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CITY OF LONG BEACH GREEN BUSINESS RECOGNITION PROGRAM APPLICATION

The goal of the Long Beach Green Business Program is to create a more sustainable business community and develop a market for green products and services locally. This recognition program is designed to recognize Long Beach businesses who have implemented actions that improve the environment, increase efficiency and conservation and save money.

About The Green Business Recognition Program:

To be considered for recognition, you must be a Long Beach business demonstrating green business practices in each of the following areas:



Waste Reduction & Recycling



Alternative Transportation



Green Purchasing



Water Conservation & Pollution Prevention



Energy Efficiency & Conservation



Staff Training & Public Awareness

If your business qualifies, fillout and submit the Application Cover Page and Questionnaire. Recognized businesses will be announced each month through:

1. A City press release announcing the selection of your business
2. Your business' biography posted on www.sustainablelb.com
3. Your business recognized at a Sustainable City Commission meeting

To Apply:

1. Complete Application Cover Page & Questionnaire
2. Submit electronically by clicking the 'Submit by Email' button in the upper right corner
3. Applicants will receive a response in 5 business days if they were selected to be recognized as a Long Beach Green Business

For information about the Green Business Recognition Program, contact:
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COVER PAGE

Business Name

Business Address

City State Zip Code

Number of Employees Opening Date

Contact Person

Contact Phone # Contact Email

Business
Description

By checking this box, I agree to allow the address of the property and business information provided to be part of a public list and website of Green Business Program participants.

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WASTE REDUCTION & RECYCLING



Please check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Recycle Paper, Cardboard, Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Print double-sided copies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recycle Glass, Metal, Plastic | <input type="checkbox"/> Use recycled content paper with soy or low volatile organic (VOC) inks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recycle Greenwaste | <input type="checkbox"/> Use reusable rather than disposable products |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recycle E-Waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Reuse packing and shipping materials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compost Food Waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Recycle print cartridges or use refillable toner cartridges |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use Electronic Billing Methods | |

Q: What waste reduction and recycling measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What waste reduction and recycling measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A:



GREEN PURCHASING

Please check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Buy products in bulk that are concentrated | <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase toilet paper, seat covers, paper towels made from post-consumer recycled content |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase products from local, green vendors | <input type="checkbox"/> Use paper with at least 30% post-consumer waste |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use green cleaning products | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use green building materials | |

Q: What green purchasing measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What green purchasing measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A:



ENERGY EFFICIENCY & CONSERVATION

Please check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Participate in free energy audit from SCE | <input type="checkbox"/> Shut down computers and use standby mode |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Replace bulbs with compact fluorescent bulbs | <input type="checkbox"/> Turn off electronic devices when not in use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use motion sensors and lighting controls | <input type="checkbox"/> Use Energy Star products |

Q: What energy efficiency and conservation measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What energy efficiency measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A:

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ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION

Please check all that apply:

- Plan delivery routes to reduce trips
- Incentive or reimbursement for employees who take public transportation or bike to work
- Use bicycles for local delivery
- Use hybrid or alternative fuel for fleets
- Have employee ride or bike share programs
- Offer telecommuting or flexible schedules for employees

Q: What alternative transportation measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What alternative transportation measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A:



WATER CONSERVATION & POLLUTION PREVENTION

Please check all that apply:

- Participate in free water audit from LB Water
- Install water-efficient irrigation
- Maintain onsite storm drain openings/basins
- Plant drought-tolerant plants and use mulch
- Follow the City's water prohibitions
- Install low-flow toilets and waterless urinals

Q: What water conservation and pollution prevention measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What water conservation and pollution prevention measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A:



STAFF TRAINING & PUBLIC AWARENESS

Please check all that apply:

- Offer customer green service or amenity options
- Incorporate green items into performance appraisals, job descriptions, and/or employee orientation and training
- Incorporate green items into company newsletter, bulletins or marketing materials
- Establish employee green committee to further green business efforts
- Participate in local green events like tree plantings, cleanups, etc.

Q: What staff training and public awareness measures has your business implemented?

A:

Q: What water conservation and pollution prevention measures does your business plan on implementing in the future?

A: