

MORE PROJECT IDEAS

Addendum to Hintonburg Community Sustainability Plan

The community discussions on 24 & 25 April 2018 did a good job of gathering ideas to create the Sustainability Plan. But this process does not need to end. There are more ideas in the community. This list will capture and display them on the OBEC website (obec-evbo.ca) and will be updated periodically.

If you have additional project ideas – particularly simple projects that anyone can do and ongoing projects – please send them to us. Just indicate the Theme and give us a sentence describing the project idea. If you have contact information, you may provide that too.

TRANSPORTATION (Movement of goods and people)

April 2018

- Create a “pedestrian walkway” during festivals held in the neighbourhood (i.e., shut down the streets to cars)
- Ask OC Transpo to create a “green pass” for Hintonburg residents. This would involve the use of zone fares & provide discounts to those travelling shorter distances (i.e., people living in Hintonburg & nearby neighbourhoods who travel to downtown vs. people who travel from the suburbs to downtown). This type of fare structure is common in other cities.
- Install infrastructure for electric vehicles.
- Municipal vehicle fleet should be using less fossil fuel. Instead they should use hybrids/smart-charging infrastructure like plug-in stations. The Federation of Canadian Municipalities has funding for this type of initiative.

ENERGY (For buildings, transportation, manufacturing and agriculture)

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DESIGN (of buildings, roads, public spaces and communities)

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HABITAT (Living places for plants and animals, both urban and rural, on land and in water)

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FOOD (Local or organic food, urban gardens, heritage crops and animals)

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NATURAL CAPITAL (Soil, water, wood, air and other natural materials that meet human needs)

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WASTE (Reducing, reusing, recycling and processing of wastes, and conversion of waste to energy)

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HEALTH (Clean air and water, safety, tranquility, and environmental needs of vulnerable groups)

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RECREATION (Non-motorized activities, urban or rural recreation, “greening” of events)

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SENSE OF PLACE (Feeling of belonging to a place, that leads to social and environmental stewardship)

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