

**Appendix**  
**GHG reduction initiatives or commitments of Signatory Local Government**

**Addendum to**  
**The British Columbia Climate Change Action Charter**  
**For**  
**The City of Prince George**

The City has been a leader in implementing environmental initiatives for our community and will continue as a signatory community with the British Columbia Climate Change Action Charter. The City and Council are committed to goals set out in these plans, programs and initiatives to achieve a 2% reduction of community and 10% of corporate greenhouse gas emissions by 2012. These targets are achievable and in many cases may be exceeded with a strong commitment from City Council and community. There are many additional benefits the City will achieve in the process of reaching these greenhouse gas emissions reductions including improvements to air quality; Increasing the lifespan of our infrastructure and assets; reduction in costs to the City by reducing electricity, natural gas and fuel consumption; and, building partnerships with businesses, community groups and residents to achieve our community goals.

These targets will be met by:

1. Implementing existing plans

- Official Community Plan
- Prince George Air Quality Management Plan, Phase 1 and 2
- Community Action on Energy Efficiency
- Greenhouse Gas Emission Inventory
- City of Prince George Energy and Greenhouse Gas Management Plan, Milestones 1 and 2
- Energy efficiency in purchasing policies
- Community Wildfire Protection Plan
- Canfor Cogeneration Agreement
- Forest Stewardship Plan
- Prince George Community Forest, Forest and Resources Management Plan
- Clean Air Bylaw
- Water Conservation Plan
- Zoning Bylaw
- District Energy Plan

2. Continuing to pursue activities

- Integrated Community Sustainability Plan

- City of Prince George Energy and Greenhouse Gas Management Plan, Milestone Three, Partners for Climate Protection
- Anti-idling Campaign
- Bio-diesel fleet vehicle conversion
- Bio-diesel Program
- Official Community Plan – Smart Growth (Infrastructure Design Guidelines; Subdivision and Development Servicing Bylaw; Commercial and Multiple-Family Development Permit Guidelines)
- Transit Plan
- BC Hydro PowerSmart Program
- Municipal waste reduction
- Sustainability Checklist for development
- Development Cost Charges Bylaw
- Downtown Transportation and Parking Plan

### 3. Preparing new plans, bylaws, policies, etc.

- Partners for Climate Protection, Milestones Four and Five
- Corporate Action Plan - to reduce emissions by 2012
- Community Action Plan – to reduce emissions by 2012
- E3 Fleets Program – Consolidated Fleet Energy Reduction Plan
- Community Energy System
- BC Buildings - Energy Efficiency in Civic Buildings and Facilities
- Smart Growth Principles in Land Use Planning
- Stakeholder Outreach Campaign
- Consolidated Fleet Energy Reduction Plan
- Meet Energy Efficient Buildings Plan targets
- Public education campaign on fuel efficiency
- Environmental Report Card
- Landfill Gas Utilization
- Tree Protection Bylaw
- Built Green Incentive Program
- Soil Removal and Deposit Bylaw update
- Development Procedures Bylaw
- Recycling and Waste Management