

California Green Business Program

Checklist preview

Program: Santa Clara

Sector: Garment Cleaning



Waste

DESCRIPTION

1. Create a customer drop off program for wire hanger reuse or recycling.

YES NO N/A Post

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2. Create a customer drop off program for plastic bags.

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3. Compost food scraps.

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Water

DESCRIPTION

1. For businesses with an average water consumption rate exceeding 1,200 gallons per day and which use a garment cleaning machine equipped with "single-pass" cooling, install closed loop cooling tower to reduce water waste. Your local water company may offer rebates to reduce the cost of this upgrade.

YES NO N/A Post

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DESCRIPTION

1. Use a wash and rinse water reclamation system.

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2. Evaluate wash formula and machine cycles for efficiency. It may be appropriate to reprogram machines to eliminate a cycle.

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3. Wash full loads in laundry machines.

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Pollution

DESCRIPTION

1. Keep all containers properly labeled and covered, including small spot remover bottles and spray containers.

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2. Replace chlorinated hydrocarbon spotting agents with spotting agents compatible with your particular cleaning system. Check with your equipment supplier for the safest, most effective spotters available. Some spotters can cross-contaminate your water or CO2 cleaning solutions, making your solution illegal to discharge to the sewer drains.

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