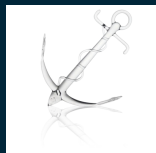


Emission Reduction Plan



Salamanca Wharf Hotel

Member Number: AU03450832

Industry: Accommodation, Tourism & Food Services

Location/s: Tasmania

Reporting Period: FY2024

Date of Report: 26 April 2024

Member Since: Mar 2024

ERC Protocol Stage: Stage 3 of 5

ERC Protocol	Action Detail		By When	Status
1: Commit 	We are committing to take action to reduce carbon emissions			
	<p>Carbon emissions footprint: 1017 tonnes Less sponsored offsets: 0 tonnes Net carbon emissions footprint: 1017 tonnes Emission data validation: Estimated using the ERC Protocol calculator Top Three of emissions: Waste, Suppliers, Electricity</p>			
2:Reduce 	We are adjusting operations to reduce emissions			
	Reduce waste to landfill	We aim to reduce our waste from our operations that go to landfill by 20% by implementing better waste management for separation methods and increasing more recycling services.	3-5 Years	⊖ Underway
	Reduce the waste from our products and services	We aim to reduce packaging from guest usage items by 20% by sourcing more sustainable products.	3-5 Years	⊖ Underway
	Replace lighting with LEDs	We are replacing all lightbulbs with LEDs.	1-2 Years	⊖ Underway
	Conduct an energy audit	Will we look to conduct an energy audit of our operations to identify options to decrease our energy usage by 10%.	1-2 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Adopt energy efficient equipment	We will look to replace any old equipment with higher energy efficient items.	On-Going	⊖ Underway
	Encourage bikes and scooters	We will look at feasibility of implementation of a bike rack to encourage staff and guests to use bikes.	1-2 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Offer public transportation subsidies	We will look at introducing public transport subsidies.	1-2 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Source greener office supplies	We will look to source greener office supplies when purchasing requirements provide opportunity.	On-Going	⊖ Underway
	Electric Vehicle Charging Stations	We are looking to install EV charging stations within our mechanical car stacker, to incentivise guests to hire electric vehicles when staying.	1-2 Years	⊖ Underway
	Reduce Paper Wastage	Introduce digital check-in and communication options to minimise paper usage and facilitate a paperless environment at the Front Desk.	1-2 Years	⊖ Underway
	Promotion and Education for Staff and Guests	Engage guests and staff through educational materials, such as in-room literature and signage, to promote responsible consumption practices for guest well-being	On-Going	⊖ Underway
	Reduce Energy Usage	Upgrade building systems and invest in innovative technologies, such as smart thermostats and occupancy sensors, to optimise energy use.	3-5 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Transition from Gas to Electric Hot Water	Assess the space and feasibility for transitioning from gas-powered hot water heating to hot water heat pumps or other sustainable hot water heating options.	3-5 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Guest Energy Reduction	Develop and implement an energy conservation program that includes guest participation through in-room messaging, signage, and incentives.	3-5 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
	Responsible Procurement Practices	Establish a responsible purchasing policy that outlines criteria for selecting suppliers and products based on sustainability and ethics.	3-5 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
Reduce power used to heat and cool	The use of keycard activated power slots inside guest rooms help to reduce energy wastage from unnecessary heating and cooling in vacant rooms.	On-Going	✔ Complete	
Reduce waste water	Installing water-saving technologies, such as low-flow fixtures and water-efficient appliances, to optimise water use in guest rooms and common areas.	1-2 Years	⊖ Underway	
Use sustainable products	We are using biodegradable and environmentally sensitive cleaning products.	On-Going	⊖ Underway	
Source locally	We are purchasing and selling locally sourced products. Our mini bar has recently transitioned to 90% locally made products.	On-Going	⊖ Underway	

End single use plastics	We are taking steps to eliminate single-use plastics. Our bathroom amenities have recently transitioned from single-use plastic range to a refillable range.	On-Going	⊖ Underway
Install composting	We will look to find the best possible implementation method for a composting system in our apartment kitchens.	3-5 Years	⊖ Not Commenced
Reduce waste to landfill	Developing and implementing a waste reduction plan, setting targets for waste reduction and increased recycling, while establishing clear waste separation and recycling stations throughout the hotel with informative signage.	3-5 Years	⊖ Underway

3:Avoid

We are adopting renewables for purchased power				
Our Locations	Current Renewable Adoption	Action for 100% transition	Goal for 100% Transition	
Hobart	Leading Renewable Retailer 40%	Leading Renewable Energy Retailer Solar panels	By 2030	

Extending my impact: Supporting and inspiring other businesses to decarbonise

Groups I have joined (2): TERC - TAS - Tasmanian Tourism Industry (Member) ATIC - TERC (Member)

Estimated Carbon Emissions are calculated from user input into the Emissions Estimator, which uses recognised emission standards, including the GHG protocol, ISO14064, EPA Guidelines and those issued by the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water

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