

## **Sustainable Mill Valley Looking for Sustainability Leaders!**

Are you looking for a way to give back to your community? Are you interested in making Mill Valley environmentally and socially a great place to live not only now but also far into the future? We are looking for a few energetic people to help us on specific ongoing projects, or to start new projects.

Some of the projects that we are working on include having Mill Valley adopt the *Cities for Climate Protection* resolution which, among other objectives, would help city services figure out ways to use less fossil fuel and more renewable energy sources; we could use some help on this. Other ideas we have are:

- Actively supporting water conservation in order to avoid building a desalination plant in the county.
- Hosting Green Building seminars to help developers and homeowners incorporate green building techniques into their projects.
- Conducting other sustainability related educational programs for the schools, or other audiences, or
- Tracking development projects and offering testimony to the Mill Valley Planning Commission and City Council.

Alternatively, we would be delighted to support you in launching a sustainability-related project that you would like to lead. We're open to your ideas and your enthusiasm! We want your help! To see a list of SMV past projects, go to <http://www.sustainablemillvalley.org/projects.html>

And if you'd prefer to help us in an operational capacity only, such as assisting in updating the website or fundraising, we could use that help too.

Serving on SMV's Steering Committee is easy and fun. We meet monthly in Mill Valley, at the home of a Steering Committee member. We ask that steering committee members commit to attending at least two out of three quarterly meetings, and that each steering committee member offer an update on activities that have occurred within the month on the project(s) they're working on.

Current steering committee members include: Terese Driscoll, Beverly Mayeri, Charles McGlashan, Carol Misseldine (co-chair), Tim Rosenfeld, and Cheryl Ross (co-chair). We're a fun group of people, and dedicated to moving Mill Valley in the direction of sustainability. Join us! Let us know you're interested by contacting Cheryl Ross at 415/389-9133, [cross224@pacbell.net](mailto:cross224@pacbell.net) or Carol Misseldine at 415/388-5273, [cmisseldine@mindspring.com](mailto:cmisseldine@mindspring.com).