



## 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, and 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
- All properties are 100% smoke free

### Meetings and Events

- 100% Recycled note pads
- Pens made from recycled materials
- Eco-Friendly water service
- Meeting room recycling
- On-Line event menus and meeting diagrams
- Organic flowers
- America's Second Harvest, where available
- Recyclable box lunch program
- Paperless billing
- E-Sales kits and E-brochures

### Grand Hotel Marriott Resort, Golf Club & Spa

- Paper, plastic, aluminum, steel, wood pallets, light bulbs, and printer cartridges recycled
- Property Management System controls public space HVAC
- Guest room lighting automatically shuts off when guests leave room
- Guest room HVAC automatically shuts off when patio doors are opened
- Growing fresh produce & herbs in the Chef's Garden to serve guests
- Resort has gone Styrofoam free including cardboard coolers
- Recycling cardboard in bailer system
- Using retention ponds for irrigation vs. city water
- Cooling towers recycle water used to cool condensers on HVAC chillers
- Using local produce, honey, meat, cheese, & other local markets and vendors including local pottery for Grand Dining Room
- Payroll and newsletter paperless for associates, access to all pay, deposit, and HR information via web portal
- Providing green buffer areas to protect local habitats
- Decreased our landfill tonnage by 30% over a 2-year period
- Over 250,000 glass, liquor, and wine bottles have been recycled
- Canned products shipped with no plastic 6-pack rings
- Collecting all vegetative debris to be used as compost for our landscaping
- Phasing out disposable candles for rechargeable candles
- Reduced kilowatt usage by over 10% over past three years
- Low VOC paints, environmentally friendly carpets, and bamboo flooring
- In process for golf courses to be Audubon Certified
- ESCOC & Baldwin County Environmental Achievement Awards 2008-2009
- Coastal Cleanup & Weeks Bay Estuary participants

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