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## Targeting Greenhouse Gases

**Your Say**

The City of Joondalup is seeking community comment on the issue of Global Warming. Your comments will help Council in determining the community's view on Global Warming and the setting of Greenhouse gas emission reduction targets for the community and Council. The Council News feature "[Targeting Greenhouse Gases](#)" provides an introduction to Global Warming and our community's response to this important issue. The article looks at the arguments for and against the existence of the Greenhouse Effect and, whether there needs to be a Council policy relating to the Greenhouse Effect.

Please complete the [online survey form](#) and submit it by no later than 11 January 2002.

The City of Joondalup attended the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Cities for Climate Protection Conference, held in Adelaide (August 2001). Click [here](#) to see the slide presentation by the City of Joondalup conference delegation.

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### Your Say Community Survey

1. Your Name:

Your Suburb:

2a. Do You think there is a Greenhouse Effect?

☐ Yes   ☐ No

2b. Should Council adopt a strategy on the Greenhouse Effect?

☐ Yes   ☐ No

3. **Community** Greenhouse gas emissions are predicted to increase from 1,317,104 equivalent tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> (1996) to 1,499,694 equivalent tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> (2010), if no action is taken to reduce emissions. What community emission reduction target on 1996 levels by 2010 do you support?

Select	Reduction target %	CO <sub>2</sub> reduction target in tonnes by 2010
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- |                       |     |         |
|-----------------------|-----|---------|
| <input type="radio"/> | 15% | 197,566 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 20% | 263,421 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 30% | 395,131 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 35% | 460,986 |

☐ or other:  %

4. **Council** Greenhouse gas emissions are predicted to increase from 20,827 equivalent tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> (2000) to 24,784 equivalent tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> (2010), if no action is taken to reduce emissions. What Council emission reduction target on 2000 levels by 2010 do you support?

Select	Reduction target %	CO <sub>2</sub> reduction target in tonnes by 2010
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|-----------------------|-----|-------|
| <input type="radio"/> | 15% | 3,124 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 20% | 4,165 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 30% | 6,248 |
| <input type="radio"/> | 35% | 7,289 |

☐ or other:  %

5. What do you believe that Greenhouse gas emission reduction should focus on:

	StrongSupport	Support	No Support
Promoting efficient use of energy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improve air quality (eg. by reducing smoky fires and vehicle emissions)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
More use of environmentally friendly transport (Cycling, public transport and walking)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Promoting local employment for local people (to minimise the need for long commuting trips)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Saving money by reducing energy costs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Streetlighting and other public lighting.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community education regarding Greenhouse and energy usage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Promotion and use of renewable energy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy efficiency in the household	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Business practices that reduce energy usage and waste.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community education regarding Greenhouse and energy usage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Promote businesses which market energy efficient products.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Government initiatives focussing on greenhouse gas emission reductions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Other: ☐ ☐ ☐

6. Please list the activities in which you, your household, community group or business are involved in that may help reduce Greenhouse gas emissions?

**Personal/Household Actions****School/Community Group Actions****Business/Office Activities**

7. What overall comments do you have regarding the Greenhouse Effect, Global Warming and the community's actions seeking to reduce Greenhouse gas emissions?

8. If you would like to attend a forum to help develop the Greenhouse gas emission reduction strategy, please provide your name and address. (The City of Joondalup will notify you via correspondence).

**Name:****Address:****E-Mail:****Telephone:**



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### Web Links

The following websites provide some of the most comprehensive, balanced and up to date analysis regarding the Greenhouse Effect, Global Warming and community actions directed towards reducing Greenhouse gas emissions. For further information, refer to:

- Cities for Climate Protection (ICLEI's web site) [www.iclei.org/ccp-au/](http://www.iclei.org/ccp-au/),
- Australian Greenhouse Office [www.greenhouse.gov.au](http://www.greenhouse.gov.au)
- CSIRO Atmospheric Research [www.dar.csiro.au/](http://www.dar.csiro.au/)
- Greenhouse Effect [www.dar.csiro.au/cc/default.htm](http://www.dar.csiro.au/cc/default.htm)
- CSIRO Climate change projections for Australia
- [www.dar.csiro.au/publications/projections2001.pdf](http://www.dar.csiro.au/publications/projections2001.pdf)
- International Panel on Climate Change [www.unep.ch/ipcc/](http://www.unep.ch/ipcc/)
- "Your Home, Design for Lifestyle and the Future", [www.yourhome.gov.au](http://www.yourhome.gov.au)
- Union of Concerned Scientists (Global Warming)
- [www.ucsusa.org/environment/0warming.html](http://www.ucsusa.org/environment/0warming.html)
- [www.ucsusa.org/environment/skeptics.html](http://www.ucsusa.org/environment/skeptics.html)
- [www.ucsusa.org/environment/gw.skeptorgs.html](http://www.ucsusa.org/environment/gw.skeptorgs.html)

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