Management and Leadership

☑ Environmental Policy Statement

We at Maryland Microgreens are committed to environmental impact reduction by using totally recyclable packaging and grow on organic cocoa fiber substrate. Plants, substrate and packaging are all either recyclable or compostable.

All customers are encouraged to recycle/compost our products and return the containers for refill.

We will strive to maintain the lowest level of impact on the environment as possible.

Staff is trained to advise customers to recycle and/or compost.

☑ Environmentally Preferable Products and Services

We use recyclable plastic vented clamshell containers to deliver to the customer. Our product is grown on recycled coconut fiber mats that the consumer can compost.

Energy

☑ Energy Efficiency

We use LED lighting exclusively for plant growth thus reducing facility heat retention and energy costs.
**Transportation**

☑️ Efficient Business Travel

*Only one employee is required to sell or deliver products to retail/restaurant or market locations and we strive to limit unnecessary business travel.*

**Water**

☑️ Water Conservation

*Indoor vertical farming uses approximately 80% to 95% less water than conventional farming. Additionally, there is no use of pesticides, fertilizers for any other additives. Our entire crop during the peak growing, which includes about 20-25 trays with 80-100 5” X 7” cocoa pads, uses only about 1.5 gallons of water daily.*