



# MySantaClara protects the environment

Silicon Valley Power, the City's municipal electric utility, celebrated 120 years of service in 2016. The award-winning utility announced that by 2018, Silicon Valley Power energy will be coal free, cutting in half the carbon intensity of the power it provides to Santa Clara.

Santa Clara received two awards in 2016 that reflect its ongoing commitment to protecting the environment: a Tree City USA and Growth Award from the Arbor Day Foundation and top honors from the Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program in the National Municipal Stormwater and Green Infrastructure Awards Program.

The largest public multi-standard electric vehicle charging facility in California opened in Santa Clara in 2016 inside the City's Tasman Parking Garage. It includes 48 Level 2 chargers and one DC Fast Charger. In addition, seven Level 2 charging stations for electric vehicles were installed in the City Hall parking lot.

*"I feel good every week on pick up day when I see how much my neighborhood recycles. Very little goes to landfill."*

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY																																																																																																				
	Board of Library Trustees 6:30 p.m. Cultural Commission 7 p.m.	1	2	3	Historical & Landmarks Commission 7 p.m.	4	Friday Night Live SES Hall	5	6																																																																																																	
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7	Civil Service Commission 7 p.m.	8	Youth Commission 6 p.m. City Council 7 p.m.	9	Planning Commission 7 p.m.	10	11	12	13																																																																																																	
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14	15	City Council 7 p.m. Parks & Recreation Commission 7 p.m.	16	Architectural Committee 7 p.m.	17	18	19	Senior Center Health and Wellness Fair	20																																																																																																	
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21	22	City Council 7 p.m.	23	Planning Commission 7 p.m.	24	25	PAL Tony Sanchez Memorial Softball Tournament	26	PAL Tony Sanchez Memorial Softball Tournament	27																																																																																																
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