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LADWP's Commitment to the Environment

As the largest municipal utility in the United States, the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) is committed to taking a leading role in the fight against climate change. LADWP has embarked upon the most ambitious transformation of any utility in America and has launched an aggressive initiative to integrate more renewable energy into our power supply. Since 2005, the LADWP has more than quadrupled its portfolio of renewable energy. Through aggressive planning, the LADWP is on track to meet Mayor Villaraigosa's and the City of Los Angeles' goal to provide 20% of its electricity from clean, green, renewable resources by 2010, the Mayor's Climate Action plan goal of 40% by 2020, and to expand the city's long term supply of clean, sustainable energy. On the water side, LADWP is implementing the Mayor's Water Supply Action Plan – a multi-faceted approach to reduce our reliance on imported water and meet all new customer demands for water through a combination of water conservation and water recycling. Through these and other efforts, LADWP is fulfilling its pledge to the environment to reduce our carbon footprint, protect our water supply and create a cleaner, greener Los Angeles for future generations.

