

WE ARE DEDICATED TO ENVIRONMENTALLY CONSCIOUS HOSPITALITY OPERATIONS

“ *We aspire to be the global leader that demonstrates how responsible hospitality management can be a positive force for the environment while creating economic opportunities around the world.* ”

On this planet, we're all visitors, or guests. I prefer guests because that's what the people who visit our hotels are. ”

-J.W. Marriott, Jr., Chairman and CEO, Marriott International, Inc.

Green Conferences:

- Water stations used in all meeting space to reduce waste
- Biodegradable cups made of corn
- Water bottle refill station on ballroom level
- Condiments served in bulk
- Composting of all food waste
- Recycling receptacles on every floor, in the back of the house, and public spaces
- Energy reclamation to recycle cold or hot air in ballroom to conserve energy
- Automated HVAC efficiency system conserves energy when meeting rooms are unoccupied
- Individual temperature control in all meeting rooms

Hotel-Wide:

- Energy-efficient LED lighting
- Recycled paper used throughout hotel
- Purchasing preference given to local and sustainable product suppliers in order to lower carbon footprint
- Motion censored lighting throughout hotel to conserve energy

Culinary:

- Food waste prevention that enables our kitchen to dramatically reduce food waste and operate more sustainable facility
- Weighing food waste to empower smart decisions on purchasing, production, and portioning
- Culinary team sources sustainable, local, and regional products
- Bulk food oil filtration operating system that allows us to reduce cardboard and plastic jug usage and reduces the amount of oil used



Guest Rooms:

- Towel re-use program - guests can hang towels up in the bathroom they want to re-use
- Linen re-use "Green Choice" program - guests can opt out of housekeeping service to receive 500 Marriott Rewards points per day - saves water, energy, and reduces detergents released to environment
- Water saving shower heads, toilets, and aerated faucets
- Recycling receptacles in every guest room
- Automated HVAC thermostat efficiency system conserves energy when rooms are unoccupied
- Green certified cleaning products
- E-folios for client receipts to cut-down on paper usage

Transportation:

- Local bus and light rail service near hotel allows low cost and lower carbon footprint transportation options for associates and guests
- Discounted public transportation for all employees available

Recycling and Waste Diversion:

- Average of 60% diversion rate from landfill