

# Sustainability at the Sciencenter

## Scavenger Hunt

The word **sustainability** refers to living within our limits. This often means making choices that are better for the environment and better for us.

Next time you visit the Sciencenter use this scavenger hunt to explore how we are making sustainable choices for our electricity, waste, and exhibits.

### Electricity

1. How does the Sciencenter get its power? (hint: look for stickers near light switches)
2. What is one reason that the Sciencenter switched to a new type of hand dryers?

### Waste

3. What are two types of recycling at the Sciencenter?
4. What is different about the toilets in the main bathroom?

### Things You Can Do

5. Name two things that you can do at home or school that help contribute to sustainability. Think about ways you can reduce energy and waste.

### Find and Explore

Find the *How Good is a Window?* exhibit located on a downstairs wall. Explore the different types of windows there.

Did you know that the Sciencenter was built in an old sewage treatment plant?

Renovating old buildings is often more sustainable than making new ones!

