

SUSTAINABILITY RESOURCES

Switching to more sustainable business practices with these local programs can help you avoid waste, save money, and contribute to a healthy environment.



“We feel very connected to the local East Bay community. We try to choose practices that are sustainable, such as using energy efficient light bulbs and equipment.”

- *Stephanie Sala, Owner, Five Little Monkeys Toy Store, Albany, CA*

OPT UP FOR GREENER ENERGY



East Bay Community Energy is the new local electricity supplier in Alameda County that provides a cleaner, more sustainable energy mix. To go even greener, your business can opt up to Brilliant 100, which uses carbon-free energy sources.

ebce.org/opt-up
(833) 699-EBCE

IMPROVE YOUR RECYCLING PROGRAM



Recycling reduces waste hauling costs and keeps material out of the landfills. Get a list of Recycling Bin suppliers, posters, and anything else you may need for your recycling program.

recyclingrulesac.org/resources
(510) 891-6575

LEARN MORE

acsustain.org/you/business.htm

SWITCH TO SMART LIGHTS



Save on your electricity bill by getting a free evaluation, technical assistance, and access to rebates for replacing your lighting with a more energy efficient system.

ebew.org/business
(510) 285-4111

BUY ENERGY EFFICIENT APPLIANCES



Earn rebates and save money on your energy and water bill by purchasing ENERGY STAR certified appliances.

energystar.gov/products

GET GREEN BUSINESS CERTIFIED



Show your customers that your business is dedicated to environmental sustainability by getting a Green Business Certification.

greenbusinessca.org/how-to-get-certified