



Sustain and Gain in Peoria: Actions and Results

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City Council Policy Goals

- Community Building
- Enhance Our Current Services
- Preserve Our Natural Environment
- **Total Planning**
- Economic Development
- Leadership and Image



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Sustainability Workgroups

- Sustainable Planning
- Sustainable Practices
- Municipal Construction/
Green Building
- Education and Outreach



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Planning Efforts

- General Plan 2010
- Revitalization Plans:
 - Old Town Revitalization Plan
 - Sports Complex Urban Design Plan
- Transportation
 - Multi-Modal Master Plan



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Energy Rebates/Reductions

- **\$162,000** in total Energy Rebates
 - Efficiency and Peak Solution Rebates
- **12%** Electrical Reduction at City Hall
 - Over **\$100,000** saved in 2009
- Reduced Water/Wastewater Costs



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Motor Fuel Reduction

- Fleet Solutions Group
 - Eliminated **79** vehicles
- Continue to “**right size**” Fleet
- Arizona’s **First** hybrid solid waste vehicle
 - **16%** fuel savings



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Renewable Energy

SOLAR

- Tessera Solar Facility
- Beardsley WRF
- Peoria Performing Arts Center
- Westwing Park Lighting



WIND

- Lake Pleasant Fire Station



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Other Initiatives

- Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program (EECBG)
- Plastic Bag Recycling
- Water Conservation Rebates



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Moving Forward

- Reclaimed water use at new Community Park and City Hall
- Commercial Recycling
- Explore “green roads” standards
- Sustainable CIP Criteria



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Questions?



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