

# Integrated Planning to Leverage Limited Resources and Maximize Results

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# Everyone is different.

Get creative:

**“He has a knack for finding workarounds.”**

**“He’s not your typical public agency employee.”**



# Everyone brings something.

Be a bit feisty:

**“He has a knack for finding workarounds.”**

**“He’s not your typical public agency employee.”**

Look at the big picture and the details:

“One of his strong points is that he has a global picture but also figures out how the pieces fit in. He comes up with solutions that are refreshing and innovative and then he follows through.”



# Overview

- County Office of Sustainability
- Sorting out program offerings and customers
- Finding the missing pieces
- Cross pollinating programs
- Best practices



# County Office of Sustainability

(big picture)

## Livable Communities

- Housing
- Active Transportation
- Living Wage

## Solid Waste

- Recycling
- Composting
- Reuse

## Climate

- Adaptation
- Mitigation

## Energy – Water

- Stormwater
- Groundwater
- Energy Efficiency and ZNE

# Program Offerings

## (drilling down)

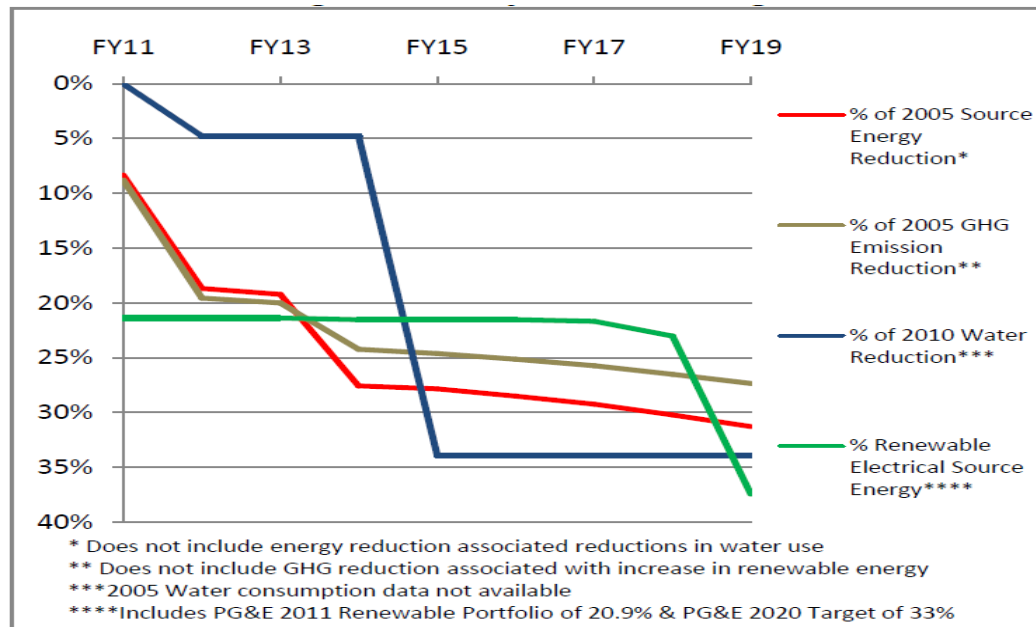
		Target Sectors				Government Boundaries			Activities		
Program/Project	Resource Conservatoin Sectors	Municipal	Residential	Commercial	Schools	Countywide	Unincorporated	Gov. Ops.	Planning/Reporting	Outreach	Implementation
Community Choice Aggregation	Energy	X	X	X	X	X	X				X
BayREN	Energy		X			X	X			X	
SMCEW-Energy	Energy	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X
SMCEW-Water	Water	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Stormwater	Water	X	X	X			X		X		
Groundwater TMDL	Water	X	X	X		X	X		X		
Uninc Water Conservation	Water		X	X	X	X	X			X	
Unincorporated Diversion	Solid Waste		X	X	X		X		X		X
County Facilities	Solid Waste	X		X				X			X
Construction & Demolition	Solid Waste	X	X	X			X				X
Solid Waste Planning/Reporting	Solid Waste	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		
Illegal Dumping	Solid Waste, P2		X		X		X			X	X
RecycleWorks Outreach	Solid Waste, Energy, Water	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
Green Star Schools	Solid Waste, Energy, Water, Transp.				X	X	X			X	X
Climate Action Planning	Solid Waste, Energy, Water, Transp.	X	X	X			X	X	X		
Green Business	Solid Waste, Energy, Water, Transp., P2	X		X		X	X	X			X
SLR-Adaptation	Solid Waste, Energy, Water, Transp., P2	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		
RW Volunteer Academy	Solid Waste, Energy, Water, Transp., P2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Commute Alternatives Program	Transp.	X						X		X	X
Active Transportation	Transp.	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	

# Strategic Energy Master Plan (SEMP)

(big picture on gov. ops. energy)

Established specific and measurable **goals** to:

- **reduce source energy consumption,**
- **reduce water consumption,**
- **reduce greenhouse gas emissions,**
- **increase the proportion of renewable energy consumption**



Energy efficiency is an investment, which requires going above the capital and operational budget levels, to the place where they meet.

# Missing Pieces (details)

## Gov. Ops. Facilities:

Leased

	Building/Sites					
	COB 1	COB 2	HOJ	HSA - MF	HSA - Quarry	ect....
Strategic Energy Master Plan	X	X	X	X		
Water Conservation	X	X	X			
Employee Commute	X	X	X	X	X	
County Vehicles	X	X	X	X	X	
Purchasing	X	X	X	X	X	
Real Property					X	
Information Technology	X	X	X	X	X	
Surplus Property	X	X	X	X	X	
Facility Maintenance	X	X	X	X		
Landscaping	X	X	X	X		
County Policies	X	X	X	X	X	



## Policy Examples:

- paperless
- charging stations
- new construction



# Cross Pollinating

BayREN

Water Conservation

SMCEW

Peninsula Clean Energy (CCE)

Waste Reduction

Green Business

Green Star Schools

Sustainability Academy

Active Transportation

Commute Alternatives

Climate Adaptation

Illegal Dumping

Stormwater

Groundwater



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# Best Practices

Think about the big picture and the details – all day long.

- how do programs fit together for mutual benefit?
- why are we doing things the way we are (5 whys)?
- what would Einstein or Jobs do?



Build community relationships to multiply your efforts.

- who are the local leaders in your target audience?
- develop your (everybody's) workforce
- find community programs with synergy
- integrate energy and climate education into people's lives
- capture the interest of large businesses

Be a convener and sit *at* the table, instead of being the central hub.

- Make connections that get efforts launched that self-sustain
- Collaborate on grants and informational meetings
- Share tasks, policy documents, studies, etc.

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