

# Environmental Responsibility

## Meeting Space

- Recycling bins for paper (mixed or separate, depending upon the existing stream)
- Recycling bins for all beverage containers (glass, plastic, aluminum cans) that are being used by facility, and other materials are handled locally in the existing system (composting, etc.)

## Catering

- Hotel is willing to work with groups at no cost to them or Hotel, on providing collection containers for beverage containers (glass bottles, plastic bottles, aluminum cans)
- Cloth napkins and cloth table cloths can be used at all food & beverage events in convention space
- Bartenders can be instructed not to automatically give cocktail napkins with drinks (but have them available for those that want them) at food & beverage events in convention space
- New water efficient dishwashers installed this year

## Natural Resources Conservation

- Incandescent light bulbs were replaced with LED bulbs in slot machines
- Lighting motion sensors were installed in office areas
- Electricity consumption has been reduced by more than 8 million k Wh annually through energy efficient lighting retrofits combined with optimizing building heating and cooling systems, or the equivalent of turning off power in more than 660 homes each year
- Lake Bellagio and "O" are replenished with non-drinkable well water
- An upgraded water treatment system saves 24 million gallons per year
- The terry and bed linen reuse program conserves 15.5 million gallons of water

## Waste Management

- Trash is sorted for recycling behind the scenes, diverting thousands of tons of recyclables from the landfill each year
- The Bellagio Horticulture department composts 100% of plant and landscaping waste
- Other recycled materials include paper, glass, plastic, cardboard, metals and food

## Procurement

- Grocery vendors are committed to delivering 90% of all items through two distributors, reducing transportation emissions and fuel consumption
- Ammoniated cleaning chemicals have been eliminated

## Communication and Education

- The Employee Club Ride program encourages car pooling and the use of alternative transportation for commuting to work
- Newsletters and weekly sustainability tips educate Bellagio employees about benefits of green activities
- Internal Green Fairs, in conjunction with the *Conservation Begins at Home* program, engage employees with ways to save natural resources through the adoption of sustainable habits in their personal lives

## Transportation

- Taxis are readily available at both the main and north entrances. Motor coaches will arrive to the Tour Lobby of which access is from Frank Sinatra Drive.
- Please refer to the "Destination Management Companies" section for information regarding dedicated group transfers and private limousines.

## Environmentally Conscious Transportation Options

- Bellagio is a sustainable urban community which included hotels, residences, restaurants, stores and entertainment venues all with a walk able distance.

### **Automated People Mover**

- Bellagio is connected to CityCenter and Monte Carlo via an automated people mover and provides easy access to public transportation.

### **The Las Vegas Monorail**

- The Las Vegas Monorail is a seven-stop, elevated train system that travels along a 3.9 mile route and connects major hotels and attractions along the world famous Las Vegas Strip. It enables passengers to travel the length of the resort corridor in 15 minutes or less in a safe, clean, comfortable and climate-controlled environment. The monorail is completely electric and produces zero emissions. With trains arriving every few minutes, passengers are quickly connected to world class resorts, hotels and casinos, shops, restaurants, entertainment venues and the Las Vegas Convention Center.

Hours of Operation:	M – Th 7am – 2am	
	F – Su 7am – 3am	
Ticket Prices:	Single Ride:	\$5.00
	One Day Pass:	\$12.00
	Three-Day Pass:	\$28.00

### **Public Buses**

- The DEUCE on The Strip is 24 bus service operated by the Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada. The DEUCE stops at virtually every hotel and casino along the Las Vegas Strip approximately every 12 – 15 minutes. Stops, which are located approximately every quarter mile in each direction, are marked with signs or by bus shelters.

Hours of Operation:	24 hours a day	
Ticket Prices:	One Way Fare:	\$2.00
	24 Hour Pass:	\$5.00

### **How You Can Help**

- To support living in the desert, we offer you the choice to reuse your towels. Please proceed to hang your towels if you wish to use them again. Towels left on the floor will be replaced
- Turn off bathroom and bedroom lights when not needed
- Use public transportation, such as the Bellagio tram
- Check-out of your room electronically by using the TV to conserve paper
- Adjust the thermostat down during cooler months and up during warmer months

Thank you for supporting our dedication to sustainability and helping us make a difference.

### **WEBSITES OF INTEREST**

[bellagio.com](http://bellagio.com)-Bellagio  
[awaxgrp.com](http://awaxgrp.com)- Alan Waxler Group  
[cirquedusoleil.com](http://cirquedusoleil.com)-Cirque du Soleil  
[cligroups.com](http://cligroups.com)-CLI Groups, Inc  
[dbdvegas.com](http://dbdvegas.com)- Destinations by Design  
[fire.co.clark.nv.us](http://fire.co.clark.nv.us)-Clark County Fire Department  
[freemanco.com](http://freemanco.com)- Freeman Decorating  
[flightstats.com](http://flightstats.com)- track real-time flight information  
[lvchamber.com](http://lvchamber.com)- Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce  
[lvca.com](http://lvca.com)- Las Vegas Convention & Visitors Authority  
[lvj.com](http://lvj.com)- Las Vegas Review Journal  
[mccarran.com](http://mccarran.com)- McCarran International Airport

## Local Attractions

*Visit these attractions to discover what it is like to live in the desert and learn more about the local ecosystem.*

### **Death Valley**

- 135 miles from Las Vegas, 40 minutes by plane, lowest elevation on North American Continent at 280 feet below sea level
- Zabiske Point, 20 Mule Canyon, Scotty's Castle, tours available
- Visitors totaled more than 829,000 in 2009

### **Grand Canyon**

- About 300 miles from Las Vegas, 1 1/2 hour flight by plane, tours available

### **Lake Mead National Recreation Area**

- Closest point 25 miles from Las Vegas
- More than 550 miles of shoreline, swimming, water skiing, camping, boating, fishing, six marinas, tours available
- Visitors totaled more than 7.7 million in 2009
- [nps.gov/lake](http://nps.gov/lake)

### **Mt. Charleston**

- 35 miles from Las Vegas
- Highest elevation 11,918 feet
- Winter skiing, picnicking, hiking, horseback riding, tours available

### **Red Rock Canyon**

- 15 miles west of Las Vegas
- 3,000-foot escarpment produced by thrust fault, includes Bureau of Land Management visitors center, scenic area of rock formations and desert
- Visitors totaled more than 1 million in 2009
- [redrockcanyonlv.org](http://redrockcanyonlv.org)

### **Springs Preserve**

- The Springs Preserve is a 180-acre cultural institution designed to commemorate Las Vegas' dynamic history and to provide a vision for a sustainable future
- The Preserve features museums, galleries, outdoor concerts and events, colorful botanical gardens and an interpretive trail system that meanders through a scenic wetland habitat

### **Valley of Fire State Park**

- 55 miles from Las Vegas
- Scenic landscapes of hidden canyons and unique rock formations, petroglyphs and remains of ancient Indian civilization, Nevada Park Service visitors center, tours available
- Visitors totaled more than 300,000 in 2009
- There is a \$3 entrance fee
- [parks.nv.gov/vf.htm](http://parks.nv.gov/vf.htm)