



## Victoria Recognized as a Global Sustainability Leader

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VICTORIA, BC —Victoria has been recognized as a 2020 Global Sustainability Center by the Ethisphere Institute. The Ethisphere Institute recognizes cities that plan for the sustainable growth of their population and economy, while considering the environment and future generations. Victoria is listed in a list of 10 cities internationally with populations under 600,000 that are leading the way in sustainability.

“Victoria is quickly becoming recognized as a leader for its commitment to sustainable development,” said Mayor Alan Lowe. “People from all over the world are looking to Victoria’s innovative Docksider project, the City’s commitment to build green when constructing new civic facilities as well as the community’s on-going efforts to identify new and better ways to sustain our resources for future generations.”

Added Lowe, “It is gratifying that Victoria’s accomplishments and the City’s commitments to sustainability are being recognized even though our work is still ramping up. As resources become depleted and their value increases, organizations and entire communities will need to become even more strategic about how we manage our resources as we plan for the future.”

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