

# WE CLEAN GREEN



We're doing our part by establishing a green cleaning program that helps protect human health and the environment. Did you know, green cleaning can:

- 🌍 Help Us Stay Healthy
- 🌍 Help Us Protect the Health of Our Custodians
- 🌍 Help Us Increase the Lifespan of Our Building
- 🌍 Help Us Preserve Our Environment

Did you know U.S. Buildings have a huge impact on the environment:

- 🌍 36% of the Total Energy Used
- 🌍 70% of the Electricity Generated
- 🌍 30% of Waste Output
- 🌍 12% of Potable Water Consumption
- 🌍 36 Billion Trash Can Liners
- 🌍 5 Billion Pounds of Cleaning Chemicals and Coatings
- 🌍 4.5 Billion Pounds of Toilet Paper and Paper Hand Towels

Here's what we're doing to help protect human health and the environment:

## WE USE GREEN CLEANING PRODUCTS

We use environmentally-preferred cleaning products that have been certified by Green Seal. Green Seal is an independent, non-profit organization that strives to achieve a healthier and cleaner environment.

## WE USE GREEN CLEANING EQUIPMENT

We have introduced green cleaning equipment like Green Label certified high efficiency vacuums which capture potentially harmful microscopic materials and operate at lower decibel levels.

## WE USE GREEN CLEANING PROCESSES

We use green cleaning procedures that have a lower environmental impact. For example, by simply spraying cleaning solution onto a cleaning cloth, rather than on the surface being cleaned, less product is consumed and lower levels of VOC's are introduced into the environment.

## WE USE GREEN CAN LINERS AND PAPER

We use trash can liners and paper products that contain recycled content whenever possible.

For more information: [www.greentoclean.com](http://www.greentoclean.com) and [www.greenseal.org](http://www.greenseal.org).

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