

Questions to be Addressed in the Sustainability Features Section of a Staff Report

1. ***Energy***: Does the proposal include features that will minimize the use of electricity, natural gas, and other fossil fuels?

Related General Plan policies:

- NR – 4.1 Energy Efficiency Measures;
- NR-4.5 Energy Efficient Contractors; and
- NR-4.10 Public Renewable Energy Generation

2. ***Water***: Does the proposal include features that will minimize the use of water?

Related General Plan policies:

- NR-6.9 – Water Conservation;
- NR-6.11 – Reclaimed Water Usage; and
- NR-6.14 – Native and Drought-Tolerant Landscaping .

3. ***Air***: Does the proposal include features that will minimize emission of pollutants into the air?

Related General Plan policies:

- NR-2.4 – Community Greenhouse Gas Reduction;
- NR-2.3 – Emissions Reduction; and
- NR-2.12 – Preference for Reduced-Emission Equipment.

4. ***Solid Waste***: Does the proposal include features that will minimize material sent to a landfill?

Related General Plan policies:

- PFS-7.5 – Municipal Waste Reduction;
- PFS-7.10 – Recycled Products or Processes for Capital Projects; and
- PFS-7.6 – Municipal Reuse.

5. ***Purchasing***: Will the proposal be consistent with the City’s Environmentally Preferred Purchasing Policy?

Related General Plan policies:

- PFS-2.4 – Sustainable Contracting
- PFS-7.9 – City Contracts
- PFS-7.11 – Disposable, Toxic, or Non-Renewable Products

6. ***Transportation***: Does the project provide for complete streets that balance the diverse needs of users of the public right-of-way?

Related General Plan policies:

- M-1.6 Bicycling, Walking, and Transit Amenities
- M-5.2 Pedestrian System
- M-6.2 Encourage Bicycle Use