



# 2027-2032 CLC Sustainability Plan

Board of Trustees

September 22, 2026



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# Three Pillars of Sustainability



## ALIGNMENT

### 2030 Strategic Plan

Student  
Access &  
Success

Community  
Vibrancy

Future-Ready  
Organization



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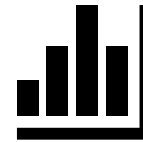
# Data

## Intent

*Gain insight, report accurately, and provide transparency to College of Lake County stakeholders.*

## Goals

- Data Collection & Organization
- Maintaining Certifications and Reporting Commitments



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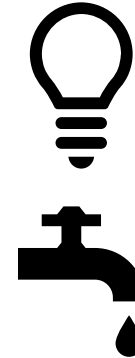
# Utility Reduction

## Intent

*Establish a baseline for important commodities for the College, which will be used to make informed sustainability decisions and strategic planning.*

## Goals

- Investigate incorporation of EnergySense (Formerly SEDAC) Net Zero Plan
- Reduce Electricity Use
- Reduce Gas Use
- Reduce Water Use
- Reduce Waste Generated



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# Transportation

## Intent

*Reduce reliance on fossil fuel for CLC owned equipment and provide charging resources for campus community.*

## Goals

- Electrification of Campus Fleet
- More Electric Vehicle Chargers
- Electric Lawncare equipment



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# Financing & Procurement

## Intent

*Change CLC purchasing habits to locally based low carbon sources and facilitate use of campus assets.*

## Goals

- Actively seek out grants
- Update procurement policies



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# Community Building

## Intent

*Increase access to low carbon food on CLC campuses and contribute to community vibrancy.*

## Goals

- Living Lab Opportunities
- Campus Food
- Sustainability Events & Resources



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# Environment

## Intent

*Maintain green spaces on CLC campuses while providing educational opportunities for students.*

## Goals

- Prairie Management Planning
- Japanese Garden Revitalization
- Green Roof Maintenance
- Bioswale Maintenance
- Restart Apiary



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# Questions?



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