



Greening your Menlo Park home:

Save Energy and Money



- **Green@Home free energy audit** – Non-profit program offered in partnership with the City of Menlo Park: www.acterra.org/greenathome
- **PG&E** – Website loaded with information on rebates and saving energy at home: www.pge.com/myhome/saveenergymoney
 - **Online energy analyzer:** www.pge.com/myhome/saveenergymoney/analyzer/en/
 - **Rebate information** – Old refrigerators, insulation, windows, etc: www.pge.com/myhome/saveenergymoney/rebates/
 - **Energy saving tips:** www.pge.com/myhome/saveenergymoney/savingstips/
- **Flex Your Power** – California’s statewide energy efficiency outreach campaign: www.fypower.org
- **Renewable energy systems** – Research photovoltaic and solar hot water: www.findsolar.org
- **Energy Star Appliances** – US government program recommending energy efficient appliances, electronics and practices: www.energystar.gov
- **Professional home energy audits and diagnostics**
 - **Sustainable Spaces:** www.sustainablespace.com
 - **Emerson Environmental:** www.emersonenvironmental.com
 - **Visual Cue Thermal Imaging** by Lorna Fear: www.lornafear.com

City of Menlo Park — City-wide environmental programs



- **Environmental programs:** www.menlopark.org/departments/dep_environment.html
- **Environmental Quality Commission:** www.menlopark.org/commissions/com_enviro.html

Recycle or Donate Stuff You Don't Need



- **RecycleWorks** – Everything you need to know about Reducing, Reusing and Recycling including home composting in San Mateo County: www.recycleworks.org
- **RethinkWaste** – Provides waste reduction, recycling and solid waste programs through the South Bayside waste management authority: www.rethinkwaste.org
- **Hazardous Waste Recycle** – Be safe, recycle household cleaners, chemicals, batteries, etc: www.menlopark.org/departments/env/waste5.pdf or www.smhealth.org/hhw
- **Freecycle** – Sign up and post things to give away (or post your needs) to people in your own town: www.freecycle.org

Green Ways to Get There



- **Online trip planner** – Find a route and schedule with public transit or carpool matching: www.511.org
- **Bike route maps** – SV Bicycle Coalition: www.bikesiliconvalley.org/resources/maps

Save Water, Save Energy



Reduce how much water you heat and increase your energy savings. Get rebates and water-saving devices from your water service company: www.menlopark.org/departments/pwk/mpmwd.html or call the City for assistance at 650-330-6740



For more local resources to help green your home and other parts of your life, go to www.acterra.org

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