

Haverford Township needs *YOU* to help us reach our greenhouse gas emissions goals.

In 2008 Haverford Township committed to cutting greenhouse gas emissions 30% by 2020. This July, Haverford Township Commissioners voted **unanimously** on a resolution to renew their commitment to meet this goal. The Township and School District are on their way, with efficient buildings and LED street lights. It's time to jump on board and do your part.



There are two simple steps you can take that will make the biggest difference.

1) Invest in fuel-efficient hybrids, plug-in hybrids or full electric vehicles. You might believe these cars would be too expensive, but you would be mistaken. They are cheaper to fuel and maintain. Factoring in significantly reduced fuel costs and much lower maintenance expenses, and adding in state and federal tax credits (*for now*) you can begin to see how much you'll save over the lifetime of a hybrid or electric vehicle. (See www.FuelEconomy.gov for more on savings.)

2) Switch to 100% clean renewable electricity in your home. Next to purchasing a fuel-efficient vehicle, switching to a clean electricity provider is the next best thing you can do to lower your greenhouse gas emissions.

Ready to do your part? Here's what you'll need to know:

- You will still receive only one bill from PECO and still contact PECO for outages and service.



This chart shows you how much carbon a typical Haverford Township house is using per year. Visit this site to check out your carbon footprint. <http://coolclimate.berkeley.edu/calculator>

- PECO will remain your distributor, you choose your provider.
- There is more than one clean electricity provider. Using PECO Power Switch you can pick the plan with the price and features you desire.
- While your provider will remind you when your term is up, it's best to add it to your calendar as well, so you can make sure the price is still competitive. Keeping on top of this is not unlike your cable or cell phone bill.
- It takes only 10 minutes to sign up. All you need is your PECO account number.

For more information or any assistance in the switch, please contact: havswitch@gmail.com