



Happy New Year and welcome to 2022! Roseville has ambitious goals this year to meet the climate crisis head on – and you can help! Join us this month for the start of **Renewable Roseville**, and help us get **30 new residents signed up for Windsource in 30 days**. Windsource is a program involving a small additional fee to source some or all of your energy usage from renewable sources, and is available to both renters and homeowners, as long as you are an Xcel customer! Visit [this link](#) on Xcel’s website to learn about Windsource and other renewable programs offered by Xcel.

The City of Roseville was accepted into Xcel’s **Partners in Energy** program in June 2020, and this year we transitioned from the planning phase to the implementation phase. We’d like you to know about some exciting events happening this month:

- We are hosting a **renewable energy webinar** on **Thursday, January 13th at 6:00pm**, co-hosted by Xcel Energy and the Center for Energy and Environment. Learn about Roseville’s energy action plan, hear testimonials from Roseville residents on their experience with renewable energy services and subscriptions, and get in-depth information from Xcel about the programs they offer for both renters and homeowners. Sign up at [this link](#).
- Along with achieving **GreenStep Level 5** in May of 2021 (the highest level of recognition for Minnesota GreenStep Cities), Roseville also received the “**Best of B3 Benchmarking**” award in April 2021 for its efforts tracking the energy usage of 12 city-owned buildings. Sustainability Intern Noelle Bakken will give a presentation on Roseville’s B3 Benchmarking efforts at the next Minnesota GreenStep Cities workshop on **Wednesday, January 19th at 9:00am**. Register to attend [here](#).
- Tune in to the next Public Works, Environment, and Transportation (PWET) Commission meeting on **Tuesday, January 25th at 6:30pm** to hear updates on our sustainability efforts and goals for this year! Meetings are [live-streamed online](#) and broadcast on Roseville Cable Channel 16.

Have you scheduled a visit from Home Energy Squad yet? As we enter the coldest months of the year, Home Energy Squad can help you identify ways to make your home or apartment more efficient and lower your energy bills. Visits are only \$50 for Roseville residents (normally \$100), and virtual visits are also available. Visit <https://cityofroseville.com/HomeEnergyAssistance> for more information!

Thank you for your continued support. Let’s make 2022 the most sustainable year yet for Roseville!