

Inspiring the World through Green Meetings

Marriott International aspires to be the global leader that demonstrates how responsible hospitality management can be a positive force for the environment and create economic opportunities around the world, in the communities where we work and live!

Marriott Hotels and Resorts

- Replaced light bulbs with energy-efficient bulbs
- Installed low-flow showerheads and toilets
- Introduced water/energy saving linen program
- Operates the most ENERGY STAR® certified properties in the industry, as part of Marriott's portfolio of brands
- Involves its global workforce in eco-volunteerism

Meetings and Events

- 100% Recycled Note Pads
- Pens made from Recycled materials
- Eco-Friendly Water Service
- Meeting Room Recycling
- On-Line Event Menus
- Organic Flowers (upon request)
- America's Second Harvest, where available
- Recyclable Box Lunch Program
- Paperless billing

Minneapolis Marriott Southwest

- Recognized by Marriott International for being one of the top recycling Marriott hotels in 2007.
- "Green Certified" cleaning products provided by Eco Lab used throughout hotel.
- Cardboard, plastic, aluminum, glass, paper and newspaper recycling system.
- Timers placed on heat lamps in guest bathrooms to reduce consumption.
- Glassware offered in all guest rooms instead of disposable cups.
- Guest room refrigerators are on a by-request basis to eliminate use of Ammonia Coolant (a potent green house gas)
- All cooking oil waste material is being recycled.
- Hotel Marquis have been switched to energy-saving LED light fixtures.
- Heating and cooling systems turned down when banquet rooms are not in use.
- Air filters are changed quarterly to reduce energy consumption.
- Outdoor lighting is regulated by timers to reduce energy consumption.
- Outdoor water sprinklers are reduced to a minimum and are timed efficiently.
- Cleaning schedules for A/C and refrigeration units have been set up to reduce energy consumption.
- We offer sustainable food breaks and green meeting solutions upon request.

Learn about Marriott's green programs by visiting marriott.com/environment

Contact us to make your next meeting **green**.

