

SUSTAINABILITY AT OUR HOTEL

Caring for the planet is a natural extension of Hyatt's purpose — to care for people so they can be their best.

At Grand Hyatt San Francisco Union Square, we are dedicated to sustainability and are committed to making a difference through our daily processes. To learn more about Hyatt's sustainability efforts, [click here](#).



OVERVIEW

- San Francisco is a top ranked sustainability city in the US
- Green spaces
- Bike share program
- Walkable destination
- Multiple public transit options
- Hotel is Green Key Certified to five keys
- Water dispensing stations throughout the hotel
- We track and manage environmental performance using Hyatt EcoTrack, Hyatt's global environmental sustainability software.

CLIMATE CHANGE & WATER

- Energy efficient LED lighting is used throughout the hotel
- Sensors in event spaces are used to efficiently manage lighting and temperature
- Our daily operational reports are used to schedule heating and cooling needs within all event spaces
- Guest rooms are set to conserve energy via sensors for use of the air conditioning and heater
- Through our Conserve program, we change linens every third day unless requested otherwise, and guests may choose to reuse towels by leaving them hanging
- Low flow water fixtures are in use throughout the hotel
- Kitchen equipment updated to energy and water efficient models
- Suggest lower-impact options for centerpieces and décor, such as potted plants rather than flower arrangements

WASTE & CIRCULARITY

- Hydration stations are available in the lobby and fitness center. Guests are encouraged to bring water bottles and refill them in these areas.
- All operational waste is separated on site and sent to appropriate recycling, composting and waste facilities, including kitchen oil recycling
- Hotel participates in Chefs to End Hunger, which safely transports unused food to local communities in need
- Mobile Entry is available through the World of Hyatt app to eliminate the number of plastic keycards handed out
- Large format amenity dispensers have been installed in guest room bathrooms
- Plastic straws are not used. Rather, straws made of compostable material are offered upon request.
- Digital signage and Hyatt Apps available to help enable a paperless meeting
- Colleagues are trained regularly on conservation practices

RESPONSIBLE SOURCING

Hyatt's Food. Thoughtfully Sourced. Carefully Served. philosophy guides us in how we select ingredients that are better for people, communities, and the planet.

- 90% of produce, meat, cheeses and breads are sourced locally
- Nirvana Soul coffee, served throughout the hotel, is locally roasted and minority owned
- Cage-free eggs are utilized in event and restaurant settings
- Seafood is sustainably purchased from responsible sources
- Produce is organic and purchased locally
- Beef is all-natural and grass-fed
- Plant based & plant forward menu items are offered in our restaurants and for events