## Rice Creek Commons Energy Vision

Rice Creek Commons will be a **vibrant and unique, climate-forward** development that aligns with the goals outlined in the State of Minnesota's Climate Action Framework: carbon neutrality, clean energy, climate resiliency, equity and innovation. Rice Creek Commons will attract investment and partnership that will create sustainable benefits for the community.

## **Guiding Principles**

- Develop a resilient community for energy and other utilities using clean energy technologies, reducing consumption, and reusing local resources onsite.
- Implement infrastructure solutions that are flexible and scalable over 50 years, including developing the site to be adaptable to future technological needs.
- Deliver a model of efficient energy and water usage that minimizes Rice Creek Commons' impact on the environment.
- Create an economically competitive and attractive environment for developers and businesses to create a vibrant community with multi-modal transportation options.



