Municipality of the Township of Stratford



List of initiatives

- Development of greater awareness of responsible drinking water management among municipal employees
- Adoption of a by-law requiring the installation of water counters and consumption-based charges
- Optimization of the operating sequence of blowers at the sewage treatment plant
- Implementation of a preventive maintenance program on drinking water mains
- Analysis of the energy efficiency of the cultural centre and community centre
- Installation of programmable thermostats in municipal buildings
- Turning off lights at the tennis courts earlier when they are not in use
- Separation of the storm and sanitary sewer systems on roads affected by construction work
- Adoption of a preventive maintenance program
- Promotion of household composting
- Free access to an ecocentre for residents
- Availability of a public transportation system
- Improvements to the bike path (Chemin Stratford)
- Carpooling by municipal councillors and employees for work-related travel
- Installation of heat reflectors behind the hot water heaters at the community centre
- Activation of a dual-energy boiler (electric boiler) and addition of a control loop for the temperature of the water used to heat the community centre
- Enrolment in Réseau Environnement's Programme d'économie d'eau potable (PEEP) (water savings program)
- Inspection to disconnect eavestroughs from the wastewater treatment system
- Subsidy program for the purchase of rain barrels
- Subsidies to residents for the purchase of water-saving devices for toilets and/or shower heads
- Recovery of rainwater from a municipal building
- Installation of variable-speed pumps at the sewage pumping station
- Replacement of blower motors at the sewage treatment plant with more efficient motors
- Eco-driving training for municipal employees
- Adoption of a policy to replace vehicles at the end of their lifecycle with more energyefficient ones
- Recovery of sewage sludge
 - Public awareness campaign about grass-cycling
 - Public anti-idling awareness campaign
- Adoption of a double-sided printing policy