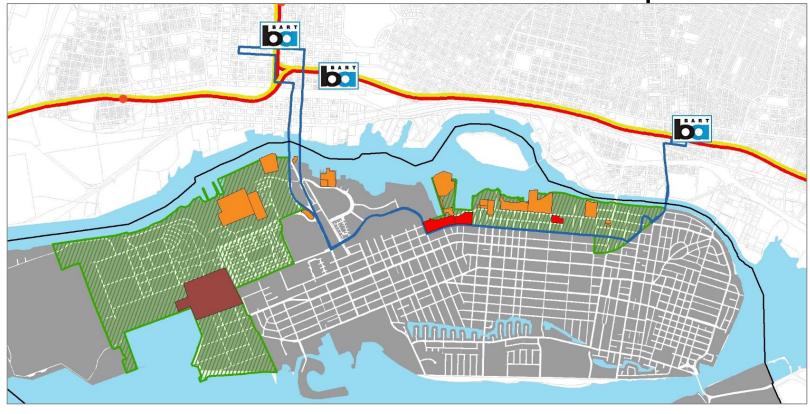
 Require the short-term and long-term bike parking in new and renovated commercial facilities and locate new bike racks in commercial districts.





Transportation Emission Reduction Measures

Promote Transit Oriented Development



Accomplishments: Planning/Bldg

- Adoption and Update of CALGreen (2009 2017)
 - 2020 All new homes will be Net-Zero Energy
 - 2030 All commercial development will be Net-Zero Energy
- Adoption of Bay-Friendly Landscaping Guidelines (2012)
- Prohibition of wood burning stoves and fireplaces in all new residential construction (Adopted 2013)
- Expand Work/Live districts to include Alameda Point (Adopted 2014)

Next Steps

- Take real-time survey
- Participate in Break-out Tables
 - Discussions
 - Volunteer opportunities
- Reconvene the City's Green Team (Summer 2017)
- Update GHG Emissions Inventory (Sept. 2017)
- City Council receives update on Climate Action Plan's timeline and scope (Dec. 2017)
- Complete Climate Action Plan Update (June 2019)



Survey – Please participate!



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