

Running Green

State Employees Make Colorado's Air Cleaner

Colorado's Department of Personnel and Administration,
in Conjunction with the Governor's Energy Office, and
State Fleet Management

Announces

The Initiative for a Clean and Green Fleet



Clean Air: Everybody's Business

- Cleaner Air is the concern of every citizen of Colorado, and of every State Employee - And it's something every employee who drives a state vehicle can do something about.



Opportunity

- As State Employees We have the unique opportunity to dramatically improve Colorado's Air:
- And we don't have to do anything dramatic to make it happen!

Little Things Mean a Lot ...

- ...Especially when it comes to our part in cleaning up Colorado's Air.
- We can:
 - Drive Fewer Miles
 - Get Better Gas mileage
 - Use Cleaner Fuels

How Can We Drive Fewer Miles?

- It may seem hard to imagine, but if every Colorado state vehicle drove just 10 miles per vehicle per week less, we could save nearly 3 million miles or:
 - 1486 pounds less Hydrocarbons
 - 237 pounds fewer Nitrogen Oxides
 - 10 TONS of Carbon Monoxide!

How Can We Drive Fewer Miles?

- Some easy ways to reduce miles driven:
 - Use Video or audio Teleconferencing instead of driving
 - Try to skip one trip a week
 - Group your trips
 - Car Pool
 - There are many more ideas on the State Fleet Website under Tips for Fewer Miles

What About Improving Miles Per Gallon? What Can I Do?

- You might be surprised to know that if we can improve our existing state fleet gas mileage by just $\frac{1}{2}$ Mile per Gallon, we avoid using 144,000 gallons of gas!



Governor's
Energy Office



And How Can I Contribute to Better MPG?

- Here are some simple ways:
 - Reduce vehicle idling
 - Keep your vehicle maintained
 - A clean air filter
 - Proper tire inflation
 - Smoother starting and stopping
 - And many more ideas you can find on our web site under Fuel Saving Tips

Why? Because It's Good for Colorado

- 33,000 Deaths Every Year Attributed to Vehicle Pollution
- Each Year, Increasing Reports of Asthma Linked to Automotive Air Pollution
- The Many Actions Are Everyday Things

And It's Good for You!

- Look for Announcements on Incentives and Recognition
- A Traveling Trophy for The Best Department Improvement
- Prizes and Awards for Individuals

