

ON THE ROAD TO CARBON NEUTRAL (BY 2040)

- IMPROVING FACILITIES TO SAVE WATER/ENERGY
- INCREASING RENEWABLE ENERGY
- ELECTRIFYING FLEET VEHICLES
- USING ALTERNATIVE FUELS
- REDUCING WASTE BY RECYCLING/COMPOSTING
- WORKING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE GOALS



Upgrading 9,000 lighting fixtures and 760 water fixtures.
Installing high-efficiency infrastructure.
Fixing 200 ft² of air leakage.

Did you know?



Nine facilities currently use renewable energy.
Planning has begun to add renewable energy to another 17 facilities.*

Did you know? The combined savings from facility improvements and renewable energy installations will allow the City to save 20% on its utility bills. This leaves more taxpayer money available for other services!



Non-emergency passenger cars (87 total) are being transitioned to electric or hybrid by 2025.
In Santa Fe, electric cars emit 70% less!



The Santa Fe Trails buses and the Environmental Services trash/recycling trucks run on compressed natural gas (CNG).
Modern CNG engines are so efficient, they have almost zero emissions!

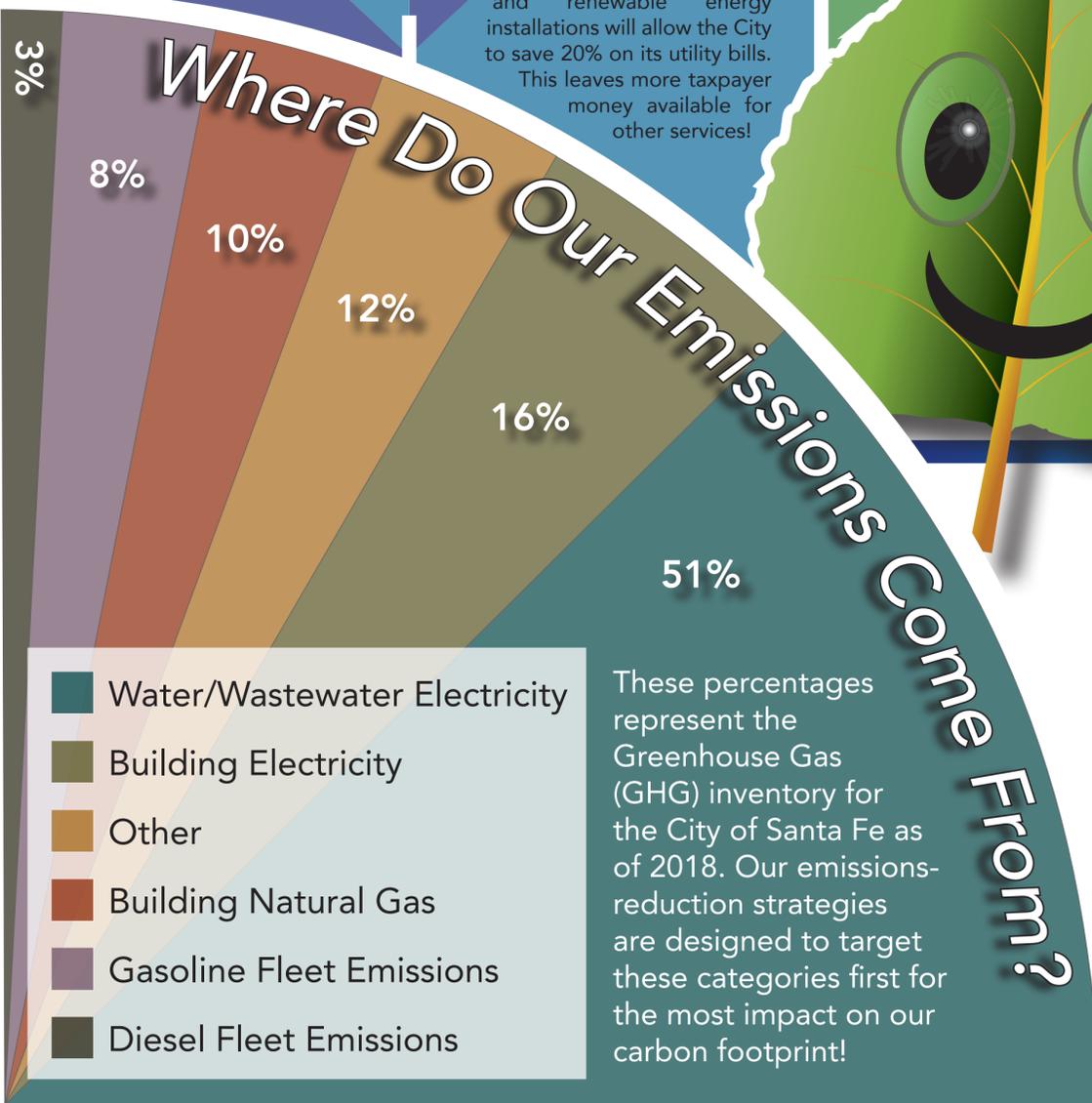


In addition to recycling in offices, the City is composting food waste from senior centers and material from the wastewater treatment process.
All debris from street projects are reused and recycled.



The Carbon Offset, Reduction, and Elimination by 2040 (CORE 40) Team brings City employees across departments together to collaborate on sustainability efforts.

Did you know? The Santa Fe Community Convention Center is a LEED Gold Certified building. LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) is a certification that means the building is more energy efficient and produces less waste products than it would otherwise.

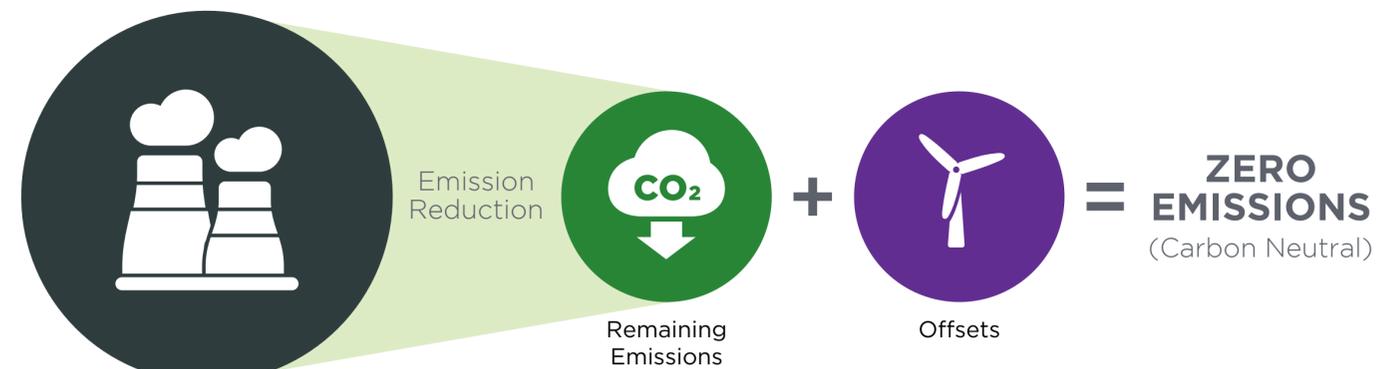


YOU CAN GET INVOLVED TOO:

- Schedule a PNM Home Energy Audit to find out how you can improve the energy efficiency of your building (and save money!)
- Take advantage of water-saving rebates from the City's Water Conservation Office.
- Consider investing in solar panels or an electric vehicle - tax credits are available to help with the upfront costs!

*Financing is pending for these projects.

WHAT DOES "CARBON NEUTRAL" MEAN?



Offsets = the purchase of credits that reduce emissions elsewhere.
Emissions = harmful greenhouse gases that contribute to climate change.