West Grey Climate Change Action Plan

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Local Governments for Sustainability



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Agenda

- What is a Climate Change Action Plan (CCAP)?
- Plan Development Process
- Corporate GHG Emissions Inventory
- Emissions Reductions Target
- Climate Action Strategy
- Plan Implementation



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What is a CCAP?

Long-term strategy to realize a sustainable, low-emissions, energy-efficient future.

Details how WG currently uses energy.

Forecasts energy use into the future.

Specifies actions that will reduce emissions across sectors.





Plan Development Process

PHASE 1	PHASE 2		PHASE 3	
Oct - Dec 2021	Dec 2021 – May 2022		Jun – Aug 2022	
 TASKS Kick-off Meeting Workplan and schedule refinement Review of West Grey's relevant materials Establish working groups Establish communications plan 	 TASKS Data collection, <u>review</u> and refinement BAU scenario development Documentation and reporting of inventory and scenarios Identification of existing planning initiatives, opportunities, constraints Presentation to council 		TASKS Develop goals and targets Public survey Strategy development Strategy quantification	
PHASE 4		PHASE 5		
Sept 2022 – Jan 2023		Feb 2023		
 TASKS Develop finalized list of recommended actions Develop implementation and monitoring plan First draft of CCAP 		TASKS Draft final CCAP Council presentation of draft CCAP Presentation to council Grant opportunity collaboration with staff		



Stakeholder Engagement



Climate advisory committee

Crafted Vision Statement

Set level of ambition and emissions reduction Target

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Regular updates of CCAP development + engagement opportunities shared with public

via newsletters, media releases, website updates, social media



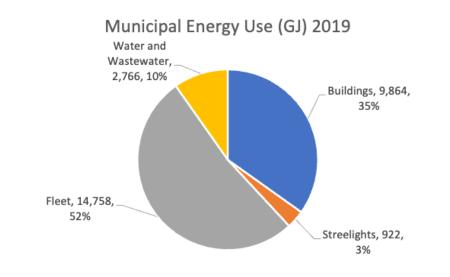
Resident survey to gain feedback on CCAP development

via WG website (n=72)

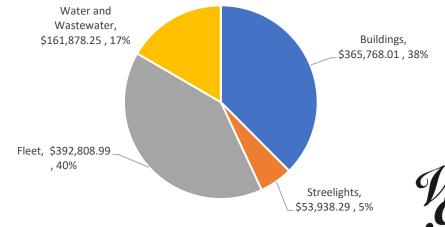


Energy and Emissions Summary

Sector	Energy Consumption (GJ)	Energy Costs (\$)	GHG Emissions (tC02e)
Buildings	9,864	\$365,768	324
Fleet	14,578	\$392,808	993
Streetlights	922	\$53,938	2
Water & Wastewater	2,766	161,878	8
Landfilled Waste	N/A	N/A	862
Operational Waste	N/A	N/A	170
Total	28,310	\$974,393	2,381

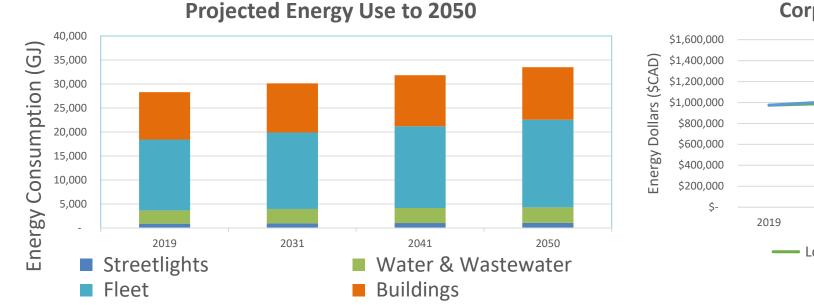


Municipal Energy Spending by Sector 2019

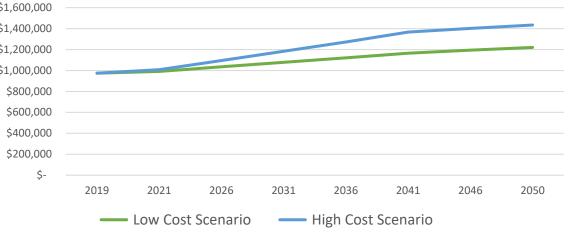




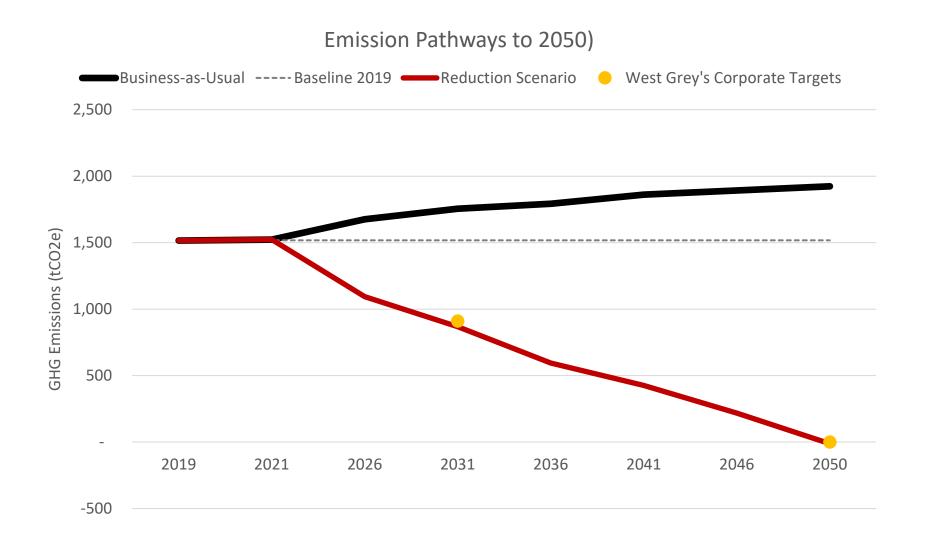
Business-As-Usual Projection: "What would happen if no climate action were taken"



Corporate Cost Projection to 2050









Reduction Target

40% reduction in corporate greenhouse gas emissions by 2030 relative to 2019 levels;

and net-zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2050.

15 climate actions proposed to meet these targets

- Modelled reduction potential achieves an 86% reduction by 2050
- To reach net-zero offsets and sequestration from measures such as renewable energy production and nature-based solutions will be needed



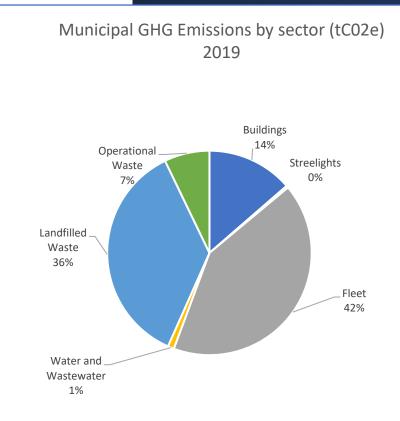
Vehicle Fleet & Equipment

Strategy #1 Develop a Green Fleet Plan

Strategy #2 Install EV Chargers at Municipal Parking Lots and Buildings

Strategy #3 Fleet Optimization

Strategy #4 Reducing Emissions from Single Passenger Commuting & Private Vehicles





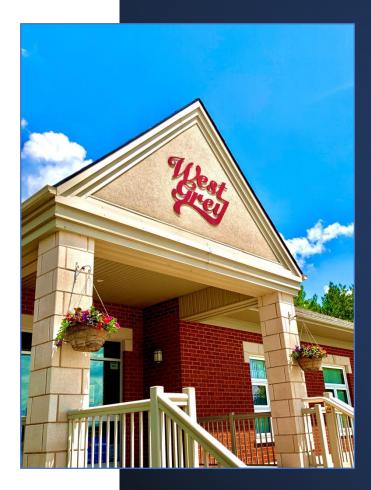
Buildings

Strategy #5 Energy Efficient New Buildings

Strategy #6 Develop an Energy Efficiency Strategy for Existing Buildings

Strategy #6.1 Energy Efficiency Retrofits Strategy #6.2 Implement an Energy Management Plan

Strategy #7 Renewable Energy





Streetlights

Strategy #8 LED Streetlight Conversion



Water & Wastewater

Strategy #9 Increase the Energy Efficiency of Water and Wastewater Facilities



Solid Waste

Strategy #10 Corporate Waste Policy

Strategy #1 Develop a Waste Education and Awareness Program

Strategy #12 Waste Diversion

Strategy #13 Landfill Gas Capture





Municipal Culture

Strategy #14 Municipal Climate Lens

Strategy #15 **Promote a Culture of Conservation**



Alignment with Grey County CCAP

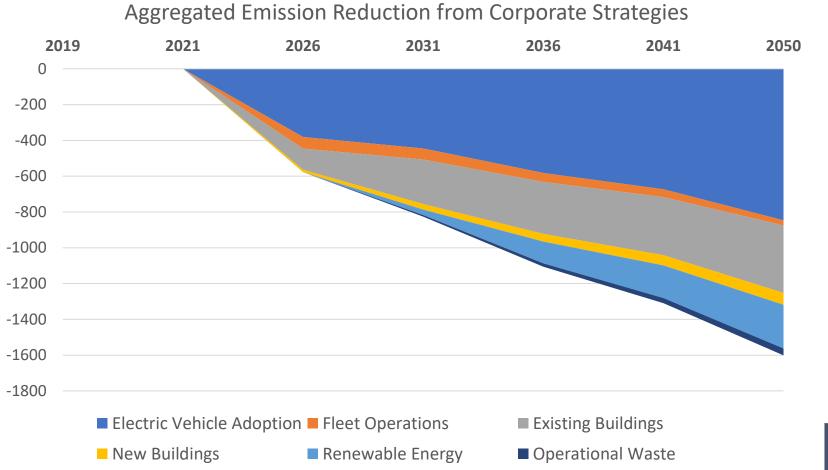


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Cumulative Impact of Actions





Implementation

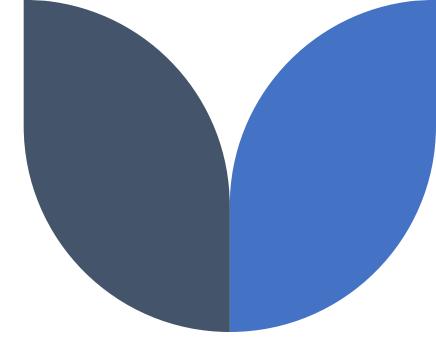
- Governance
- Financing
- Partnerships
- Monitoring and Review

Strategy	Potential Lead(s)	Potential Partner(s)	Timeframe	Relative Cost	Funding Opportunities	Monitoring Metrics
1) Vehicle Fleet	Infrastructure	Grey County &	Short-term	Low Cost	Green Municipal Fund:	 Number of electric
and Equipment	and	member			Reduce fossil fuel use in	vehicles
Electrification	Development	municipalities			fleets	 Fuel saved and
	Department					emissions avoided
						based on km travelled
						of replaced vehicles
2) Install EV	Environment	Grey County &	Short-term	Low Cost	NRCAN Zero Emission	Number and type of
Chargers on	and Capital	member			Vehicle Infrastructure	EV chargers installed
municipal	Projects Officer	municipalities;			<u>Program</u>	• kWhs charged
properties		local businesses			EPCOR Electric Vehicle	
		and institutions			Charging Station Funding	
					<u>Program</u>	
					Ontario Rural Connectivity	
					Fund (details to be	
					announced later this year)	

Participation from stakeholders including:

- Grey County
- member municipalities
- the agricultural community
- renewable energy developers
- existing local energy co-operatives
- EV companies
- Bruce Power
- The Nuclear Innovation Institute
- cycling associations/groups
- conservation authorities
- waste management companies
- community groups/NGOs





Thank you

Questions?



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