

PRIORITY: INCREASE AMOUNT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY IN BENICIA

TARGET

IDENTIFY PROJECTS IN INDUSTRIAL PARK AND AT WWTP



STATUS

IN PROGRESS

- ✓ Identify eligible business in Industrial Park
- ✓ Economic Development sent letters to businesses to determine interest level
- ✓ City received proposal for battery storage project at WWTP (currently reviewing)

Why is this important?

According to the 2010 greenhouse gas (GHG) inventory, 45% of community-wide emissions come from commercial/industrial sector natural gas use. Identifying ways to reduce that use, like combined heat and power (CHP) projects, will help the City achieve its 2020 GHG reduction goals.

The City can reduce its peak energy demand by using stored energy at the WWTP.

Collaboration with Economic Development

The Business Resource Incentive Program (BRIP) can help businesses cover the cost of engineering studies needed to build CHP projects.

Emissions Reductions

Reductions can be estimated on a project-by-project basis.

Want more information?
Go to www.epa.gov/chp