Carbon Footprint

Includes emissions from:



ENERGY (fuel use, electricity, street lighting)

carbon



TRAVEL (fleet, service and business travel)



WASTE (Council and municipal)



WATER (supply and treatment)



Carbon Footprint = 33,574 tCO₂e

Running a 42 inch LCD TV for 250 days continuously



The energy use of an average house for 28 days

carbon emissions come from heating, lighting and powering our buildings



46% from electricity use



54% from gas

Our Performance



decrease in carbon footprint in 2018/19



Declared Climate Emergency in June 2019 with city-wide commitment to achieve net-zero emissions by 2045 or sooner



reduction achieved in energy 7% reduction achieves consumption from buildings in



partnership actions across themes of Energy, Transport, Waste and Resilience within the Dundee Climate Action Plan



>355 tCO₂e saved from energy efficiency measures in non-domestic properties including Central Library, Dundee Ice Arena and Olympia



reduction in emissions from streetlighting as £4.8m being invested to install LED lighting



New electric vehicle charging hubs being created at Greenmarket, Olympia and Bell Street to follow those established at Lochee, Princes Street and Queen Street



schools supported to achieve Eco-School attainment through Learning for Sustainability



domestic Council properties have had External Wall Insulation installed, reducing carbon emissions & fuel bills



Internal Waste Education programme delivered to staff



