

Energy and Climate Advice

The City of Gothenburg offers advice on energy and climate issues free of charge to the public, associations, business and organizations. The aim with the advice service is to provide people with information that empower them to make choices that reduce their energy consumption and hence the impact on the climate and environment.

The city's energy advisors are as well holding a variety of lectures about energy and climate issues to companies, organizations, tenant owners and school pupils every year. The lectures are tailored to the specific target group and have an easy set up. The lectures aim to provide knowledge that can be used both in the association and in the own housing.

In total, individual energy and climate advice was given to 921 people in 2014, of which 451 were women and 470 men. In 2014, the advisors had contact with over 12 000 people on various exhibitions or other activities.

2014 the energy advisors started to actively offer companies and organizations advice on site. The result of this was 22 advisory visits. The Swedish Energy Agency says that these kind of advisory can reduce the energy usage in the company by 10-15 percent. By increase the advisory to companies and organizations the energy advisors helps reducing far more energy, kWh, than they could if they just gave individual advice.

Energy and climate advice to the public

The City of Gothenburg offers advice on energy and climate issues to all its citizens. As a citizen you can get advice about electricity contracts, heating, energy saving, grants and more. To reduce energy consumption is very important for both the environment and your own finances. Our choices and circumstances are different, but almost everyone can do something. Your energy consumption varies depending on how you live and what habits you have.

Energy and climate advice to associations

Non profitable associations can get energy and climate advice from a visit free of charge. The aim is to reduce their energy consumption as well as their climate impact. The energy advisors offer them a visit in order to go through their possibilities to save energy. The advice varies from smaller things that doesn't cost, to bigger investments with larger impacts. All this leads to energy cost reduction which in the end results in a better economy for the association so they can spend more on their activities.

Energy and climate advice to businesses and organizations

Small and medium size enterprises in Gothenburg can get energy and climate advice free of charge, once they decide to reduce their environmental impact and energy costs. The advice varies from which key figures are of interest to the specific company to more general questions - anything that has to do with energy. The energy and climate advisory service offers visits, lectures and information on workplace meetings or advice over the phone. They offer education related to environmental certification, or just to increase energy awareness among the staff. The aim is to provide knowledge that can be used both at work and at home.

More Information

Energy and Climate Advice (translation by Google possible):

<http://goteborg.se/wps/portal/invanare/bygga-o-bo/energi/energi-och-klimatradgivning/>