Sustainability

By 2025, Marriott International has a corporate goal of reducing our overall environmental footprint by 15% in water intensity, 30% in carbon intensity, 45% in waste landfill and 50% in food waste.

At The Westin Michigan Avenue Chicago, we embrace our responsibility for environmental stewardship and are committed to integrating leading environmental practices and sustainability principles into our core business strategy. We actively work to reduce the environmental impact of our business activities and to continually improve and innovate on practices aimed at:

- Conserving natural resources
- Minimizing waste and pollution
- Enhancing indoor environmental quality
- Establishing and reporting on key environmental performance indicators
- Raising environmental awareness among our associates, guests and within our communities

Practices at our hotel include but are not limited to:
- Energy management system for all guest rooms
- HVAC low-flow toilets in all guest rooms
- Single-stream recycling
- High-efficiency air filters for all guest rooms
- 100% sustainable seafood purchased
- Eliminated use of styrofoam containers
- Moving to eliminate plastic straws
- Bottled water alternatives including centralized water station or pitchers
- Clutter-Free Meetings including centralized pens and paper pads
- Paper pads are minimum 30% recycled
- Linenless table setups
- Sustainable Banquet and Catering menus
- Make a Green Choice (MAGC) program — Any guest can Make a Green Choice by forgoing full housekeeping for up to three days in a row (excluding check-out day). For each night of opt in, guests can receive Marriott Bonvoy™ points or a Food & Beverage voucher, while helping to reduce the use of water, energy and chemicals

Please connect with our hotel team for any questions at 312.943.7200

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