

Inviting Bozeman Businesses and Community Organizations to Join the Climate Effort!

- Reduce energy usage during peak energy demand (4pm to 8pm) (Action 1.A.2.)
- Become a City of [Bozeman Energy Project](#) Partner (Action 1.A.3.)
- Contact NorthWestern Energy to schedule an energy appraisal and implement appraisal recommendations (Action 1.A.3.)
- Monitor and benchmark your building's energy performance (Action 1.A.4.)
- Explore opportunities to install on-site renewable energy and storage on your property (Action 2.F.4.)
- Review City maps to understand if you are in a location that is vulnerable to flooding, fires, or other hazards and develop an emergency and continuity of operations plan if a hazard event occurs (Action 3.H.3.)
- Engage your employees or constituents in emergency preparedness planning, drills, and protocols (Action 3.H.3.)
- Provide options and incentives for employee telecommuting and alternatives to single-occupancy vehicle travel (e.g., bike to work days, preferred parking spots, carpool matching, bicycle racks, wellness programs, etc.) (Actions 4.J.2. and 4.J.5.)
- Install electric vehicle charging infrastructure for fleet, employee, and potentially public use (Action 4.K.2.)
- Convert fleet vehicles and equipment to electric or alternative fuel models (Action 4.K.3.)
- Establish and enforce employee idling policies when using personal or fleet vehicles for business use (Action 4.K.5.).
- Limit non-essential airline travel and/or purchase carbon offsets for airline trips (Action 4.L.1.)
- Review your supply chain and consumption practices and look for opportunities to use less packaging, reuse or recycle materials, and compost organic waste (Action 5.M.1.)
- Provide markets for recycled products by supporting suppliers and businesses that use recycled materials (Action 5.M.1.)
- Reuse or donate used equipment and goods (Action 5.M.1.)
- Donate unused food and right-size large catering orders (Action 5.M.1.)
- Plant and maintain trees (Action 6.P.2.)
- Purchase products that support growth of the local food system (Action 6.N.3.).
- Update irrigation equipment and landscaping to use less water (Action 6.O.2.)
- Reduce pesticide and herbicide use (Action 6.P.4.)