

City Energy Plan References

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Possible Bicentennial Energy Goals

1. Holland will be the place to invest, supported by its commitment to a sustainable energy future.
2. Holland will develop, recruit, and retain clean energy business enterprises.
3. Holland will diversify its sources of electricity in order to continue its tradition of reliable electricity service at competitive rates.
4. Holland will favor public investments in renewable energy and energy conservation over public investments in energy generation through fossil fuels.
5. Holland will encourage all of its energy consumers to make their own private investments in energy conservation, efficiency, and distributed generation.
6. Holland will adopt electricity pricing policies that reflect short and long term costs both direct and indirect.
7. Holland will seek to reduce adverse health and environmental effects of energy generation and use.
8. Holland will seek partnerships that promote energy conservation, energy efficiency, and renewable energy.
9. All publicly funded energy expenditures will visibly contribute to meeting these goals.
10. All publicly funded energy expenditures will be cost-effective where it is understood that "cost effective" is not the same as "cheapest now."

Possible Metrics for Setting Targets and Measuring Progress

(normalized for population and GDP as appropriate)

- Reliability statistics in electrical services.
- Total energy consumption.
- Total energy billings to consumers.
- Percent of total energy consumption generated from fossil fuels.
- Percent of electricity demand met by efficiency and conservation.
- Percent of electricity demand met by renewable energy sources.
- Peak demand for electricity.
- Greenhouse gas emissions