OUR **sustainability** INITIATIVES

**WOODBRIDGE**

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS**

- Implemented recommendations from a third-party energy audit which included changing lighting, upgrading refrigeration equipment, and installing energy-efficient pumps.

- Installed an innovative process water treatment plant that captures emissions from the treatment process that normally would have been released to the atmosphere.

- Implemented a program to reduce salts in process water by conducting source reduction and crop uptake studies to determine the crops that are best suited for removing salts from farmland irrigated with reclaimed process water.

- Protecting riparian habitats for several plant and animal species on the winery's property along the Mokelumne River, including enhancing the levees of the process water ponds.

- Built and installed nesting boxes for barn owls, wood ducks, and ash-throated flycatchers.

- Improved ground water protection by reducing the number of open wells on the property.

- Actively participates in load shedding during emergency demand reduction on the electrical grid.

- Removed underground fuel storage tanks.

- Enhanced recycling program to further reduce solid waste being sent to a landfill. Woodbridge is estimated to have saved $439K in landfill costs and has accumulated an income of $549K from their recycling program over the past 11 years.

- Woodbridge has maintained a high percentage of landfill diversion. Since 2013, Woodbridge has annually diverted from the landfill at a rate at or above 84%.

- Woodbridge Winery publicly reports their greenhouse gas and water footprint as part of Constellation Brands’ submission to CDP.
SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY + COMMUNITY

- Committed to a comprehensive safety program and offers First Aid, CPR, and AED training to all employees.
- Operates a community garden (“The Giving Garden”), donating all fresh produce to the Grace and Mercy Charitable Foundation and promoting personal donations from employee’s home gardens.
- An active member in local trade organization and community groups including: Lodi Chamber of Commerce, Lodi Wine Country Committee, Stockton Chamber of Commerce, and Lodi Grape Commission.
- Woodbridge Winery is active in the community- sponsoring annual fundraising events to support Lodi Public Library.
- Participates in local events to support Lodi Art Center and Grace & Mercy Food Bank.

CERTIFICATIONS + AWARDS

- Produced at a Certified California Sustainable Winery.
- WRAP Award - recognized by the state of California for diverting solid waste to recycling and reuse programs.