

City of South Lake Tahoe

Reach Codes

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The City of South Lake Tahoe is in the process of researching, developing, and adopting a **Reach Code**.

What is a Reach Code?

A Reach Code is a local building energy code which reaches beyond the minimum requirements of the state. Adopting more stringent energy requirements for building design and construction can allow a local government to reduce emissions, lower utility bills, provide safer buildings, and improve public health.

Reach Codes give local governments the opportunity to act as a leader and set pathways for other governments to follow.

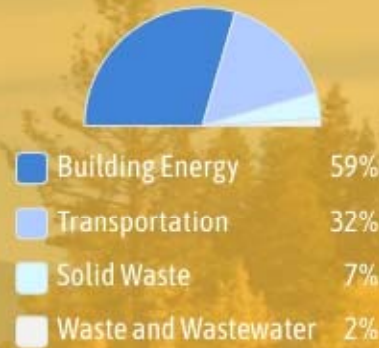


Why adopt Reach Codes in SLT?

The City of South Lake Tahoe is committed to demonstrating leadership in climate resilience. With the 2017 passing of Resolution 2017-26, the City committed to reducing emissions to:

- 50% below 2015 levels by 2030
- 80% below 2015 levels by 2040

2015 Baseline Community-wide Emissions



The Baseline Greenhouse Gas Inventory revealed Building Energy to be the largest source of emissions in the City.

Strategy 11 in the City's 2020 Climate Action Plan outlines the City Council's commitment to adopting a Reach Code to support the reduction in emissions.



How can you participate?

The City of South Lake Tahoe is eager to engage the public in the Reach Code development and adoption process. The goal of adopting Reach Codes is to create a greener, safer South Lake Tahoe for all residents.

Throughout the process, there will be various opportunities for public comment and feedback. Residents can stay updated on the process through the Reach Code Development web page.