



DOT Walks the Talk

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WHY?

Our Operations

Net Operating Expenses

DOT

\$77 Billion

FY2013 Net Cost of Operations

Private Sector



Buildings

DOT



10,000
Buildings

Federal Govt.



500,000
Buildings

Vehicles

DOT



6,000
Vehicles

Federal Govt.



600,000
Vehicles

Employees

DOT



57,000
Employees

Federal Govt.



1.8 Million
Employees

Goods and Services Purchased



\$6.3 Billion by DOT

\$500 Billion by Federal Government

Our Environmental Footprint

Annual
Electricity



100,000 Homes

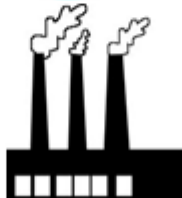
Annual
Water



1 Day of Use in National
Capital Region



Annual
Greenhouse
Gases



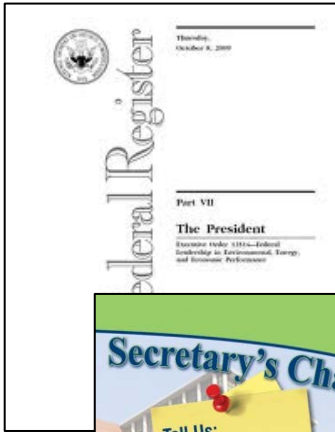
Sequestration by
500,000 Acres of Forest

Sustainability Drivers

Fiscal Responsibility



Federal Mandates



21st Century Government

- Efficiency
- Effectiveness
- Economic Growth



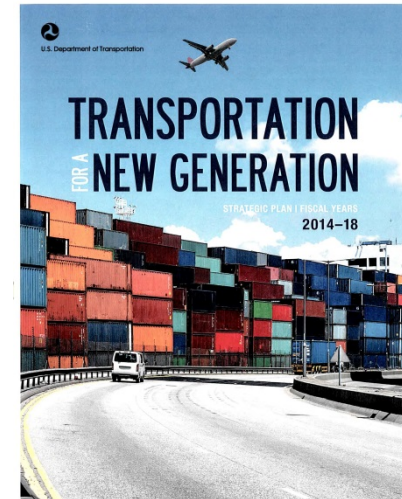
DOT Policy Orders



STRATEGIC SUSTAINABILITY
PERFORMANCE PLAN
JUNE 2014

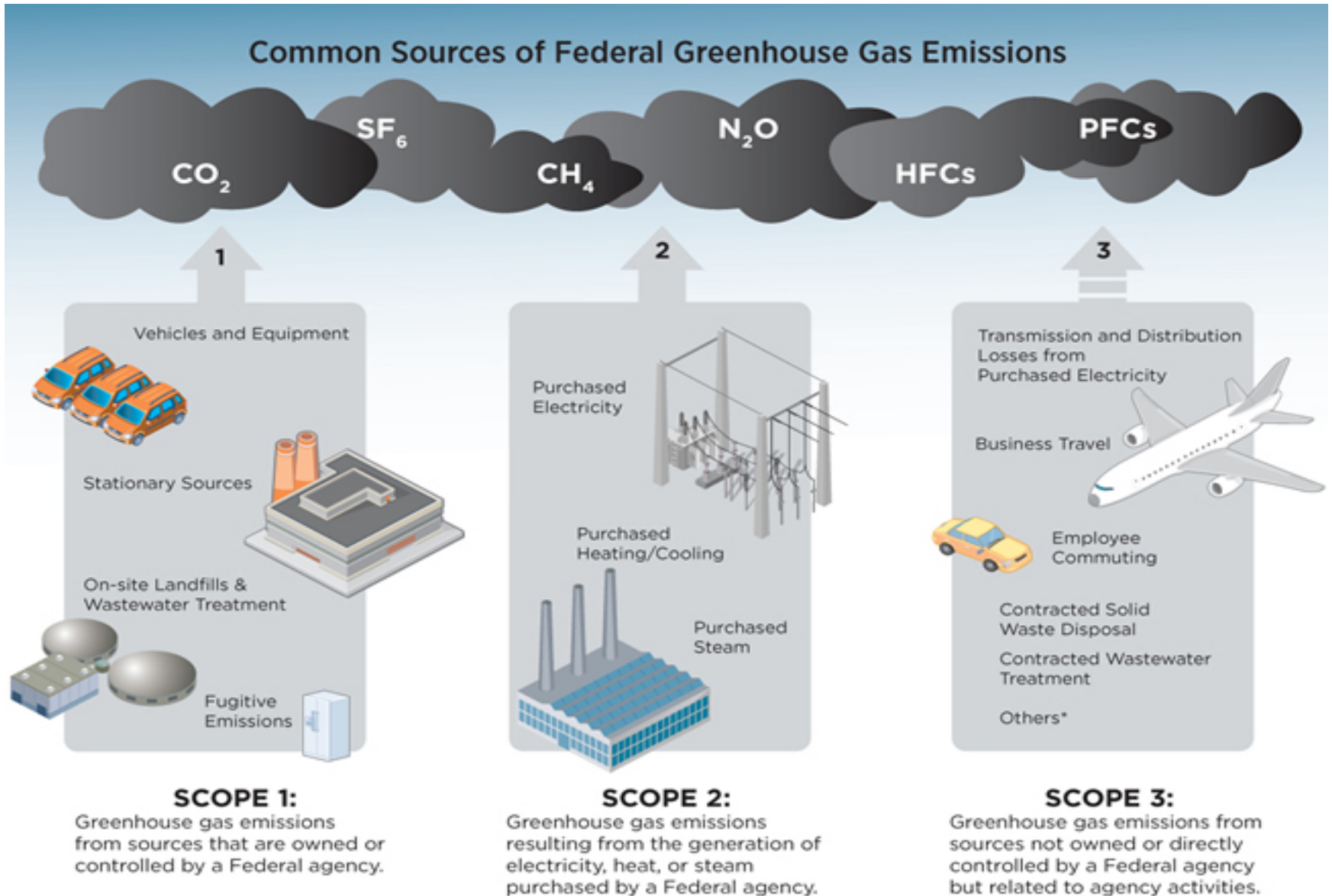


DOT Strategic Priorities



DOT Sustainability Plan

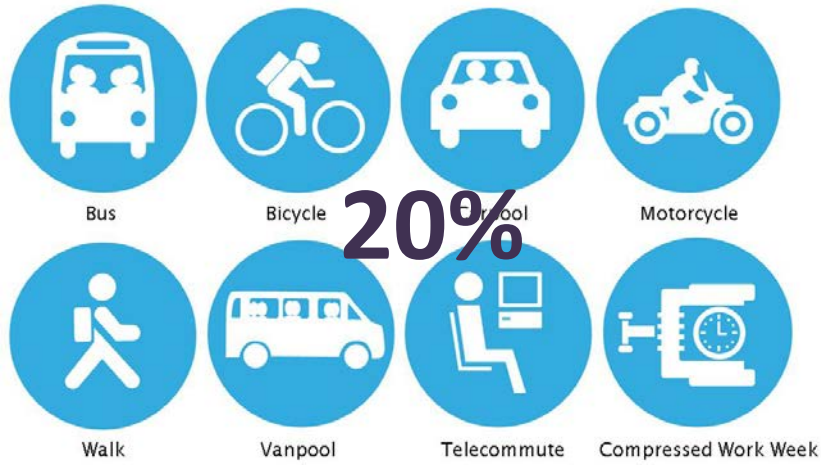
Types of GHG Emissions



*Additional, significant Scope 3 emission sources exist beyond the examples provided.

Source: DOE

Top 3 Sources of DOT Emissions



Source: RTCSNV

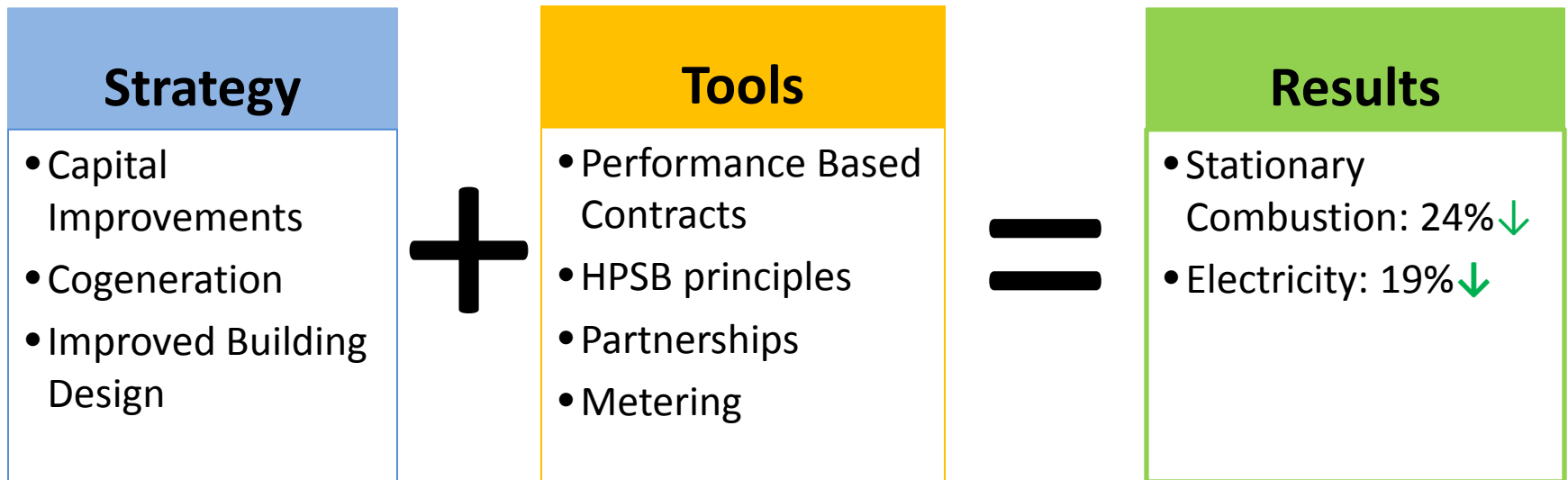


WHAT?



Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Stationary Combustion in DOT Buildings





Success Story: MARAD

Innovative Rebuild

After destruction from Hurricane IKE tidal surge, rebuilt as a LEED certified building featuring:

- LED lighting
- High efficiency windows and robust insulation
- Tankless water heater
- Advanced metering

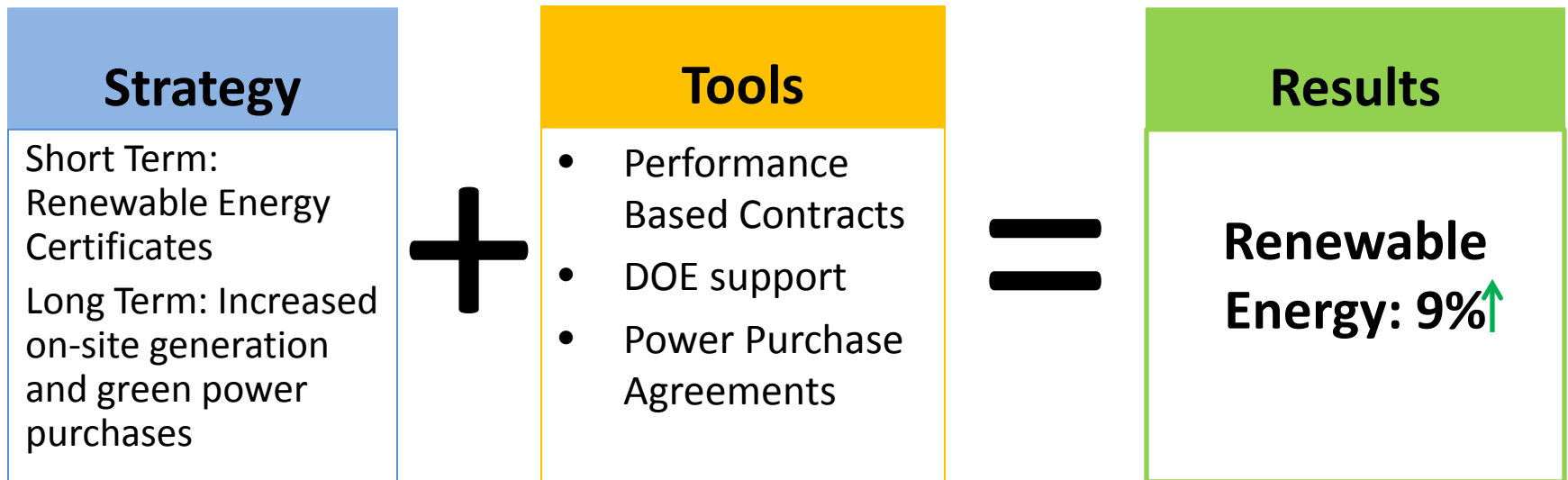


Troy Dent Fleet Operations Building
Beaumont, Texas



Renewable Energy

Goal: 20% energy from renewable sources by 2020





Success Story: FAA

FAA Northern California Tracon



PV Panels

Xeriscaping

Performance Contract

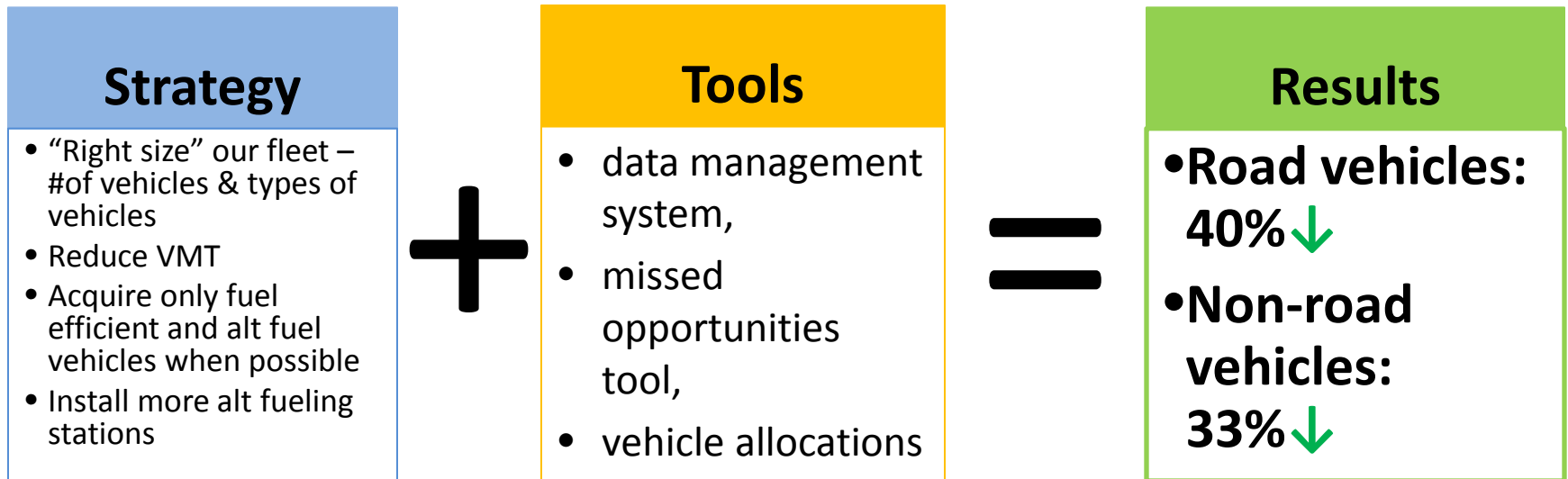
DOT's largest ESPC to date allowed for \$8M in infrastructure improvements including:

- 31% reduction in natural gas
- 1 MW PV system provides 63% of site energy
- 4 acres of xeriscaping → 33% less water use
- Sitewide energy efficiency improvements



Vehicles

Petroleum-based fuels in owned & leased vehicles*



*includes both road and non-road vehicles



Success Story: FHWA

Awareness Campaign

- FHWA's Alternative Fuel Awareness Campaign
- Targeted 60 field offices by identifying alt fueling stations, distributing educational materials and tracking progress

Results:

- 13.5% reduction in petroleum use
- 70% increase in alt fuel use
- 76% of the fleet (65 vehicles) were replaced with alt fuel vehicles



**This vehicle
accepts E-85.**

E-85 is an alternative fuel source containing ethanol. DOT policy requires that vehicles within 5 miles of an E-85 fuel source use E-85. Your location has been identified as being within 5 miles of an E-85 fuel source.

To find the fuel source nearest your location, please visit
www.afdc.energy.gov/locator/stations

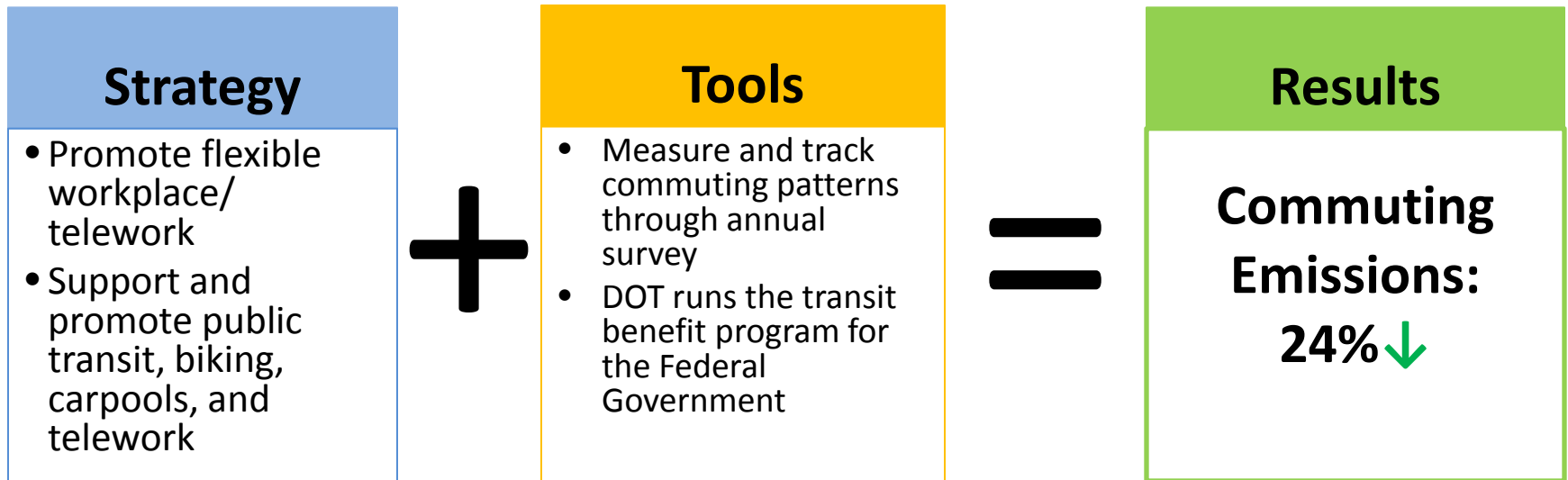


U.S. Department of Transportation
Federal Highway Administration



Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Employee Commuting



Success Stories



GreenGov Spotlight Award

NHTSA and FHWA employees key organizers of the Federal Bike to Work Challenge.

As a result of their efforts, the first challenge involved 522 riders from 20 agencies. A year later it grew to 2100 riders nationwide and keeps growing.

Walk/Ride Day Winner

Volpe Center partnered with non-profit, Green Streets Initiative

- 7.2% participation
- 20% switch rate from cars to greener commutes was 3rd highest in Boston area



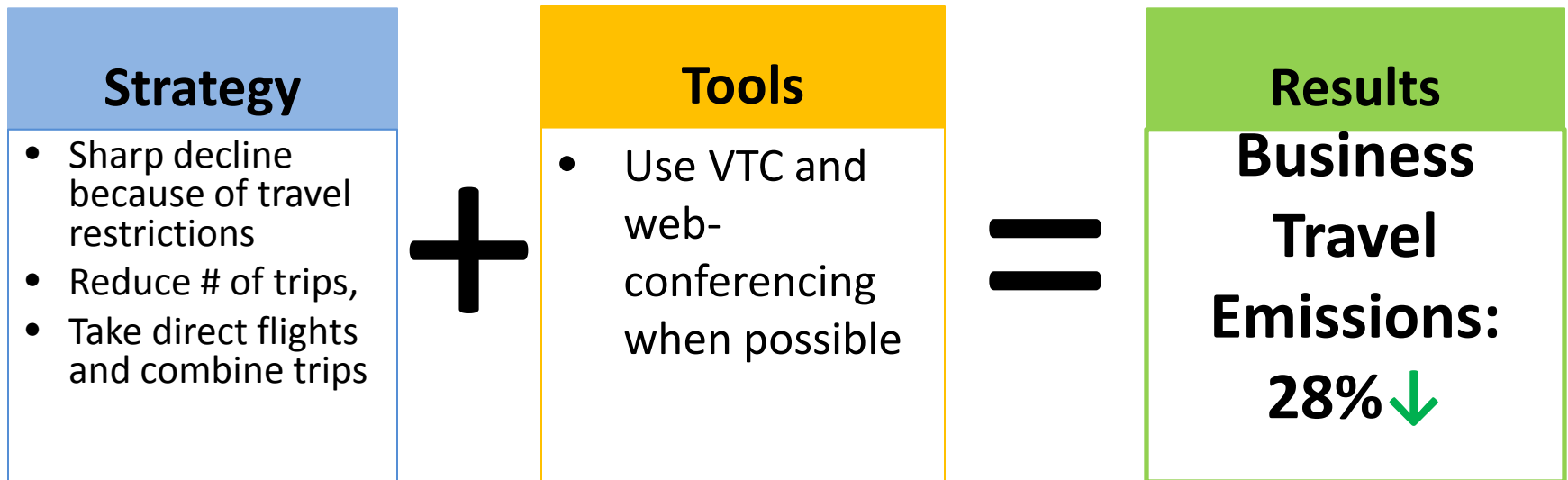
Green Streets Initiative

WALK/RIDE DAY: GO CAR-FREE THE LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH



Business Travel

Business flights & ground transportation





Success Story: FRA

Virtual Collaboration

Restructured annual settlement claims conference by hosting a virtual meeting using SharePoint and VTC

Saved on travel emissions and \$300,000 cost



Plan to replicate this for all Class 1 Railroad Conferences



HOW?



Win-Win Solutions

Sustainability = mitigation + adaptation



- Onsite renewables reduce emissions and vulnerability to extreme climates

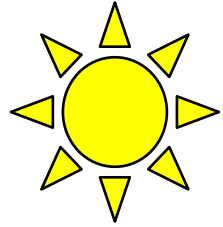


- Locating new buildings in walkable communities reduces commuting emissions and improves operational resiliency

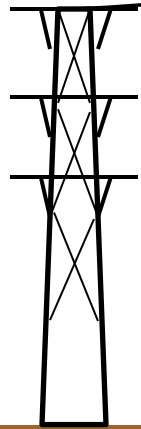


- Water efficient practices require less energy and support drought-prone areas

Sustainability Policies: A Foundation

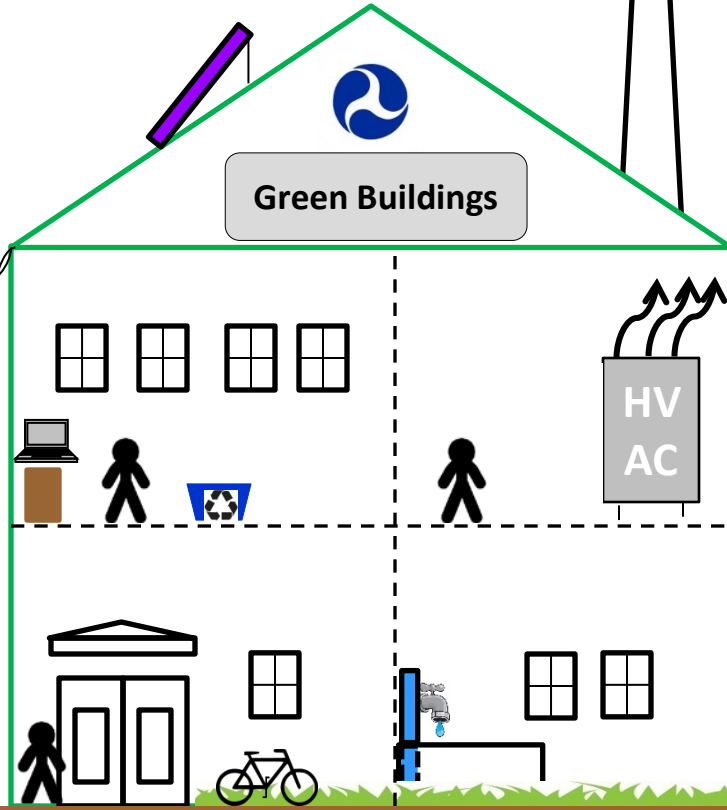


Energy Management



Electronic Stewardship

Sustainable Fleet



Green Buildings

HV AC

Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Overarching Sustainability

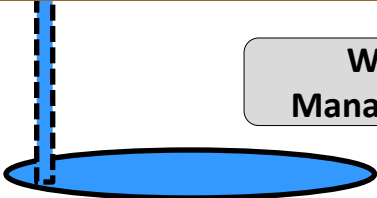
Waste Management

Sustainable Acquisition



Supplies

Water Management



Every Employee Counts!

Buy Green



Purchase environmentally preferred and biobased products and services!



Purchase energy and water efficient products and services!



Information technology



Efficiently use and manage electronic devices



Reduce energy intensity by managing servers and federal data centers!

RESULTS

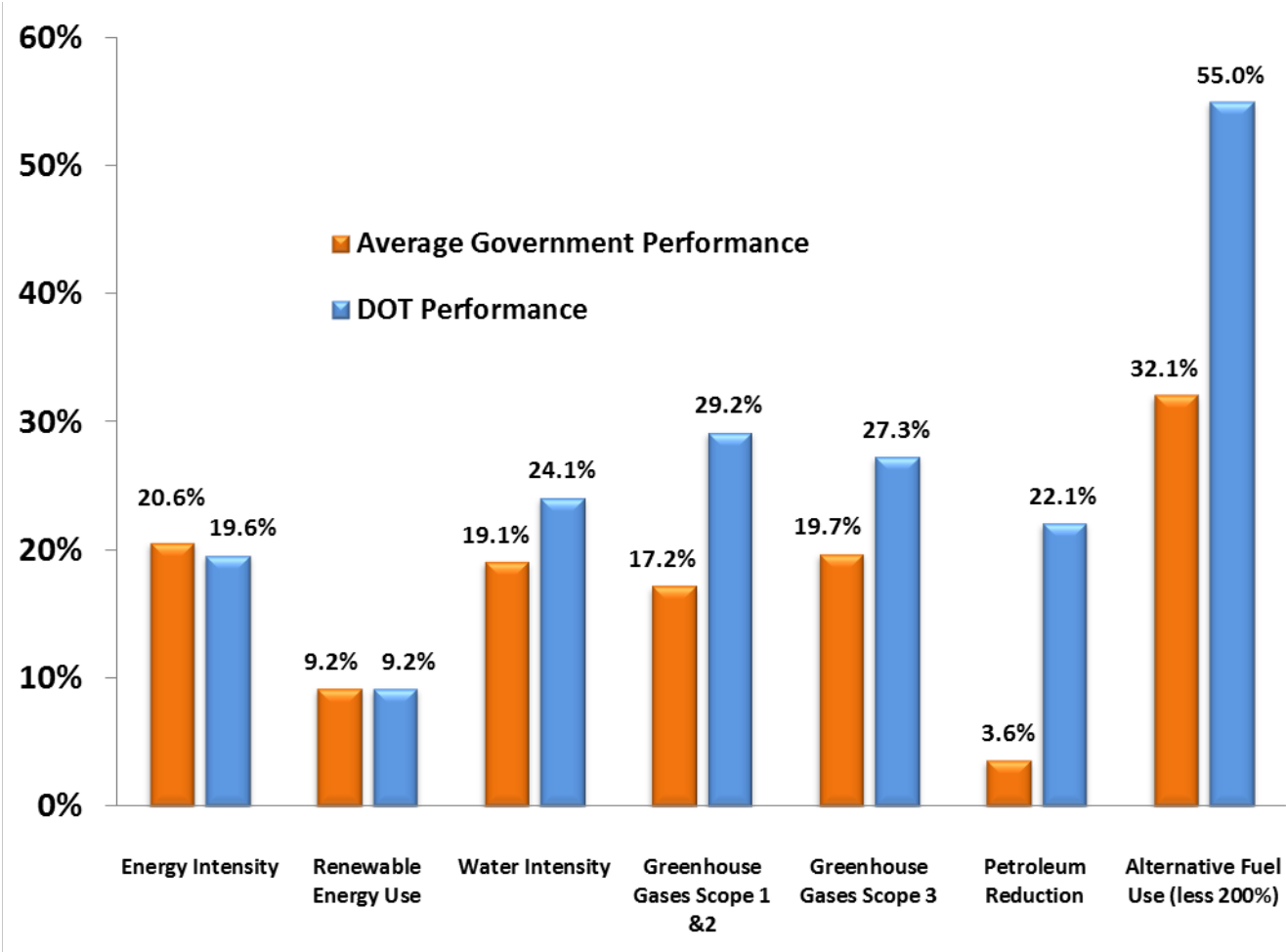
Reducing Our Footprint

The Department has eliminated more than 345,000 MT CO₂e compared to 2008 or the equivalent of removing 72,000 passenger vehicles from the road in FY13

| GHGs | Percent Reduction |
|---------------|-------------------|
| Scope 1 and 2 | 27.1% |
| Scope 3 | 26.9% |
| Total | 27% |



Better Than Most



DOT's performance has consistently ranked in the top half of Federal Agencies in the last three years.

Questions?

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