

City of Redmond – Sustainability Profile

City Overview

The City of Redmond is situated on the north end of Lake Sammamish and along the Sammamish River. Redmond is home to 51,890 residents as well as Microsoft. The City's Comprehensive Plan is being updated with sustainability as the main organizing principle. This is based upon sustainability guiding principles as a result of a community event in 2010 called Livable Redmond. These principles have been reviewed and adopted by the City Council and Planning Commission. The city completed greenhouse gas inventories for both city operations and the community at large for 2008, 2009, and 2010 and is in the process of adopting targets. Redmond is a founding partner in the [King County-Cities Climate Collaboration](#).

Recent Accomplishments

- *Clean Transportation* -The [Transportation Master Plan](#) is implemented and tracked by an annual Mobility Report Card, which promotes sustainable travel through bicycling, walking, and bussing. Redmond has four electric vehicle dual Level I and II chargers for public use.
- *Green Building* - The City currently provides expedited permitting for green residential and non-residential building permits. Redmond has several programs to incentivize green building and is looking to move towards building green in 2013.
- *Green Redmond Partnership* – This urban forestry management program is in partnership with the Cascade Land Conservancy. It outlines a plan of action for maintaining Redmond's forest cover on city owned lands and is heavily based upon volunteer stewardship.

Learn More



- Sustainability website education and outreach www.impactredmond.com
- [R-TRIP](#) – Redmond Trip Resource & Incentive Program-used by nearly 20,000 residents.

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