2018 Climate Action Plan Annual Report

For the third consecutive year, the City of San Diego is ahead of schedule in reaching its goal of cutting 2010 levels of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in half by 2035. While we continue to see progress through lowered GHG amounts, we still have a lot of work to do to reach our ultimate goals.

GOAL



Reduce 2010 baseline GHG emissions (12.9 million metric tons of CO_2e) **50%** by 2035

STATUS



MONITORING MEASURES



SOCIAL EQUITY \$1,140,091 community development block grant funds allocated





66% total solid waste diverted 74% landfill gases captured 98% methane captured and used from wastewater The City of San Diego municipal operations generated **167,000 MWh** of renewable energy, equivalent to annual electricity use for **18,628 homes.**

> **307 trees** planted and **17,212 trees** maintained/trimmed

BIKING, WALKING, TRANSIT AND LAND USE* 8% commuter transit modeshare

3% pedestrian commuter modeshare

2% bicyclist commuter modeshare

20 miles per day commute distance

RESILIENCY

13% current urban tree canopy cover 307 trees planted **31 miles** of bike lanes added or improved

6,800 linear feet of sidewalk constructed

San Diegans saved **117,112 MWh** through energy efficiency measures. This diverted over **220 million pounds of carbon dioxide** from being produced, the equivalent of removing **21,400 cars** from the road

72% of diesel used in the City fleet is renewable diesel, avoiding **16,000 tons** of CO₂e emissions

*See the 2018 CAP Annual Report for further information

View the full report

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Climate Adaptation and Resiliency

To address potential impacts to our city and infrastructure from a changing climate, the City of San Diego is developing a plan to ensure we are prepared and resilient. This plan is being developed with over \$500,000 in grant funding awarded to the City of San Diego from Caltrans, the State Coastal Conservancy and the California Coastal Commission.

ASSESSMENT

Anticipate climate change impacts on San Diego's landscape, and infrastructure

Where are the risks, how can we adapt and what are the highest priorities?

STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT

Leverage a wide range of civic and community experts to help adapt and defend against possible risks *What will work best for our people, economy and environment?*

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ENGAGEMENT & TOOLBOX

Share our knowledge to empower communities of climate risk

Have we ensured equality in the decision-making process and real solutions for the future?

extreme heat wildlife drought air quality flooding wildfires