

### **C.2.3.2 (Procedure) Environmental Protection**

Responsible Department: Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration

Based on Board Policy: [C.2.3](#) - Facilities and Grounds Management

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The Chancellor and the college Presidents shall develop programs that implement the following environmental principles to:

1. Comply with federal, state, and local environmental quality standards.
2. Decrease energy use without compromising comfort standards needed to ensure continued quality in the educational process.
3. Recycle waste whenever the opportunity exists.
4. Purchase recycled products for use whenever economically feasible.
5. Evaluate the environmental consequences of proposed actions as an integral part of the decision-making process.
6. Cooperate with community efforts to reduce pollution and to provide College District students, faculty, staff, and local citizenry with a better place to live, work, learn, and play.