



Thank you for your request for more information regarding Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort's Green and Sustainability policies.

Our website is www.HiltonSantaBarbaraBeachfrontResort.com

Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort is an official member of the Green Lodging Program of California.

Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort Sustainability Practices:

- Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort places an energy conservation "Green Card" in all guest rooms for the guests' choice to have linens laundered less frequently. Laundry washers utilize formulas for reclaimed water for first rinses, and final rinse water replenishes the reclaimed water supply.
- Our landscaping department uses disease resistant plantings in lieu of pesticides, and reclaimed water for irrigation needs with the exception of food serving areas. Mulching lawnmowers aid in supplemental nitrogen in lieu of fertilization, and drip irrigation is used where practical.
- Employee practices include recycling paper and vendor packaging.
- Hilton Santa Barbara is a participating member of Santa Barbara Car Free.

Santa Barbara is viewed as the birthplace of the modern environmental movement. In 1970, the city hosted one of the nation's first Earth Day celebrations. A portion of the city's hotel tax is earmarked for urban-creek restoration projects.

Within the city, the Metropolitan Transit District operates downtown and waterfront routes using a fleet of battery electric vehicles including the MTD electric shuttle. Visitors to Santa Barbara will find many alternative-fuel vehicles here, and can access car-free itineraries from Santa Barbara Carfree www.santabarbaracarfree.org,

Hilton Hotels & Resorts: Environmental Sustainability Policy

At Hilton Hotels & Resorts, we recognize our environmental responsibility and are committed to improving our performance towards a sustainable future while enhancing the guest and team member experience.

To ensure sustainable business practices in the countries in which we operate around the globe, we will:

- Embrace an environmental mission and strategy that encompasses every team member.
- Focus upon our key environmental commitments: energy efficiency, CO2 reduction, water efficiency, waste reduction, renewable energy, and sustainable buildings and operations, which includes building design & construction, hotel & corporate operations, chemical management, and purchasing.
- Engage our team members through training, tools and active involvement.
- Ensure that environmentally friendly initiatives and tactics has a positive impact on the guest experience.
- Set targets, measure benchmark and continually improve our performance.
- Share best practices and comply with relevant local, national and international legislation.
- Liaise with our suppliers and business partners to improve their environmental performance.
- Influence land use in harmony with nature and construction by promoting the use of established environmental best practices.
- Support environmental initiatives within the local community.
- Communicate our environmental achievements to our team members and guests.
- Publish our performance against our established targets.