

Sacramento Small Business Green Energy Survey

1. How do you feel about the environmental situation of Sacramento today?

	Response Percent	Response Count
I don't care 	4.3%	4
Somewhat concerned 	37.6%	35
Very concerned 	58.1%	54
answered question		93
skipped question		0

2. Are you conscious of the world's environmental issues with waste disposal?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	72.8%	67
More or Less 	22.8%	21
No, not at all 	4.3%	4
answered question		92
skipped question		1

3. How important is it to you for Sacramento to be a leader in environmental causes?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Important 	79.6%	74
More or Less 	12.9%	12
No, not at all 	7.5%	7
answered question		93
skipped question		0

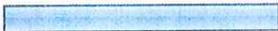
4. What single environmental improvement would you like to see in your city/state?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Open space protection		7.5%	7
Planned growth		12.9%	12
Increased use of renewable energy		36.6%	34
Eliminating trash		5.4%	5
Water Conservation		11.8%	11
Alternative Energy		25.8%	24
answered question			93
skipped question			0

5. How supportive would you be of having your city arrange your business or residential trash?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Very supportive		36.6%	34
Somewhat supportive		16.1%	15
Not sure		31.2%	29
Not supportive		3.2%	3
Don't know		12.9%	12
answered question			93
skipped question			0

6. Are you aware of where your trash is being sent after being picked up at your business?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	39.6%	36
No 	60.4%	55
<i>answered question</i>		91
<i>skipped question</i>		2

7. How many tons of trash are generated in Sacramento weekly?

	Response Percent	Response Count
100 tons 	1.3%	1
250 tons 	1.3%	1
500 tons 	33.8%	27
1000 tons 	63.8%	51
<i>answered question</i>		80
<i>skipped question</i>		13

8. How many tons of trash are generated a day in Sacramento?

	Response Percent	Response Count
100 ton 	65.4%	53
250 ton 	29.6%	24
500 ton 	3.7%	3
1000 ton 	1.2%	1
<i>answered question</i>		81
<i>skipped question</i>		12

9. Can the trash picked up at your home be used to generate electricity?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	60.9%	56
No 	1.1%	1
Don't Know 	38.0%	35
<i>answered question</i>		92
<i>skipped question</i>		1

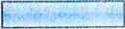
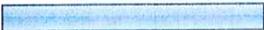
10. Can the trash picked at your home be used to produce alternative fuels, such as ethanol and hydrogen?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	53.3%	49
No 	3.3%	3
Don't know 	43.5%	40
<i>answered question</i>		92
<i>skipped question</i>		1

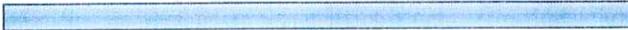
11. Is it important to you that Sacramento reduces or eliminates harmful emissions caused by trucking or garbage to Nevada landfill?

	Response Percent	Response Count
I don't care 	8.8%	8
Somewhat concerned 	34.1%	31
Very concerned 	57.1%	52
<i>answered question</i>		91
<i>skipped question</i>		2

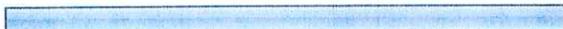
12. How important is it to you that the City stops transferring / trucking garbage to a Nevada landfill every day?

	Response Percent	Response Count
I don't care 	17.2%	16
Somewhat concerned 	45.2%	42
Very concerned 	37.6%	35
answered question		93
skipped question		0

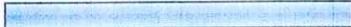
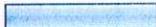
13. If there was a clean technology that would safely process our garbage and eliminate the need for landfills would you be in favor of that?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	90.2%	83
No	0.0%	0
Don't know 	9.8%	9
answered question		92
skipped question		1

14. Environmental Awareness: do members of your organization discuss environmental issues (either formally or informally)?

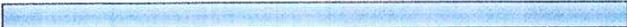
	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes 	80.6%	75
No 	19.4%	18
answered question		93
skipped question		0

15. Does your organization have a formal "green" program?			Response Percent	Response Count
Yes			57.8%	52
No			42.2%	38
			<i>answered question</i>	90
			<i>skipped question</i>	3

16. What measures do you take to minimize the environmental impacts of your business? (check all that apply)			Response Percent	Response Count
Reduce electricity consumption			83.0%	73
Reduce natural gas consumption			34.1%	30
Reduce water consumption			58.0%	51
Reduce gasoline/diesel consumption			50.0%	44
Reduce waste generation Minimize air/water pollution			68.2%	60
other _____			21.6%	19
			<i>answered question</i>	88
			<i>skipped question</i>	5

17. Are you concerned about global climate change?			Response Percent	Response Count
Yes			82.8%	77
No			17.2%	16
			<i>answered question</i>	93
			<i>skipped question</i>	0

18. Do you support the Sacramento government's interest in being a hub for clean/greenn technology?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		90.3%	84
No		9.7%	9
<i>answered question</i>			93
<i>skipped question</i>			0

19. Which of the following do you see as significant issues for the Sacramento region? (check all that apply)

		Response Percent	Response Count
Air Quality		76.1%	70
Water Quality		65.2%	60
Solid Waste Management		60.9%	56
Biodiversity (incl. threatened & endangered species)		41.3%	38
Renewable Energy		70.7%	65
Urban Planning/Traffic		75.0%	69
<i>answered question</i>			92
<i>skipped question</i>			1