

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT

Flossmoor Public Library is committed to reducing our impact on the environment and promoting awareness of environmental and sustainability issues. Our commitment extends to staff, patrons, suppliers, the surrounding community and to all Library activities, programs, and services. The Library has implemented a number of voluntary initiatives and will comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations. The Library's commitment includes:

- Generating less waste
- Using energy more efficiently
- Conserving water
- Maintaining a collection of books and other materials on environmental issues
- Purchasing green products including recycled paper products, when possible
- Selecting outside services and providers based on their green practices
- Encouraging the recycling of books through support of the Friends of the Flossmoor Library
- Providing appropriate receptacles for recyclable materials for use by all Library users
- Hosting programs that promote sustainable environmental practices
- Partnering with intergovernmental agencies in support of community-wide initiatives

The Library will continue to identify environmental improvement opportunities for future implementation.

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