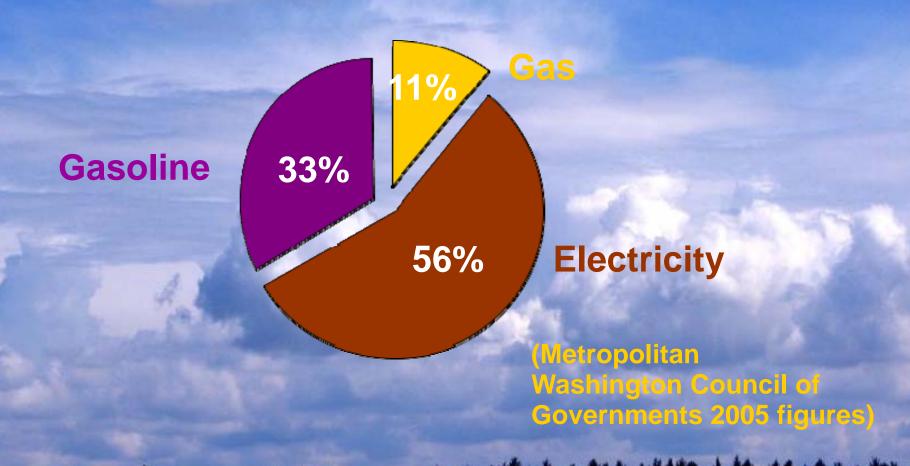
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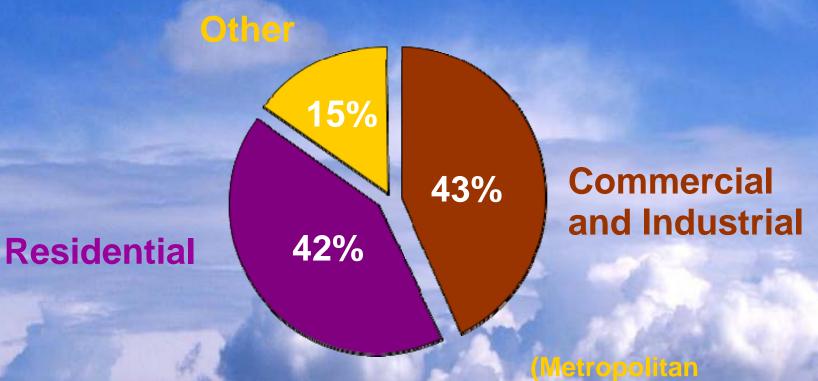
A Voluntary Citizens
Program to Address
Climate Change

### **County Carbon Emissions**

Most carbon emissions in Virginia come from coal burned to generate electricity



### Fairfax County Emissions by Source



(Metropolitan
Washington Council of
Governments 2005 figures)

## Introducing Cool Neighborhoods

Leadership Liaisons Households

# Homeowners Together Pledge 2% Annual Cut in Emissions

- Inventory annual emissions
- Select and implement actions
- Monitor progress annually
- Submit records
- Become a Cool Neighborhood















#### **Other Benefits**

- Lower utility bills
- Community spirit
- Better property values
- Teaching your kids through actions
- Serve as model for other neighborhoods



www.virginia.sierraclub.org/greatfalls/Cool-Neighborhoods.html