

2009 Action Plans

Priority: Energy Conservation

Goal: To Conserve Non-Renewable Fuels and Electricity by County Government and throughout Wakulla County

	Task/Objective	Activity	Assigned to	Deliverable	Priority	Expected Completion Date	Current Status	Date Completed
I.	To Conserve Energy in County Facilities & Operations							
I.A.	Identify Employees to Lead Energy Conservation Initiative							
	I.A.1.	Designate an Energy Conservation Coordinator	Ben Pingree	Name of Coordinator	High	April 2009		
	I.A.2	Establish internal work group of motivated employees from all (or key) County Offices & Depts.	Ben Pingree Coordinator	List of Work Group Members & their Offices/Depts.	High	May 2009		
I.B.	Join ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability		Ben Pingree	Membership	Mid	April 2009		
		Use ICLEI’s technical consulting, training, and information services.	Work Group		Mid	May 2009		
I.C.	Assess Baseline Use of Fuel & Energy (& GHG Emissions)							
	I.C.1.	Examine CAFÉ standards. Track mileage, fuel use, & fuel efficiency by Office/Dept.	Work Group	Quarterly Reports	High	June 2009		
	I.C.2	Use free Energy Star Portfolio Manager software to track energy use by building and overall.	Work Group	Quarterly Reports	High	July 2009		
	I.C.3	Obtain free energy audit(s) from electricity provider(s).	Work Group	Report(s)	Mid	July 2009		
I.D.	Set Targets & Develop Data-Based Action Plans To Conserve Energy in County Facilities & Operations							
	I.D.1.	Review baseline data. Set targets for energy use & GHG emissions	Work Group	Targets	Mid	August 2009		
	I.D.2	Review efforts & successes of other counties, including Leon County.	Work Group	Brief report with recommendations	Mid	August 2009		
	I.D.3	Propose detailed action plans for energy conservation for 2010	Work Group	2010 Action Plans	High	September 2009		
	I.D.4.	Propose incentives to offer to Offices/Depts & employees for reducing energy use	Work Group	Recommendations	Mid	September 2009		

I.E.	Establish a Revolving Green Fund to finance energy-saving improvements that require substantial initial investments but yield high rates of return on investment.	BoCC T. Barden	Green Fund Acct	Mid	October 2009		
II. To Conserve Energy across Wakulla County							
II.A.	Seek grant and legislative funding for community initiatives to reduce energy use or increase use of renewable alternatives (e.g., solar PV, solar thermal, biodiesel)	T. Barden Governance	Grant applications Leg requests	High	2009		
II.B.	Expand Weatherization Program	A. Nelson		High	2009		
II.C	Expand Recycling	C. Fleming		Mid	2009		
II.D.	Expand Use of Energy Star Certification across County	L. Stevens		Mid	2010		
II.E.	Expand Use of LEED Standards across County	L. Stevens		Mid	2010		
II.F	Develop Public Transit						
	II.F.1.	Communicate with transit agencies to determine all options available a. Chairman to expand relationships with CRTPA, StarMetro, Commuter Services, and other agencies	L. Stevens		Mid	May 2009	Begun
	II.F.2.	Establish citizen advisory group to identify transit needs, review model systems, consider the full range of public and private options, and develop a public transit plan.	BoCC		Mid	June 2009	
	II.F.3.	Seek grant and legislative funding for public transit initiatives	T. Barden Governance	Grant applications Leg requests	Med	2009	