



MENDOTA HEIGHTS ENERGY ACTION PLAN

Mendota Heights City staff and community members collaborated with Xcel Energy's Partners in Energy program to create this Energy Action Plan. The plan offers Mendota Heights residents, businesses, and the City itself a path forward to save energy, avoid greenhouse gas emissions, and manage energy costs.

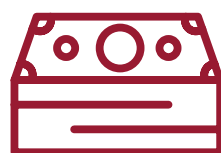
Our Energy Vision

Mendota Heights is a leader in the transition to a clean energy future. This plan guides the city, residents, and businesses to take action to increase energy efficiency and use renewable resources to create more community resilience.

Our Goals

By 2030, the Mendota Heights community will save an estimated **\$1.6 million** through energy efficiency projects and avoid **9,000 MTCO₂e** of greenhouse gas emissions.

Energy Action Plan Impacts



Estimated savings of **\$1.6 million** for residents, businesses and the City through the end of 2030.



Avoid **9,000 MTCO₂e** (Metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent) of greenhouse gas emissions. That's like removing over 400 gas-powered cars from the road each year through 2030.



Empowering the Mendota Heights community to make decisions about its energy future.



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An Xcel Energy Community Collaboration



How We Are Going to Get There

The City of Mendota Heights with support from Partners in Energy will take actions identified in this plan to achieve our goal. These actions center on four focus areas:

- **Residential Energy Efficiency**
- **Business & Municipal Energy Efficiency**
- **Renewable Energy**
- **Beneficial Electrification**



Strategy Highlights

- Connect residents with existing opportunities for energy efficiency upgrades, including home energy audits.
- Partner with area businesses to promote energy efficiency and help businesses manage energy costs.
- Lead by example and showcase the City of Mendota Heights' commitment to solar energy.
- Educate and engage residents on beneficial electrification, the switch from fossil fuel-powered technologies to electricity-powered technologies.
- Explore adding EV chargers to municipal buildings and electrifying the Mendota Heights fleet.
- Showcase local residents' energy efficiency, renewable energy, and electrification projects.



The content of this plan is derived from a series of planning workshops hosted by Xcel Energy's Partners in Energy. Thank you to the Mendota Heights Energy Action Team for their many hours of service.