City of Lakewood SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS



2010 COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY AWARD Sixth Avenue Sound Wall Project





The Sixth Avenue Sound Wall Project is a joint research project led by Lakewood resident Sue McMahon that turned 4,048 recycled tires into three new types of sound walls along the north side of West Sixth Avenue between Alkire Street and Coors Street. Funding for the project came from the Waste Tire Fund, created by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (from fees collected for disposal of waste tires). Senior Design Project participants from the Colorado School of Mines helped design the sustainable sound walls.

Contributing Partners:

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Colorado Department of Public Health
& Environment
Colorado School of Mines
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State Rep. Gwen Green (former)
State Rep. Ramey Johnson (former)
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State Sen. Moe Keller



Project Achievement Area

- ☑ Climate Change
- ☑ Preservation of Ecology & Biodiversity
- ☑ Green Design
- ☑ Waste Reduction & Recycling
- ☑ Community Engagement
- ☑ Economic Sustainability