

CITY OF WYOMING, GO GREEN CHALLENGE GOALS, 2008

TOPIC

Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability

GOAL 2008

Improve resident awareness of the positive and negative effects that their actions can have on the global and local environments and their overall quality of life.

OBJECTIVE

- Develop and/or sponsor a series of programs promoting sustainable practices and conservation and make them available to the public at little or no cost.

GOAL 2008

Achieve and maintain a minimum recycling rate of 25% of all household waste so as to receive a recycling award in accordance with Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District's C.A.R.E. program and endeavor to once again be recognized as *the* leading community in Hamilton County with the highest rate of recycling.

OBJECTIVES

- Provide more education to our residents on the importance of reducing overall household waste and the direct and indirect benefits of recycling.
- Work with the business community and religious and other community based institutions to identify ways to increase the percentage of recycled waste and reduce overall waste.
- Explore opportunities for the reuse of building materials and educate our residents and the contracting community on the benefits of adopting these practices.

GOAL 2008

Reduce the impact that the City vehicle fleet has on the environment.

OBJECTIVES

- Adopt and implement a policy to purchase alternative and/or flex-fuel vehicles wherever feasible.
- Explore opportunities to reduce fuel consumption through more efficient routing, elimination of redundancy, and other appropriate means.