



Recycling & Waste Reduction for Hotels



Hotels and motels in Fairfax County welcome millions of visitors each year. These facilities, with an assortment of kitchens, guest rooms, conference centers, and laundries, generate a lot of waste. Guest rooms alone can produce up to 28 pounds of waste every day. Fortunately, much of this waste is recyclable. Developing waste reduction and recycling programs can improve the business' image and potentially save money.

- Recycling & waste reduction helps **promote your business as being environmentally friendly** to customers and potential employees
- Recycling helps **conserve resources** and reduces air and water pollution
- **Reduce your operating costs** by reducing the amount of disposable items and supplies you buy, and the amount of energy your business consumes
- **It's the Law!**

Fairfax County requires all businesses to recycle



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