

KemperSportsGreen Level I

Use this Word Document to provide support for your request to be certified as a KemperSportsGreen Level I Facility.

FACILITY NAME: The Links at Bodega Harbour – Bodega Bay CA 94923

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MUST COMPLETE:

- All GM's, Golf Course Superintendents and other department heads will receive Daily Digest Emails from the Environmental Protection Agency to advance awareness of the environment at the operational level.
 - o Yes
- Implementation of at least KemperSports Level I IPM Program
 - o Done (IPM attachment)

MUST DEMONSTRATE SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS IN 80% OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Green vendor utilization
 - o EPEAT (Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool)
 - We will follow the EPAT criteria when buying new products.
 - ENERGY STAR programs. Purchase only products rated at ENERGY STAR 4.0.
 - We have converted most of our appliances to Energy Star rated products.
 - Search out products and services that have the Green Seal Mark of Environmental Responsibility
 - Done.

- o Create "no mow areas" that are out of play and will reduce labor and fertilizer costs as well as minimize the use of water.
 - Because of the style of our golf course (links) we already have no mow/low maintenance areas that minimize the use of water and chemical products.
- o Implement recycling programs for the entire facility. (Each facility should research to determine whether your refuse company does recycle. Separate pickups do not guarantee this)
 - Our refuse company does recycle and our maintenance staff separates and classifies the trash from the golf course (cans, plastic, etc.)
- Convert from Styrofoam cups to bio degradable cups in all f&b operations.
 Coordinate with National Director of Vendor Relations and National Director of Food & Beverage.
 - o Done
- Purchase and use re-manufactured toner cartridges
 - Done
- Convert to recycled paper for all appropriate paper products
 - o Done
- Use of wetting agents to reduce water usage.
 - We use different kinds of wetting agents for different soil/weather conditions plus our irrigation water is 100% reclaimed water from the Bodega Harbour community and the city of Bodega Bay.
- Implement a paper waste reduction plan.
 - o Done. We only print what is really necessary.
- Convert to the use of shopping bags made from recycled plastics in all golf shops.
 - o Done
- Convert to green products in housekeeping, i.e. green laundry soap, floor cleaner, bathroom cleaners, etc.
 - We make sure that our services providers (uniforms, F&B, etc;) and supplies (pool, bathrooms, kitchen, maintenance, etc) have as little impact on the environment as possible. We are always looking for more "green products".
- Where possible, reduce lighting.
 - We have some solar lights and lights with motion detectors that are on only for a few minutes as needed.
- Institute night temperature set backs.
 - o Done.