

GETTING STARTED ON YOUR GAS-FREE GARDEN EVOLUTION

STEP 1. Before taking any action, familiarize yourself with the health and environmental impacts surrounding gas-powered equipment by reviewing the Green Gardens webpage. There are myriad reasons why everyone should ditch the gas. But you will most likely find some reasons to be personally more compelling than others – creating a sense of ownership over the issue rather than an impersonal mission.

STEP 2. When you're ready to speak with your gardener, print out the "Handout for [your] Gardener" to help familiarize them with worker-impacts of gas-powered gardening equipment, including nerve damage and higher operational costs. The handout also helps familiarize them with in-store discounts of 75% at authorized SoCal dealers (while SCAQMD funding lasts. If funding has expired, it will be renewed next quarter).

<https://resilientpalisades.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/BiLingual-Flyer-to-GardenersREV1.3.pdf>

STEP 3. Visit your Kick Gas Toolkit: Pick to decide which gas-free option(s) best suit your and your gardener's needs.

<https://resilientpalisades.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/Toolkit-Five-Suggested-Options-Rev-10.9.21.pdf>

NEXT STEPS. Download or email the Fact Sheet and Rethinking Your Blower to share this info with your neighbors, either directly or anonymously. To go further, crown yourself a "block ambassador" and work alone or with other neighbors to turn your block gas-free.

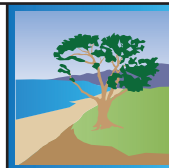
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