



Maryland Green Registry MEMBER

The Maryland Green Registry promotes and recognizes sustainable practices at organizations of all types and sizes. Members agree to share at least five environmental practices and one measurable result while striving to continually improve their environmental performance.

National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC)



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Nonprofit Organization
Member since January 2020

Management and Leadership



Environmental Team

Membership is open to all staff. The mission is to reduce NFRC's environmental impact. The team meets quarterly and as needed in between regular meetings to accomplish goals. NFRC is committed to reducing carbon emissions and is developing a plan to reach net-zero carbon emissions. Additionally, NFRC encourages our members, stakeholders and allied organizations to take actions to make their businesses more environmentally friendly and sustainable.



Environmental Restoration and Community Environmental Projects

NFRC hosts two member meetings a year in different locations and supports a local environmental restoration charity in each meeting location. Our 2019 Fall Meeting was held in Charlotte, NC, where NFRC sponsored a tree planting through [Trees Charlotte](#).

Waste



Solid Waste Reduction and Reuse

NFRC uses an online mobile app for attendees at meetings and workshops, eliminating the need for printed programs and other meeting materials.

Recycling

NFRC recycles all paper, cardboard, glass, and plastic.

Energy

Energy Efficiency

Office renovation added windows in interior walls to reduce the need for artificial light in the office. Blinds are shut in all offices when unoccupied to reduce solar heat gain.

Transportation

Employee Commute/Customer Travel

Office was relocated to minimize commuting distance for staff, reducing an estimated 10,000+ miles driven per year. Additionally, our offices are within walking distance to a Metro and other public transportation.

Efficient Business Travel

Teleconferencing is used whenever possible. When business travel is required, ridesharing and carpooling is used whenever possible.

Environmental Certification Programs, Awards, and Other Activities

- DMW 2019 [Green Awards recipient](#): NFRC received the honor for making its mark on the green market for empowering people to compare windows, doors, and skylights that can help make homes and buildings more comfortable and energy efficient.*



Help build a greener, more sustainable Maryland through voluntary practices that reduce environmental impacts and save money.

Learn more at green.maryland.gov

