

# Environmental Sustainability Policy

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Crown Castle's business model is built around long-term investment—we intend to be the last owner of our assets. We recognize the value our infrastructure creates for communities and our role in reducing environmental impact. We are invested in the communities we serve and are committed to deploying our communications infrastructure responsibly, building and maintaining solutions that deliver long-term value. We strive to integrate environmental considerations into our planning and decision-making process, with the goal of promoting sound environmental practices internally and externally.

We are dedicated to conducting our business with integrity and have developed this Environmental Sustainability Policy ("Policy") with guidance from the principles from recognized international standards and voluntary initiatives including, but not limited to, the following:

- The UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG)
- The Paris Agreement
- The Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact
- Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Standards
- Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosure (TCFD) Recommendations
- Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) Standards
- Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP) global disclosure system

Furthermore, our environmental management system, based on ISO 14001, provides us with a mechanism to help us understand our environmental footprint and manage our legal and regulatory compliance obligations. Crown Castle is committed to operating in compliance with all environmental laws and regulations and expects suppliers to do the same.

Crown Castle aims to disclose relevant environmental factors in a timely and transparent manner. In keeping with company efforts to stay aligned with environmental best practices and remain transparent in efforts, Crown Castle reports annually to CDP, TCFD, GRI and SASB, as well as discloses annual results and goals in an Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG") report and on our website.

The principles outlined in this Policy align with the principles found in our Proper Business Practices and Ethics Policy, our Supplier Code of Conduct ("Supplier Code") and certain of our other applicable policies.

As used in this Policy, the terms "Crown Castle," "we," "our company" and "our" refer to Crown Castle Inc. and its subsidiaries. References to "teammates" are to Crown Castle employees, whether full-time, part-time or temporary. All teammates are responsible for reading, understanding and complying with company policies and exercising good judgement.

## Applicability

This Policy applies to all Crown Castle teammates. In addition to the expectations outlined in the Supplier Code, we expect entities, including their subcontractors and agents, providing products, people or services to Crown Castle ("Suppliers") to abide by the principles covered in this Policy in their work with Crown Castle and in their broader operations.

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## Environmental Oversight

Crown Castle's Board of Directors ("Board"), including through its committees, oversees climate-related risks as part of its broader annual enterprise risk assessment. The risk assessment process takes place throughout the year at regularly scheduled meetings of the Board and its committees. The Nominating, Environmental, Social and Governance Committee ("NESG Committee") assists the Board in overseeing our environmental strategies, goals and initiatives and receives quarterly updates from senior management regarding our risks, opportunities, priorities, initiatives and progress toward goals.

Senior management proactively assesses and manages climate-related risks and opportunities. Crown Castle's Vice President-Investor Relations and Capital Markets and ESG Advisor coordinate company-wide sustainability priorities and keep senior management apprised of potential climate-related initiatives and opportunities identified through dialogue with internal business teams, engagement with shareholders and the investment community and benchmarking analysis.

Every three to five years, senior management performs an ESG materiality assessment, which includes assessing the importance of key topics spanning ESG and operational categories in terms of their importance to Crown Castle's business success and their importance to stakeholders. This is an important opportunity to engage with both internal and external stakeholders, including shareholders, customers, employees, communities and regulators.

## Environmentally Responsible Management

Crown Castle is committed to environmental responsibility in all of its business operations. In keeping with this responsibility, it is our policy to conduct our business in an environmentally responsible manner that protects the public, our employees and the ecosystem.

In addition to complying with all applicable environmental laws and regulation, we strive to:

- A. Make environmental concerns an integral part of our planning and decision-making process.
- B. Promote and practice sound environmental stewardship of all company facilities and properties.
- C. Proactively reduce resource use, waste and the environmental impact, including greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, associated with our assets and operations.
- D. Identify opportunities to maximize the environmental standards in our office leases, including promoting green building certifications, ensuring the availability of adequate recycling facilities and developing architectural design standards that include sourcing Energy-Star or equivalent appliances and fixtures.
- E. Educate employees to be accountable for environmental stewardship and encourage them to seek innovative ways to improve the environmental aspects of our operations.
- F. Avoid, minimize and mitigate any adverse environmental impacts caused by our operations where possible.
- G. Participate with government agencies and others in framing responsible laws, regulations and standards affecting the community, the workplace and the environment.
- H. Continually improve our environmental programs.
- I. Implement sound environmental practices to promote biodiversity and land stewardship, including avian protection, wildlife awareness and habitat conservation.
- J. Evaluate our environmental performance through periodic reviews and audits to ensure that our conduct is consistent with these principles.