

KPMG



Sustainability Policy

Environmental sustainability is a key component of KPMG's corporate responsibility strategy. KPMG is committed to:

1. Measuring, reducing and reporting emissions.
2. Supporting environmental projects within a wider commitment to local communities and environmental sustainability.
3. Working with partners, employees, suppliers and clients to help them reduce their impacts.

Sustainability Team

KPMG's environmental sustainability policy is implemented by a Living Green Team that meets quarterly. In order to increase participation in green initiatives and continuously improve office practices, the group sponsors green volunteering events and an office "living green week."

Sustainability Goals and Tracking

KPMG's sustainability goals include:

- By 2020, reducing 2016 emissions 10% per employee
- By 2020, purchasing 100% renewable energy for its offices
- Requiring LEED® standards for all major construction projects

So far, office electricity use decreased 32% since 2010 despite adding employees over the same period. Additionally, 37% of electricity purchases now come from renewable sources.

Solid Waste Reduction and Reuse

To reduce paper waste, KPMG promotes double-sided printing and the use of mugs instead of paper cups. KPMG has achieved a 29% decrease in paper use since 2010. KPMG also uses single-stream recycling for plastics, metals, and paper, and 9 offices participate in food waste composting.

Employee Commute and Business Travel

KPMG encourages the use of mass transit spending accounts, in which transit costs are deducted from employees' paychecks before taxes. Since 66% of its carbon footprint is due to air travel, KPMG encourages video conferencing in place of non-essential in-person meetings.

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Organization Type

Audit, Tax & Advisory Services

Number of Fairfax County Employees

1,592

Fun Facts

KPMG won International Accounting Bulletin's Sustainable Firm of the Year award for four years in a row: 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015.

The KPMG floors of their Tysons office building were certified LEED Silver for Interior Design and Construction (ID+C) in 2012. 50% of all KPMG employees work in one of their 37 LEED certified offices.