

Holiday Inn By the Bay and the IHG Go Green Initiative



The Holiday Inn By The Bay in beautiful downtown Portland, Maine is proud to be a part of the IHG Go Green Initiative to help reduce our environmental impact. Sustainable Tourism continues to increase in importance as Hotels receive feedback from guests that recycling, water conservation and recycling will continue to be important factors in their Hotel choices. The IHG Go Green Initiative tracks high-level improvements on these fronts with much of pathway determined by each individual property.

The Holiday Inn By The Bay has undertaken several changes over the past few years to reduce our environmental footprint, including:

- LED lighting retrofit in all guest rooms, hallways, restaurants and common spaces
- LED lighting retrofit on exterior of building and parking garage
- Installation of electric car chargers in parking garage
- Installation of Elkay water fountains and water bottle filling stations
- Replacement of guest room HVAC with Energy Star Heat Pumps
- Installation of Verdant Thermostat systems that sets temperature limits and turns off system when room is not occupied
- Exterior renovation of Hotel to increase energy efficiency
- Purchase of glassware for all Banquet Bar Functions
- Installation of low flow shower heads and toilets

The Holiday Inn By The Bay, with the full support of our locally owned management company Lafayette Hotels, continues to put environmental responsibility at the forefront of all we do. As we continue to make improvements and upgrades to our property, environmental impacts will always be an important part of everything we do.

Thank you.

Holiday Inn By The Bay Management Team

