

# Bensenville

## 2019 municipal emissions summary

This local emissions summary was developed as part of the 2019 greenhouse gas emissions inventory for northeastern Illinois. The summary is not an exhaustive inventory but captures greenhouse gas emissions from most major sources. It is intended to help decision makers understand key emissions sources and provide communities with the information needed to begin developing emissions reduction plans. For more details on the methods and data sources used to prepare the summary, please refer to the [local emissions summaries methodology](#).

## Community characteristics

Population	<b>18,813</b>
Jobs (full- and part-time)	<b>19,138</b>
Median household income	<b>\$62,756</b>
Share of owner-occupied housing units	<b>50%</b>
Land area (acres)	<b>3,551</b>
Tree coverage*	<b>17%</b>
Impervious surfaces*	<b>61%</b>
Greenest region compact member	<b>Yes</b>

\*percent of land area

## Emissions summary

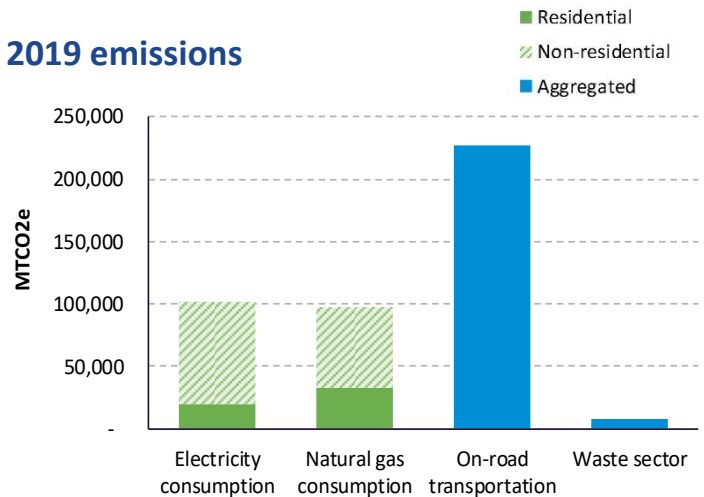


### 2019 emissions summary (MTCO<sub>2</sub>e)

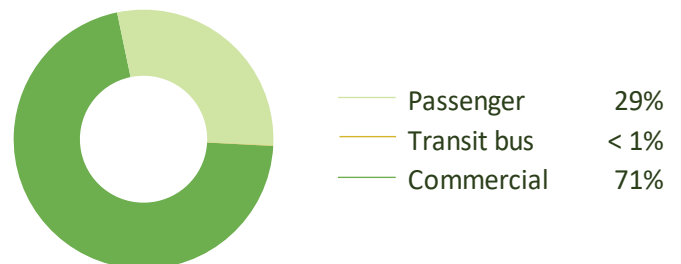
Residential electricity	<b>19,545</b>
Non-residential electricity	<b>81,905</b>
Residential natural gas	<b>32,541</b>
Non-residential natural gas	<b>65,040</b>
On-road transportation	<b>227,064</b>
Waste sector	<b>8,166</b>

MTCO<sub>2</sub>e = metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent

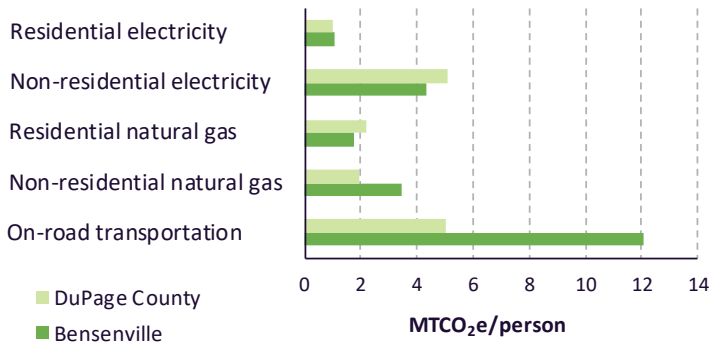
### 2019 emissions



### On-road transportation emissions breakout



### 2019 per capita emissions



## Energy characteristics



### 2019 energy consumption

Residential electricity (kWh)	50,239,177
Non-residential electricity (kWh)	210,534,273
Residential natural gas (MMBtu)	612,666
Non-residential natural gas (MMBtu)	1,224,525

kWh = kilowatt hours; MMBtu = million British thermal unit

### Renewable energy information

Solar potential (megawatts)	242
SolSmart designation	NA

Data not available for all municipalities

### 2019 per capita energy consumption

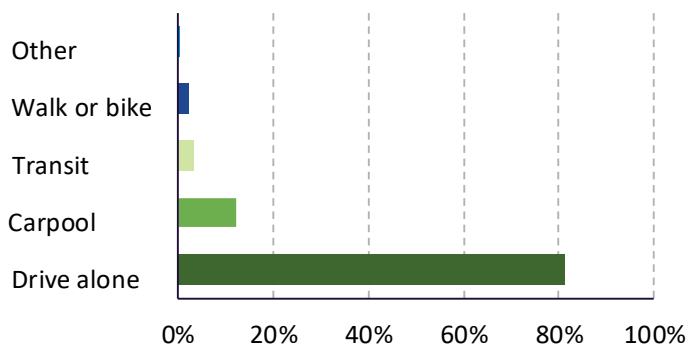
	Bensenville	DuPage County	CMAP Region
Residential electricity (kWh/person)	2,670	2,609	2,844
Non-residential electricity (kWh/person)	11,191	13,091	7,279
Residential natural gas (MMBtu/person)	33	42	38
Non-residential natural gas (MMBtu/person)	65	36	38

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## Transportation characteristics



### Mode of travel to work



### Electric vehicle information

Electric vehicles	10
Public charging stations: level 2	2
Public charging stations: DC fast	0
Public charging stations: total	2

### Transportation details

	Bensenville	DuPage County	CMAP Region
Vehicles per household	2.3	2.7	2.0
Electric vehicles (% of passenger vehicles)	0.0%	0.4%	0.2%
Share of residents with at least moderate walkability	28%	40%	64%
Share of residents with at least moderate transit access	82%	66%	74%
Residential vehicle miles traveled (per household)	21,167	20,878	17,165

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