

CLIMATE ACTION

Kirkland Signature Gasoline Costco Gas Stations offer high-quality fuel at a true value for our members. Kirkland Signature[™] gasoline has been certified to meet the TOP TIER[™] performance standards (find out more at <u>www.toptiergas.com</u>).

Our Kirkland Signature gasoline is formulated to clean your engine, helping deliver optimal engine performance and efficiency. Our fuel, tested to ensure quality and guarantee performance, is formulated with powerful deposit-control additives that deep-clean your engine, restore fuel economy and reduce emissions by helping to lower tailpipe pollution caused by intake valve deposits and plugged fuel injectors. More information can be found on the <u>Kirkland Signature</u> <u>Gasoline</u> page.

With many of our warehouses offering gas stations, members are able to get gas and shop in one trip, thus reducing their mileage and fuel consumption.

Our Gas Station equipment is designed to limit emissions arising from station operations and to contain gasoline vapor during bulk deliveries and the refueling process. Examples include:

- The nozzles have been upgraded to create fewer spills and drips, resulting in less evaporation to air pollution, and a cleaner gas purchase.
- Costco is the first retailer to place tank pressure management systems in California to greatly reduce the emissions generated from the storage tanks during routine business. Similar systems are installed at other Costco stations all around the country.



In addition, our stations have corrosion-proof, double-wall underground storage tanks, piping and containment sumps that are continuously monitored for leaks. Finally, our station attendants and management staff are trained and certified on safety and environmental issues.



Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Several Costco locations have charging stations installed. We will continue to evaluate the need for additional charging stations at each of our locations, and will install additional chargers as the population of electric vehicles increases.

