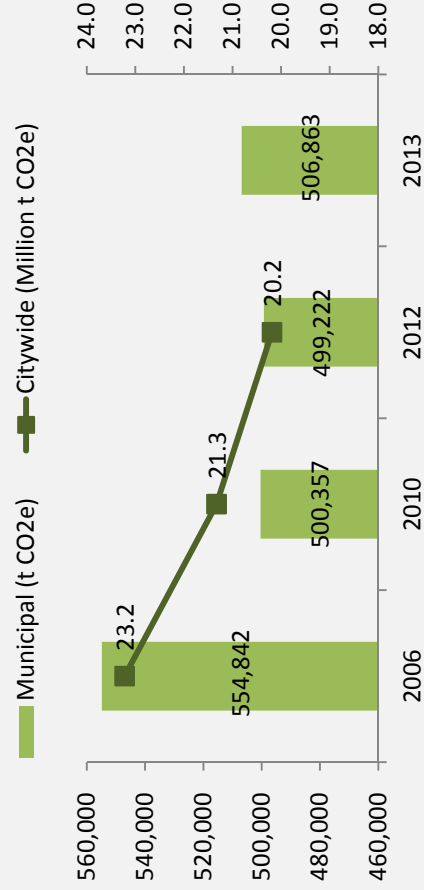


Goal 4: Establish Philadelphia as the Greenest City in America

Each quarter the City spotlights progress made towards one of the Mayor's goals. Goal 4 is about making Philadelphia the greenest and most sustainable city in America.

Greenhouse Gas Emissions

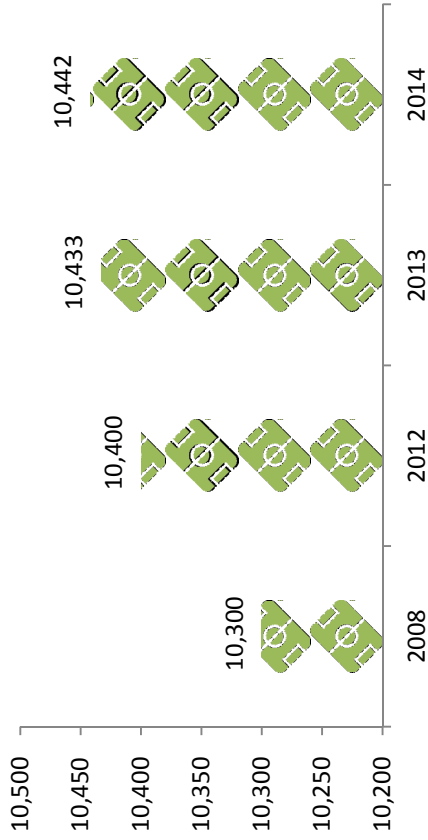
Citywide greenhouse gas emissions declined by 13% between 2006 and 2012 despite an increase in population and real estate development.



Source: City of Philadelphia Mayor's Office of Sustainability

Acres of Open Space

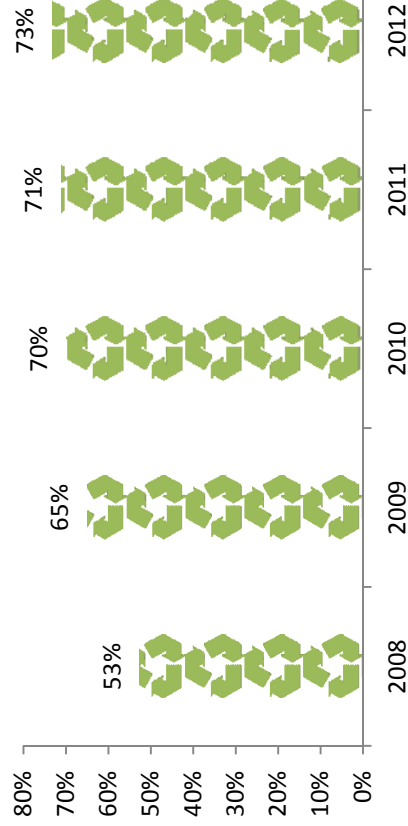
The City has added 107 football fields of open space since 2008, including 16 miles of trails.



Source: Greenworks Philadelphia: 2014 Progress Report.

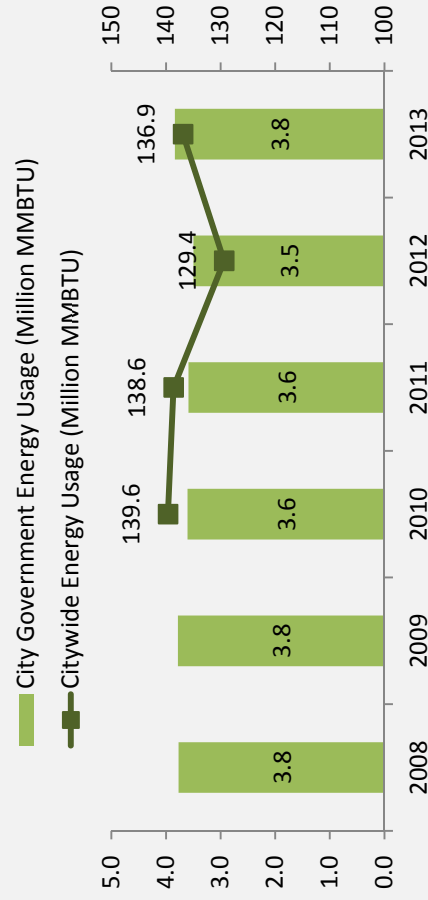
Waste Diversion

The City has exceeded its target of diverting 70% of waste from landfill, and, starting in 2014, now diverts all non-recyclables to waste-to-energy plants.



Energy Consumption*

Energy consumption has held relatively steady despite increased population and more extreme temperatures in summer and winter.



*City Government Energy Usage is reported by fiscal year not by calendar year.