



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY

RICAPS Meeting

Regionally Integrated Climate Action Planning Suite

Tuesday, December 16, 2014

County Manager's Office
Office of Sustainability
Jim Eggemeyer, Director



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The Office of Sustainability is:

A one year pilot program in the County Manager's Office to oversee and coordinate stormwater work and centralize County sustainability initiatives.



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Who we are: Staff of seven (7)

- Director (Jim),
- Sustainability Coordinators (3 total; Stephen, Gordon, and Andrea)
- Sustainability Fellow (Kirsten)
- Commute Alternatives Program Manager (Lori)
- Active Transportation Coordinator (Ellen)



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What we do:

A. Four (4) Core Functions

1. Stormwater Management

- a. Stormwater NPDES Municipal Regional Permit (MRP)
- b. Fitzgerald Marine Reserve Area of Special Biological Significance (ASBS)
- c. Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Projects
 - San Pedro Creek Watershed/Pacifica/San Mateo County



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2. Sustainability Projects

- a. County Operations Climate Action Plan (CMO/County Facilities)
- b. Energy Efficiency Climate Action Plan (Planning and Building/Unincorporated County Areas)
- c. Energy Upgrade California (BayREN Grant)
- d. MTC Connect RWC (Bike Share Grant)
- e. Illegal Dumping – Multi Departmental Collaboration, “SeeClickFix” contract (Focused Area – North Fair Oaks)



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2. Sustainability Projects (cont.)
 - f. Environmental Purchasing Policy
 - g. Battery Recycling/Purchasing Program
 - h. Sustainable Green Building Policy/Implementation
3. Commute Alternatives Program
4. CEQA Assistance to County Departments
 - a. DPW Capital Projects (Public Safety Dispatch, Pescadero & Skylonda Fire Stations, Animal Control)
 - b. Health (Cordilleras Mental Health Center Redesign)



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B. Other Sustainability Office Efforts

1. Sea Level Rise – Vulnerability Assessment Countywide
2. Community Choice Aggregation (CCA)
3. Groundwater Management

C. Office Merger Proposal

Office of Sustainability and RecycleWorks - Proposal for Merging/Budget Discussions FY15-16, FY16-17



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Thank You!

Questions?