

# City of Lakewood

# SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

2019

DEFENDER OF THE PLANET

YOUTH AWARD



## Reducing LHS Environmental Footprint Lakewood High School Environmental Club



The Lakewood High School Environmental Club has a mission to improve its school's environmental impact by reducing waste and giving back to the community, and in 2018 the club took its mission seriously. The students initiated multiple projects that had an immediate impact on our environment, including picking up trash at Main Reservoir and initiating an effort to work with the school's custodial team to set up recycling bins in the school atriums.

The club also took on educational projects including a Trick-or-Treat event designed to inspire an even younger generation to recycle more.

To educate their peers, the students worked with other high school clubs to set up informational tables at their schools for Earth Day. These students remind us how important it is to work together and dedicate time to make our world a better place for the students of today and tomorrow.

### Achievement Areas

- Resilient Economy
- Zero Waste



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