

City of Reno's  
**GREEN**  
*Summit*

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More than 30 vendors will be available from noon to 6:00 p.m.

**Actions Taken By City As A Result Of The 2007 Green Summit And Your Participation**

- Go Green Education Campaign with WCSD
- Green Building Awards
- Municipal codes updated supporting renewable energy development and green building.
- E-government model improves customer service and reduces the need to visit a City facility.
- All facilities undergoing energy and water conservation upgrades.
- Recycling containers provided at all 17 rental shelters for cans and plastic.
- City vehicles increased biodiesel blend from 5% to 20%.
- Installing solar photovoltaics on buildings.
- Tree box filters to prevent contamination of Truckee from roadways.
- Facilities staff uses environmentally friendly janitorial and cleaning supplies.
- All City Offices have recycling bins.
- Revised developer forms to list green components of their developments.
- Increased the number of bike storage facilities at City sites and buildings.
- Drafted an ordinance that will require development to address storm water quality with significant emphasis on the use of Low Impact Development practices
- Prepared and disseminated information for public education on recycling procedures and locations including brochure, web site, and green calendar.
- Hosted an Employee Environmental Awareness Fair to introduce various sustainable programs and organizations in our community to City staff.
- Created the Green Tsar position.
- Created LEED Certified Architect position.

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## Program of Events

For the second year, the Reno City Council has made one of its priorities creating a Green, or “Sustainable Community” action plan for the coming Fiscal Year. The first green summit in 2007 drew on local experts and activists to help determine what City government could do to benefit the environment.

The 2008 Green Summit is a report back to the community on progress made and a discussion on continued initiatives and new directions. It is an opportunity for you to participate, and help develop plans to reduce emissions, improve energy efficiency, recycle, create sustainable building practices, and use environmentally friendly products.



1:00 p.m.

Welcome to Campus  
by **UNR President Milton Glick**

Greetings and Introductions  
by **Reno Mayor Robert A. Cashell Sr.**

Report to Community  
by **Reno City Councilman Dave Aiazzi**

Keynote Address  
by **Rocky Anderson, President of the High Road for Human Rights**

*The Honorable Rocky Anderson, founder of High Road for Human Rights, practiced law for 21 years; representing plaintiffs in antitrust, securities fraud, professional negligence, and civil rights cases. He then served as mayor of Salt Lake City from 2000 to 2008.*

*His comprehensive environmental programs, including an aggressive climate protection campaign, achieved a 31 percent reduction in greenhouse gas emissions in Salt Lake City's municipal operations.*

*For his leadership on climate change, Anderson received the Climate Protection Award from the EPA, the Distinguished Service Award from the Sierra Club, and the World Leadership Award from the World Leadership Forum.*

*Anderson is now working to achieve municipal and regional support for climate protection initiatives and to provide grassroots education and advocacy opportunities in the areas of human rights and climate change.*

2:45 - 3:00 p.m.

Break

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Four Concurrent  
Breakout Sessions:

1. Transportation  
**Moderated by Dave Jickling, RTC & John Flansberg & Nathan Gilbert, City of Reno**

*The discussion will focus on successes in the transportation arena including Transit Oriented Development, alternative fuels, alternative transportation and public transportation. The group will also discuss solutions and future direction to address transportation issues facing our region.*

2. Green Building and Guidelines  
**Moderated by Kevin Dick, NSBDC & Ted Fuetsch, City of Reno**

*The discussion will describe successes in green building in our region, zoning changes to encourage more green building and the Sierra Green Guidelines created by the Builders Association of Northern Nevada that are used by builders in our area. The group will discuss technologies and incentives used in our area and future steps in expanding opportunities.*

3. Single Stream Recycling & Single Use Bags  
**Moderated by John Sagebiel, UNR & Jason Geddes, City of Reno**

*The panel will provide an overview of current recycling programs, options that are occurring in other communities, commercial technologies changing the marketplace, and progress to date. This session will also review the findings and recommendations of the Single Use Bag working group and provide direction for a best course of action.*

4. Youth Programs & Participation  
**Moderated by EnAct, UNAE & Envirolution**

*Members of the UNR EnAct program and Envirolution will discuss current activities in our region to get youth engaged in the sustainability movement. They will also discuss what new initiatives could be undertaken to get more youth involved or expand current activities to have a greater influence on policy direction.*

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