

Sustainability Performance Plan

FY 2023

*This report was written in compliance with
section 5 of Executive Order 1.*



Sustainability Performance Plan

Executive Order 1 (EO 1) calls on Executive Branch agencies to advance environmental leadership and cost savings for taxpayers by reducing greenhouse gas emissions and other sustainability objectives in energy use in buildings and vehicles, water use, and waste disposal.

The goals of EO 1 include:

- 45% reduction in GHG emissions below 2001 levels,
- 10% reduction in water consumption from a FY20 baseline, and
- 25% reduction in waste disposal from a FY20 baseline.

Sustainability Performance Plans are plans drafted each year by Senior Sustainability Officers to detail agency progress and necessary goals, actions, and responsible parties to achieve the targets set in EO 1.

This report includes details on sustainability initiatives and participation in the GreenerGovCT initiative in FY23.

Agency Details

Agency: Enter agency name here.

Senior Sustainability Officer: Enter SSO name here.

Date Submitted: Enter date of submission here.

GreenerGov CT Participation Overview

1. How has your agency worked towards the sustainability goals of EO 1 in FY23?

The Telework Program continues to contribute to the reduction of the agency's overall carbon footprint since 95% of DOB employees have been Teleworking since 3/24/2020. Although DOB occupies a leased space, we minimize electricity use by keeping lights off in areas not being used by DOB employees. DOB continues to recycle and has continued to curtail our use of Fleet Vehicles.

2. List key agency staff involved in EO 1 in FY23.

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Sustainability Projects

- 3. How many projects has your agency implemented that had a positive impact on sustainability in FY23? Include projects relating to infrastructure improvements as well as behavioral change that took place in owned, leased, or occupied space and were either in progress or completed in FY23.**

DOB did not initiate any new sustainability project in FY23. We have however, continued our previously initiated sustainability projects. (See above)

- 4. Provide a summary of the sustainability projects completed in FY23 at your agency. For each project include:**
- a. Project summary**
 - b. Project location**
 - c. Project status**
 - d. Project benefits**
 - e. Projected savings (in dollars and the appropriate unit of measurement if known)**

N/A

Future Plans

- 5. What planned sustainability initiatives beyond FY23 does your agency have relating to GHG reduction, water use reduction, and waste reduction?**
- 1) Continue having 95% of DOB employees Teleworking
 - 2) Continue Recycling
 - 3) Continue curtailed use of Fleet Vehicles