

SUSTAINABLE HOUSING ASKS

1. Prioritize enhancing already built areas with local services including public transport and safe biking and pedestrian access
2. Think of how much (heated and cooled) space you really need
3. Consider sharing spaces (e.g. for work) when relevant
4. Go for renewable energy contracts and solutions when possible
5. Shift towards energy and water efficient systems
6. Measure your consumption with an aim to be more efficient over time
7. Separate waste, compost and reduce plastic use
8. Make an effort to support neighborhood initiatives like recycling, sharing economy and other environmental or social improvement schemes
9. Do not buy unnecessary goods that clutter your house and will ultimately be disposed of
10. When considering renovation, new construction, or any of the actions above, consider reaching out to an expert for more insights.