

Carol Stream

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	39,854
Jobs (full- and part-time)	20,741
Median household income	\$82,062
Share of owner-occupied housing units	68%
Land area (acres)	6,050
Tree coverage*	18%
Impervious surfaces*	54%
Greenest region compact member	Yes

*percent of land area

Emissions summary

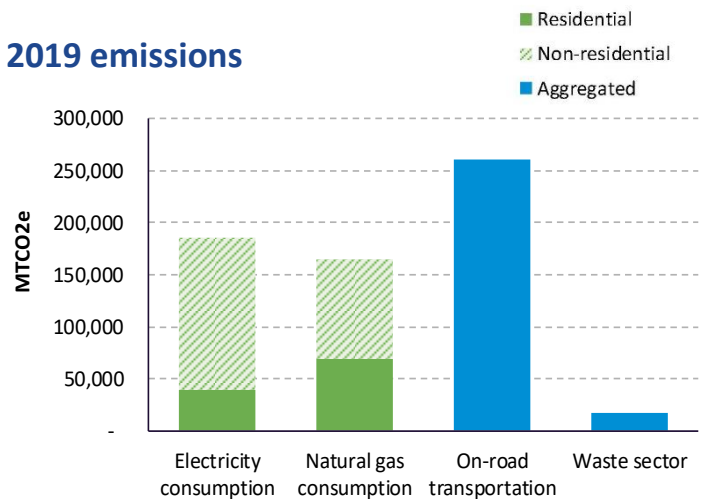


2019 emissions summary (MTCO₂e)

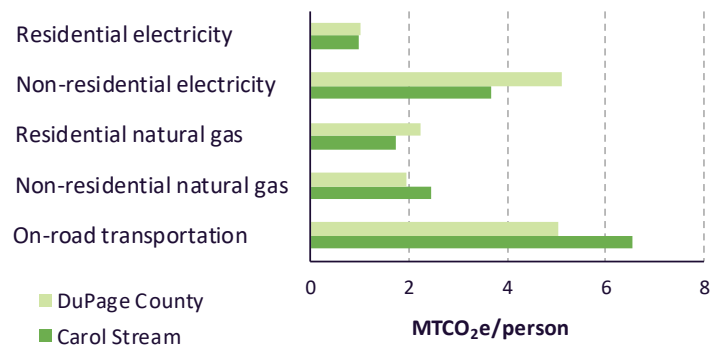
Residential electricity	39,584
Non-residential electricity	145,936
Residential natural gas	68,351
Non-residential natural gas	97,053
On-road transportation	261,135
Waste sector	17,299

MTCO₂e = metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent

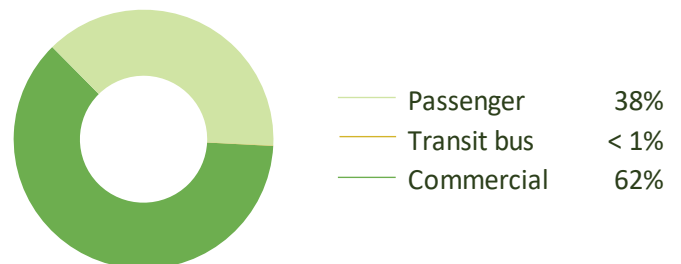
2019 emissions



2019 per capita emissions



On-road transportation emissions breakout



Energy characteristics



2019 energy consumption

Residential electricity (kWh)	101,750,405
Non-residential electricity (kWh)	375,125,516
Residential natural gas (MMBtu)	1,286,859
Non-residential natural gas (MMBtu)	1,827,249

kWh = kilowatt hours; MMBtu = million British thermal unit

Renewable energy information

Solar potential (megawatts)	353
SolSmart designation	NA

Data not available for all municipalities

2019 per capita energy consumption

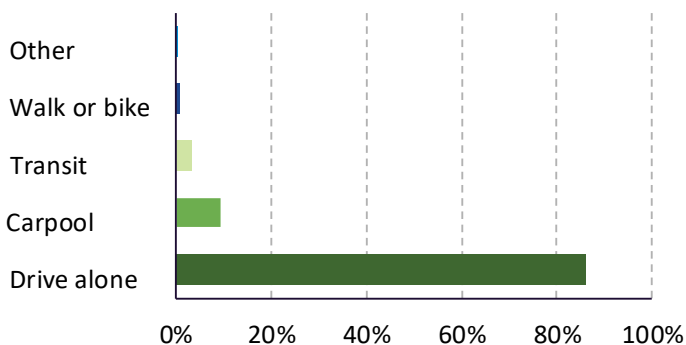
	Carol Stream	DuPage County	CMAP Region
Residential electricity (kWh/person)	2,553	2,609	2,844
Non-residential electricity (kWh/person)	9,412	13,091	7,279
Residential natural gas (MMBtu/person)	32	42	38
Non-residential natural gas (MMBtu/person)	46	36	38

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Transportation characteristics



Mode of travel to work



Electric vehicle information

Electric vehicles	52
Public charging stations: level 2	4
Public charging stations: DC fast	0
Public charging stations: total	4

Transportation details

	Carol Stream	DuPage County	CMAP Region
Vehicles per household	2.1	2.7	2.0
Electric vehicles (% of passenger vehicles)	0.1%	0.4%	0.2%
Share of residents with at least moderate walkability	27%	40%	64%
Share of residents with at least moderate transit access	56%	66%	74%
Residential vehicle miles traveled (per household)	21,513	20,878	17,165

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