

Here's how Omni Hotels is helping to make a difference:

Recycling

- Printing on Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certified or recycled paper whenever possible
- Being a "styrofoam-free" environment
- Providing recycling bins for daily newspapers and for other paper goods for customers
- Recycling plastic, glass and paper in all communities where recycling is readily available
- Reducing the use of plastic water bottles for meetings
- Offering leftover and excess food items to local food banks and shelters
- Reducing the use of paper within our organization

Energy

- Considering local food purveyors when feasible to reduce the carbon footprint of the culinary options we offer – a "farm to table" approach
- Exploring the use of hybrid vehicles for all new purchases
- Utilizing more energy-efficient laundry processes
- Converting to more energy-efficient lighting options in targeted ways where the guest experience will not be diminished
- Reminding associates to turn off unused lights and reduce HVAC usage
- Installing energy-efficient systems in all new buildings
- Installing energy-efficient systems in all property updates and renovations
- Encouraging staff to use mass transportation and carpooling options

Chemicals

- Utilizing more ecologically-friendly laundry processes
- Creating natural herb gardens with native plants

Air Quality

- Working with vendors and partners to reduce our carbon footprint for procurement activities
- Creating green roofs
- Planting trees for major milestones and celebrations

Water

- Utilizing more efficient laundry services
- Installing more efficient systems in all new buildings
- Considering the most efficient systems in all updates and renovations
- Offering filtered water in pitchers for meetings
- Serving water only on request in restaurants and bars

Thank you for understanding and joining with us on this important mission!

