



Sustainable Napa County is a nonprofit organization bringing together local business, agriculture, nonprofit, and government entities as part of a comprehensive, collaborative campaign to measurably improve conditions for a healthy, prosperous Napa County.

### **Vision and Mission**

Our vision is for a thriving community; our mission is to take action for economic vitality, environmental health, and social equity. These three elements of sustainability are integral to, and reflected in, each of our goals and strategies.

### **Reduce our greenhouse gas emissions to meet or exceed state goals**

- Track state and federal legislative and regulatory action
- Assist in the development of a local climate action plan and prepare local response strategies
- Identify tools for municipalities, industry and business responding to legislated targets
- Support high performance building in Napa County and each of its cities and towns
- Support the development of energy efficient transportation options

### **Increase our use of locally-generated renewable energy, decrease our fossil fuel use and improve our energy security**

- Develop and support renewable energy options for our community
- Develop and support local demand reduction, energy conservation and efficiency programs
- Research public and private renewable energy and energy conservation financing strategies and implementation models and policies
- Conduct outreach including informational meetings, events, workshops for target audiences
- Explore and monitor other renewable energy opportunities including wind power, food waste to energy, thermo-chemical biomass

### **Inform our leaders, communities and visitors about climate protection and sustainability so they will be inspired to act**

- Serve as a convener and educator on current and emerging issues related to sustainability
- Encourage business and industry to adopt sustainable business practices and behaviors
- Provide informational workshops for target audiences and training for key jurisdiction staff

### **Enrich our county's competitive economic advantage and position**

- Support opportunities for sustainability sector workforce training and development
- Support the continued branding of our tourism destination as sustainable

### **Improve the stability and prosperity of our nonprofit community**

- Create high performance environments for social service organizations through assessments and implementation of efficiency and conservation measures

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