

Asker municipality





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Asker municipality's vision

Asker will together create a closer, more active and sustainable community, with respect, generosity and genuine interest



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Our values

Close – innovative – generous – bold



Key figures



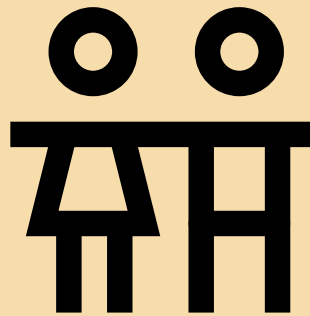
- 8th largest municipality in Norway
- 376 km²
- 170,7 km coastline



- 4000 recreational cabins
- 39 960 homes



Key figures



- 96 500 citizens
- 31 primary schools
- 17 secondary schools



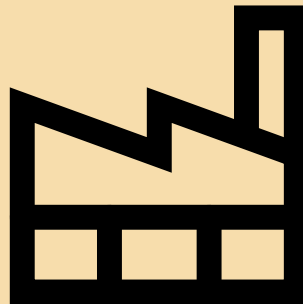
- 49 000 employees
- 6500 employed in municipality
- 55 municipal council representatives



Key figures



- 600 voluntary organisations
incl. 96 sports associations



- 37 700 workplaces
- 11 002 companies at the beginning of 2022

- Centrally located between Oslo and Drammen
- 170,7 km coastline
- Multi - centre municipality with a defined center structure



UN's sustainability goals – six prioritised goals in Asker





The goal is to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 67 percent from 2009 to 2030.

The climate budget shows that the direct greenhouse gas emissions in Asker fell by 3 percent from 2019 - 2020. Compared to 2009, emissions have been reduced by 42 percent.



Area: Community development

- Overarching responsibility for sustainable community, area and transport development
- Implementation of sustainability goals in community planning
- Service area includes preparedness, business development and community health, including Chief Municipal Medical Officer function
- Provides mapping services and geographical analyses for whole municipality
- Approx. 115 man-years across three enterprises





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Recycling centre/Ombrukssenteret

- Omigjen – a new modern recycling centre designed to bring shops, repair services and experiences under the same roof
 - Slemmestad commerce centre
- Aimed at families with children
- Promotes circular business models
 - Less waste, more re-use
- Yggeset and Follestad recycling centres





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FutureBuilt

- Learning arena for many, including municipalities
- Aims to reduce emissions from transport, energy consumption and use of materials by 50 percent
- Achieve superior architectural quality and contribute to a sound urban environment





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