

# SUSTAINABILITY DIGEST



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**2025 WORK AND WINS**

IN COLLABORATION WITH  
THE CORPORATE COMPLIANCE DIVISION

# About the **DIGEST**

Through the Digest, we aim to showcase how **SM Supermalls** integrates sustainability into its core strategies, ensuring that our malls remain safe, resilient, and environmentally responsible.

**S**M Supermalls is the mall property management arm of SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Marking SM Supermalls' 40th anniversary, this report reflects on four decades of creating vibrant spaces for millions of Filipinos, while celebrating the sustainability milestones achieved in the same year that strengthen our commitment to resilience and responsible growth. This milestone year is not only a celebration of growth but also a reaffirmation of our responsibility to the environment and society.

The Sustainability Digest is an initiative of the Corporate Resilience and Sustainability Departments under the Corporate Compliance Division. It serves as a comprehensive

collection of programs and initiatives, both new and ongoing, that positively impact our business and the communities we serve. From energy efficiency and waste management to climate adaptation and disaster preparedness, these efforts reflect our dedication to building a future-ready organization. Through the Digest, we aim to showcase how SM Supermalls integrates sustainability into its core strategies, ensuring that our malls remain safe, resilient, and environmentally responsible.

As we look ahead to 2026 and beyond, we remain steadfast in creating spaces that care for people and the planet - because at SM Supermalls, sustainability is not just a goal; it is a way forward. ■

## About the **COVER**



Youth and multi-sector volunteers unite at their most-loved SM Mall of Asia for the International Coastal Cleanup, ready to turn action into impact. As a hub for communities and sustainability, SM Supermalls brings people together to protect our oceans and shape a greener future.

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SM City La Union's stunning façade glows under the October night sky on its opening day, highlighting the wave-like structural feature that incorporates sustainability by emulating the province's coastal environment. This design optimizes natural ventilation and light, linking its aesthetic with environmentally conscious operation.

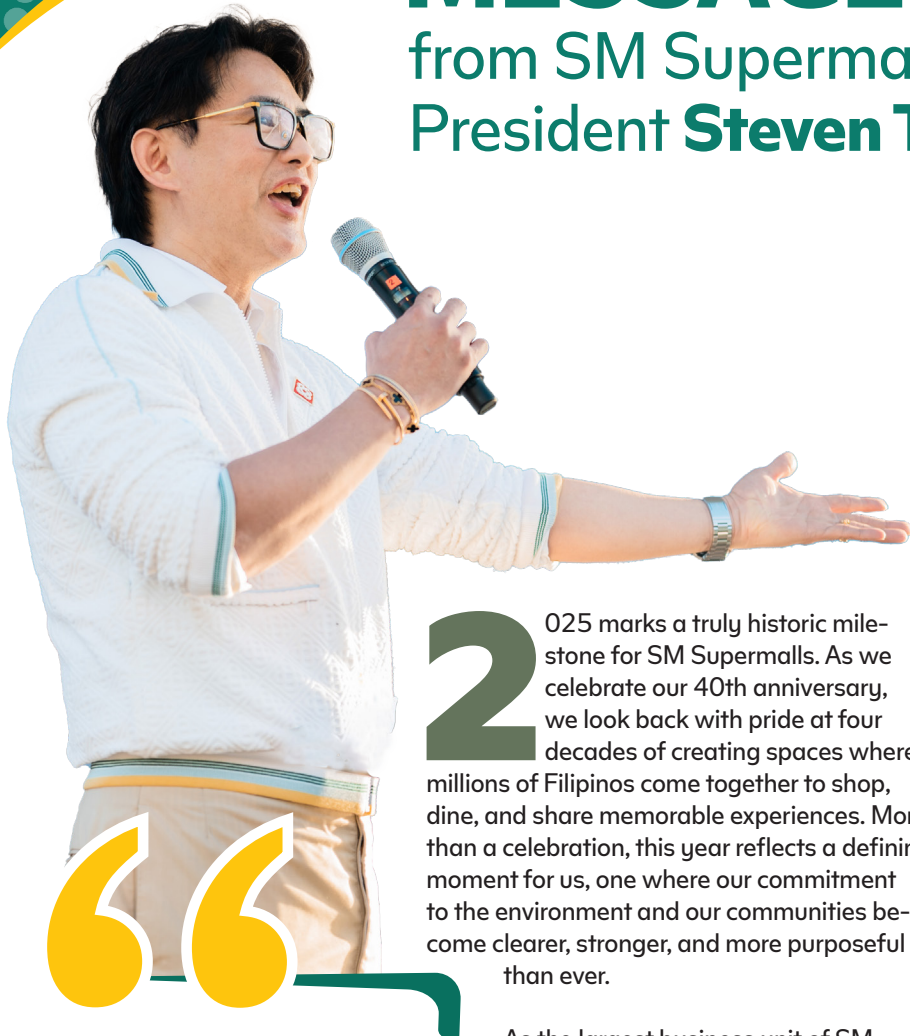


SM City Laoag's facade provides a striking backdrop for a vibrant display of colorful pinwheels, symbolizing unity with nature. Opened in the summer month of May, it integrates environmentally conscious elements, with its building's architectural curves mimicking the rolling sand dunes of Ilocos Norte, cleverly maximizing natural light and ventilation to reduce energy consumption.



# MESSAGE

## from SM Supermalls President **Steven Tan**



**Together with our partners, employees, and customers, we will continue to innovate, collaborate, and lead in creating sustainable spaces that enrich lives and protect our planet.”**

**2**025 marks a truly historic milestone for SM Supermalls. As we celebrate our 40th anniversary, we look back with pride at four decades of creating spaces where millions of Filipinos come together to shop, dine, and share memorable experiences. More than a celebration, this year reflects a defining moment for us, one where our commitment to the environment and our communities become clearer, stronger, and more purposeful than ever.

As the largest business unit of SM Prime Holdings, Inc. in both reach and income, SM Supermalls plays a pivotal role in shaping the future of sustainability in the Philippines. What we do today helps shape the kind of future we leave behind. We choose sustainability because we recognize our responsibility to the environment as part of the country’s largest real property developer. Our vision is not to be remembered for scale alone, but for the positive impact we create for the planet. Through this Digest, we share how we bring this to life as part of our ESG and resilience commitment to Filipinos across our 89 malls.

We are proud to be at the forefront of SM Prime’s Net Zero 2040 journey - a bold commitment for all SM properties to take a stand against greenhouse gas emissions and help build a greener, more resilient future. Last year, we made meaningful progress toward that vision. We achieved a major milestone

with our Switch to 100MW rooftop solar initiative, reinforcing our commitment to renewable energy and reducing our carbon footprint. More than a number, this represents cleaner energy powering our malls and a concrete step forward in climate action.

Equally inspiring is the power of community. In 2025, we mobilized more than 40,000 volunteers for our Coastal Cleanup activities, a powerful reminder of what collective action can achieve. These efforts go beyond cleaning shorelines; they reflect a shared commitment to protecting our environment for future generations.

We also launched the first-ever Sustainability Expo, bringing together innovators, partners, and advocates to showcase solutions for resource conservation and sustainable living. It is a reflection of our belief that sustainability is not a passing trend but a way of life that we must continue to build together.

Through these programs and initiatives, we make our commitment clear: SM Supermalls is not only a destination for shopping and leisure, but also a champion for environmental stewardship and community engagement. Every step we take toward resource conservation creates meaningful impacts society - reducing emissions, conserving energy, and inspiring millions to be part of the journey.

As we celebrate 40 years of SM Supermalls, we look ahead with optimism and determination. Together with our partners, employees, and customers, we will continue to innovate, collaborate, and lead in creating sustainable spaces that enrich lives and protect our planet.

Thank you for being part of this remarkable journey. Here’s to 40 years of shared success, and to shaping a future that is not only brighter, but greener for all. ■



MOA Sky, which had its historic opening in February 2025, showcases the future of sustainable shopping centers by seamlessly blending rooftop attractions with environmental responsibility. This aerial view captures the massive scale of the rooftop development and its commitment to green energy and community spaces.



SM Mall of Asia's MOA Sky rises as a game-changing landmark that redefines urban mall, entertainment, and sustainability in the Philippines.

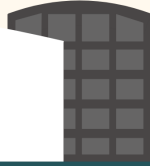


The MOA Sky at dusk reveals its multi-faceted rooftop, where the illuminated, FIFA-Grade football pitch lies adjacent to energy-harnessing solar panels atop the walkways and skylights. This integration underscores MOA Sky's groundbreaking design approach to energy conservation and sustainable community recreation.

# SM Supermalls' Journey Toward

## OUR SUSTAINABILITY JOURNEY

### Waste Management



Our initiative included estero and coastal clean-up

The **Trash to Cash** started in 2007 allowing communities to exchange their recyclables to cash.



Since then, our waste management program expanded to include Plastic and E-waste Collection



### Energy Efficiency

We launched our **first solar PV System** in SM North EDSA in 2014; now we are at more than **100 Megawatt capacity!**



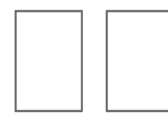
### Air Quality



SM Mall design  
SM Mall

Launched **first free in-mall EV Charging Station** in 4 key malls.

SM AURA

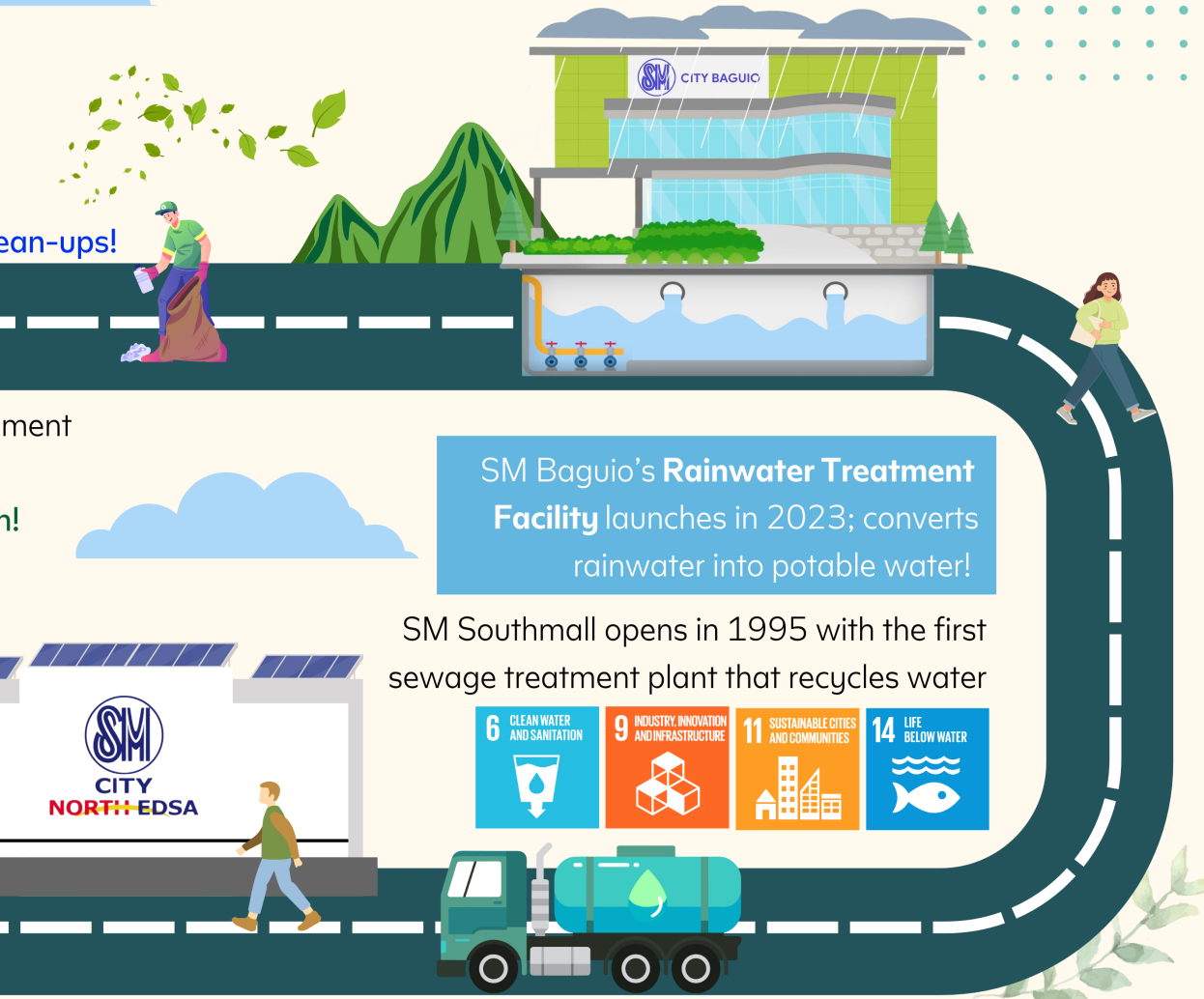


SM Aura received the **LEED® Gold certification** for its green building practices!

**Disaster Resilient**

# Environmental Sustainability

## Water Conservation



SM Baguio's **Rainwater Treatment Facility** launches in 2023; converts rainwater into potable water!

SM Southmall opens in 1995 with the first sewage treatment plant that recycles water



Marikina—the mall on stilts opens in 2008! It was designed to let floodwater flow through the structure. All of Asia was also designed with disaster resilient features!

On our 40 years, we achieved more than just milestones—we built lasting impact for our customers, for the community, and for our environment!



SM Supermalls continues to champion a future-ready Philippines through innovative sustainability initiatives that uplift communities, protect the environment, and drive meaningful progress for every Filipino.



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**A sea of volunteers converges on SM By the Bay and SM Mall of Asia during the International Coastal Cleanup, showcasing a massive and united effort for cleaner seas and coastal areas not only in Manila Bay but across the Philippines. This event powerfully demonstrates the significance of community in helping to make the world a better place, one shoreline at a time.**



**The Skygarden at SM North EDSA offers a welcome urban sanctuary, where the elevated walkway to the next building and vine-covered trellis frame lush greenery and tranquil water features. This singular stretch of space allows visitors to enjoy nature, complete with coffee, drinks, and snacks, right within the bustling mall complex.**

**S**M Supermalls' commitment to sustainability began as early as the 1990s, when visionary leadership from Mr. Hans Sy set the foundation for responsible operations. Recognizing the growing need for resource efficiency, he spearheaded energy conservation initiatives across our malls, leveraging technology and innovation to reduce electricity consumption without compromising customer comfort.

This forward-thinking approach soon expanded to water management. Under Mr. Sy's direction, SM Supermalls installed sewage treatment plants in its properties, enabling the recycling of used water for irrigation, sanitary systems, and air-conditioning operations. These efforts not only conserved water but also demonstrated how operational excellence can align with environmental responsibility.

As sustainability became integral to our identity, we reimagined the architecture, aesthetics, and design of our malls to optimize natural light, ventilation, and energy use. These improvements were more than cosmetic - they were strategic steps toward reducing resource consumption while enhancing customer experience.

Our journey continued with the implementation of a unified waste management process, ensuring proper segregation and disposal across all malls. We also invested in infrastruc-

ture to support electric vehicles, promoting cleaner transportation options for our customers. In recent years, we have embraced renewable energy through the installation of solar photovoltaic panels, marking a significant milestone in reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

Today, sustainability is embedded in everything we do - from operations to community engagement. Yet, our journey is far from over. We recognize that there is still much to accomplish as we strive to create spaces that not only serve millions of Filipinos but also protect the planet for future generations. ■

# SM and the UN SDGs

A new dawn for SM Supermalls' next 40 years is illuminated by solar power, a symbol of our renewed commitment to environmental sustainability. Innovation, driving the adoption of clean energy on our rooftops, is the key to achieving a greener, more sustainable future for the communities we serve.



The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are a universal call to action to end poverty, protect the planet, and ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity by 2030. These 17 interconnected goals provide a global framework for integrating environmental action and resilience-building across all sectors, driving collective progress toward a sustainable future for the world.

**S**M Supermalls embraces the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) as a global blueprint for peace and prosperity. Through SM Prime's Net Zero 2040 commitment, we align with key SDGs - taking bold steps to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, conserve resources, and build climate resilience.

Our programs on energy efficiency, water recycling, waste management, and renewable energy reflect this alignment, while initiatives like coastal cleanups and sustainability expos engage communities in meaningful action.

Across our 89 malls, we actively spread awareness of the SDGs, inspiring millions of Filipinos to join us in creating a future defined by sustainability and shared responsibility. ■

A mark of sustainability and resilience, SM Supermalls leads with the Mall of Asia Complex, reflecting our commitment to transforming the skyline with every mall-led green initiative. From above, witness the scale of our impact as we pave the way for a greener, more enduring future for the communities we serve.



# SM SUPERMALLS AND THE UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS IN 2025

The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), adopted in 2015 under the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, comprise 17 interconnected goals that address global challenges such as **poverty, inequality, climate change, environmental protection, peace, and prosperity.**

- 01**  **No Poverty**
  - 97% of the total unique mall tenants and 84% of the total suppliers and third party contractors are MSMEs.
  - Minimum of 60% of the total organic mall employees are residents of the city where the mall is located.
- 02**  **Zero Hunger**
  - Small urban gardens and plant nurseries in several malls grow herbs and vegetables.
  - SM Cares launched the Human Milk Depot at SM City San Lazaro and SM City Manila to promote breastmilk donation for babies.
- 03**  **Good Health and Well-Being**
  - All employees have an Annual Physical Exam, and random drug testing is conducted.
  - Regular blood-letting activities for employees.
  - Mental health services and “Mind You” Webinars are available for employees.
- 04**  **Quality Education**
  - 186 employees and tenants underwent Pollution Control Officer (PCO) training.
  - 2,091 participants at the Hands-Only CPR Training by ARISE Philippines.
  - Fire and Earthquake Drills and Resilience Talks on earthquake preparedness for employees, tenants and National University students.
  - Nature documentary public film screenings in the malls such as the Innsbruck Nature Film Festival.
- 05**  **Gender Equality**
  - 58% of the workforce is composed of women and 55% of managerial and executive positions are held by women.
  - Policies on gender equality are in place and reported cases of discrimination/harassment if any, are acted upon.
- 06**  **Clean Water and Sanitation**
  - 6.6 million cubic meter of mall wastewater treated annually is equivalent to 2,664 Olympic-sized swimming pools.
  - All mall administration offices have a clean drinking fountain.
- 07**  **Affordable and Clean Energy**
  - Total of 116 Megawatt peak capacity from solar photovoltaic systems on top of 69 rooftops.
- 08**  **Decent Work and Economic Growth**
  - SM for MSMEs program has supported 2,343 MSMEs since it began in March 2024.
  - SM Weekend Market provides local farmers and SM Foundation's Kabalikat sa Kabuhayan program graduates selling spaces in the malls.
  - Support for green jobs such as MRF traders for the recycling market and women in the solar energy industry.
  - 198 SM Job Fairs matched 6,391 employers with 118,360 applicants resulting in 15,530 Hired-on-the-Spot candidates.

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### Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure

- 89 integrated lifestyle malls located in accessible areas, are resource efficient and climate-resilient.
- An average of 3.8M daily mall goers have free Wi-Fi access.
- 35,148 cubic meter of rainwater processed into potable water in SM Baguio from November 2022 to date.

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### Reduced Inequalities

- Malls are PWD-friendly and PWD-accessible.
- Over 40,000 participated in the Angels Walk for Autism and over 8,000 in the Happy Walk for Down Syndrome.
- Over 70,000 books were collected and distributed by SM Cares' Book Nook to 88 partner institutions, benefiting an estimated 219,936 learners, families and educators

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### Sustainable Cities and Communities

- 30 malls have rainwater catchment basins for preventing flooding in communities.
- 50 Automated Weather Stations on mall rooftops for data collection and 5-day weather forecast.
- 2,795 PWDs and senior citizens participated in the Emergency Preparedness Forums.
- 148 EV chargers across 77 mall and non-mall sites.
- The SM Resilience Center serves as a command center during disasters

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### Responsible Consumption and Production

- Total of 1.4M kg of recyclables were exchanged at the monthly Trash to Cash Recycling Market.
- 5,887 kwh of electricity were saved across malls during the Earth Hour celebration.
- SM GUUN processed 4,444 Metric Ton of waste into fuel.

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### Climate Action

- 3,000 MSME tenant representatives attended the Business Continuity Planning (BCP) training.
- 133 employees completed the Incident Command System (ICS) course across 3 regions.
- Conduct of Real Resilience Talks and Fire Prevention and Safety Forum for employees, tenants and students.
- 82 malls are Business Continuity Management System (BCMS) ISO 22301 Certified.

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### Life Below Water

- Total of 210,000 kg of marine litter have been collected by over 48,800 volunteers in coastal cleanup activities organized by SM Supermalls.
- Adopt-an-Estero and various cleanup collaborations with national agencies.

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### Life on Land

- Tree planting activities in partnership with Local Government Units, Department of Environment and Natural Resources and Community Environment and Natural Resources Offices.
- Integration of sky gardens and green spaces in mall design

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### Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions

- 0 reported cases of bribery and discrimination.
- 13,453 participants at the Nationwide Orientation on the Safe Spaces Act.
- Multistakeholder disaster governance collaborations via ARISE Philippines and National Resilience Council.

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### Partnership for the Goals

- 186 ARISE Philippines network members for disaster resilience.
- National Resilience Council's Adopt-a-City partners with 1 province, 1 municipality and 11 cities.
- Memorandum of Agreement with Bureau of Fire Protection for fire safety, emergency preparedness and community resilience.

SM aligns its sustainability strategy with the UN SDGs to help build a resilient and inclusive future for the company, its stakeholders, and the Filipino people. Through active stakeholder engagement, SM integrates sustainability into its business practices, ensuring its initiatives drive long-term value and contribute to a more sustainable tomorrow.

# The Pillars: Environmental Sustainability and Disaster Resilience

## WATER CONSERVATION

From rainwater harvesting to efficient fixtures, SM Supermalls ensures every drop counts - preserving water resources for generations to come.



## WASTE MANAGEMENT

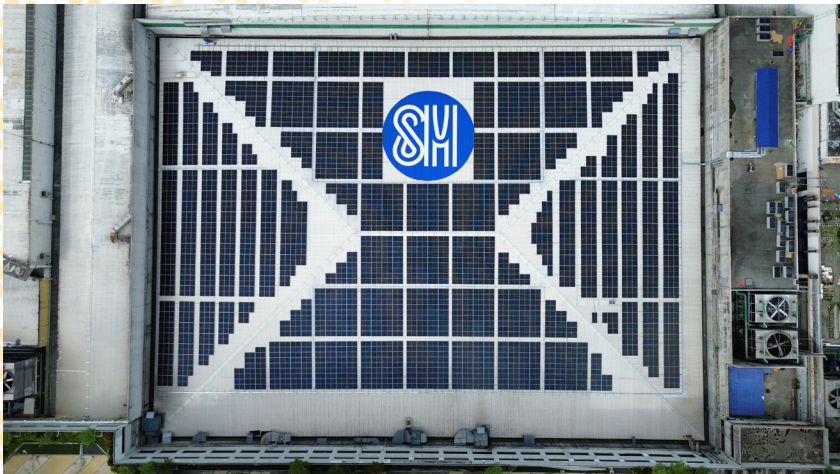
SM Supermalls champions responsible waste disposal through segregation, recycling, and partnerships with local communities - turning trash into opportunities for a cleaner, greener future.



Clear and well-labeled bins in the Recyclable, Disposable and Compostable scheme guide proper waste segregation at the source, making recycling and recovery more efficient from the start.

## ENERGY EFFICIENCY

By investing in LED lighting, smart systems, and energy-saving technologies, SM Supermalls reduces consumption while creating brighter, more sustainable spaces for everyone.





### AIR QUALITY

SM Supermalls promotes cleaner air through green spaces, proper ventilation, and eco-friendly practices - because healthy malls mean healthier communities.



### RESILIENCE

Resilience is the foundation of sustainable development. SM Supermalls builds disaster-ready infrastructure and mounts community programs to withstand challenges and safeguard lives.



# Waste Management Program

Building a cleaner, greener future - one step at a time. SM Supermalls champions sustainability through innovative waste management programs that make recycling easy and accessible for everyone.



## SM WASTE FREE FUTURE

**S**M Prime's SM Waste Free Future campaign is a unified waste-management initiative that promotes behavioral change by encouraging effective segregation into Recyclable, Disposable, and Compostable categories to reduce overall waste generation. It also aims to increase waste diversion by expanding recycling, composting, and other sustainable disposal methods across all SM properties and stakeholders.

**CARES**  
**Trash to Cash**

Don't throw it away - cash it in! Join our Trash to Cash Recycling Market every first Friday and Saturday of the month and make sustainability rewarding.

Bring your recyclables and get rewarded!

10AM to 2PM - All SM Supermalls  
Every first Friday & Saturday of the month

An SM Waste-Free Future Initiative

SM SUPERMALLS

### TRASH TO CASH RECYCLING MARKET

Turn your trash into treasure! SM Supermalls' Trash to Cash Recycling Market encourages shoppers to bring in recyclable materials like paper, plastic, and metal in exchange for cash. A simple way to reduce waste and earn while helping the planet.

**CARES**

**Plastic Waste Collection Program**

Bring your empty, clean, and dry plastic waste to our drop-off points and help reduce plastic pollution.

10AM to 5PM  
Available in select SM Supermalls

An SM Waste-Free Future Initiative

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### PLASTIC WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Every plastic counts! Through our Plastic Waste Collection Program, SM Supermalls provides 15 designated drop-off sites for plastic bottles, packaging and others - ensuring they are properly recycled and kept out of landfills.

From 2021, an estimated 70,00 kilograms of plastics have been processed across 15 SM sites.

AN AVERAGE TOTAL OF  
**1.5M KILOGRAMS**  
OF RECYCLABLES HAVE BEEN EXCHANGED EVERY YEAR FOR THIS FLAGSHIP WASTE PROGRAM.

**CARES**

**Electronic Waste Collection Program**

Drop off your old, broken, or unused gadgets at designated e-waste bins in SM Malls nationwide.

An SM Waste-Free Future Initiative

SM SUPERMALLS

PLDT Smart CYBERZONE

### E-WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Dispose hazardous waste responsibly! SM Supermalls' E-Waste Collection Program accepts small, old, and used gadgets, batteries, and electronics for safe recycling - preventing harmful chemicals from polluting our environment.

We have gathered close to 28,000 kilograms of waste from electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) since the program began.



# SM GUUN Environmental Company

**S**M Prime partnered with GUUN to convert non-recyclable waste into “waste into fuel”, aiming to reduce landfill impact by transforming hard-to-recycle materials into an alternative energy source. This initiative follows Japan’s proven waste-management best practices, where “waste into fuel” has helped control waste buildup and provide a second life for discarded materials. Ultimately, the partnership seeks to enhance systematic waste recovery and ensure waste is no longer wasted.





# Water Conservation

SM Supermalls is committed to preserving one of our most precious resources - water. Through advanced recycling and rainwater harvesting systems, we ensure sustainable water use across our malls.

Every drop counts. SM Supermalls leads the way in water conservation for a greener tomorrow.

APPROXIMATELY  
**6.6 MILLION**  
 CUBIC METERS OF WASTEWATER IS RECYCLED  
 ANNUALLY ACROSS THE MALLS.

## SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT WATER RECYCLING

Our Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs) recycle wastewater from mall operations, transforming it into clean, reusable water for non-potable purposes like sanitation, cooling systems and irrigation - reducing water consumption and protecting this finite resource.

## RAINWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

Harnessing nature's gift! SM City Baguio's Rainwater Treatment Facility collects and treats rainwater for reuse, minimizing dependence on freshwater sources and promoting eco-friendly practices. In addition, it helps reduce the flooding in streets.

In 2025, more than 19,000 cubic meters of rainwater has been processed by SM Baguio for mall operations and tenant kitchen use.





This sign highlights the use of recycled water to refresh our greenery, reaffirming SM Supermalls' dedication to environmental stewardship. Sustainable landscaping helps conserve water while maintaining vibrant outdoor spaces.

Recycled water is utilized in air conditioning cooling tower operations to improve efficiency while conserving fresh water. This practice underscores SM Supermalls' commitment to sustainable energy and water management.





# Energy Efficiency

SM Supermalls is committed to reducing energy consumption and carbon footprint through smart technologies, sustainable design, and efficient equipment - creating greener spaces for everyone.

Powering sustainability. SM Supermalls leads with energy-efficient solutions for a brighter future.



## SUSTAINABLE DESIGN & INFRASTRUCTURE

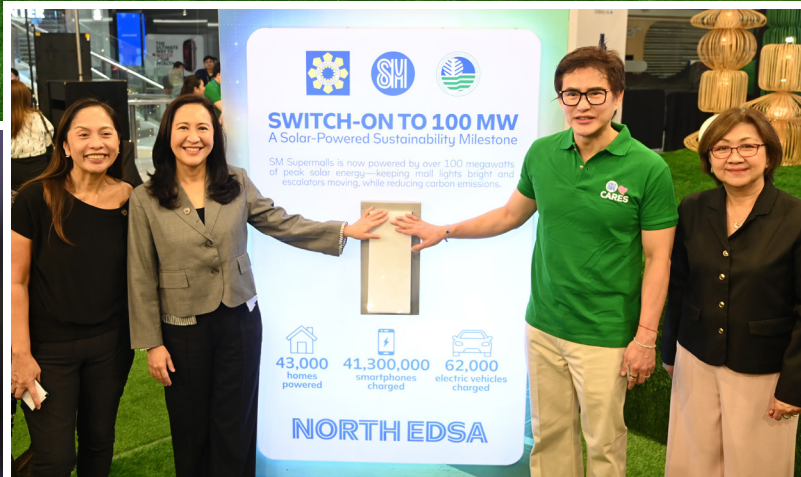
Nature meets innovation! SM Supermalls integrates sustainable design elements like SkyGardens, open arcades, and clerestory windows to maximize natural light and ventilation—reducing reliance on artificial cooling and lighting.

Designing with purpose. SM Supermalls brings sustainability to life through green architecture.



## EFFICIENT EQUIPMENT

Efficiency at every level! Our advanced Building Management Systems monitor and control energy use across mall operations - optimizing lighting, air conditioning, and equipment to ensure maximum efficiency and minimal resource waste.



## Switch On to 100MW: A Solar-Powered Milestone at SM North EDSA

**O**n December 10, SM Prime marked a major sustainability achievement with the Switch On to 100MW solar photovoltaic (PV) system milestone at SM North EDSA.

This initiative underscores SM's commitment to clean energy and its Net Zero 2040 goal, powering malls with renewable sources to reduce carbon emissions. The milestone celebrates the installation of 59 solar panels across SM properties nationwide, generating more than 100 megawatts of clean energy. With an estimated 200,000 solar panels over 65 hectares of rooftop, this solar project started in SM North EDSA in 2014 is now the largest rooftop installation in the Philippines.

By integrating solar power into operations, SM Prime continues to lead in energy efficiency and environmental stewardship - creating greener spaces for communities and setting the benchmark for sustainable retail development.



# Air Quality Initiative

SM Supermalls promotes cleaner air and healthier communities by integrating open spaces, green transport options, and eco-friendly facilities- making sustainability part of every visit.

Breathe easy. SM Supermalls is committed to cleaner air and greener choices.



## OPEN SPACES

Designed for wellness and sustainability, SM Supermalls' open spaces provide natural ventilation and greenery, improving air quality while creating relaxing environments for shoppers.

Fresh air, open spaces. Experience sustainability at SM Supermalls.



## BIKE FACILITIES

Encouraging eco-friendly mobility, SM Supermalls offers secure bike racks and convenient facilities for cyclists - reducing carbon emissions and promoting a healthier lifestyle.

Ride green, park safe. SM Supermalls supports biking for cleaner air.



## P2P TRANSPORT TERMINALS AND SUPPORT FOR GREEN TRANSPORT

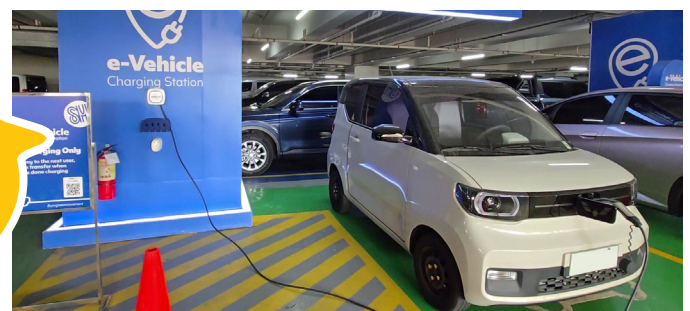
SM Supermalls partners with point-to-point (P2P) transport services and promotes green mobility options to reduce traffic congestion and air pollution - making commuting more sustainable.

Travel smart, breathe clean. Choose P2P and green transport at SM Supermalls.

## ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV) CHARGING STATIONS

Driving towards a cleaner future! SM Supermalls provides EV charging stations to support the shift to electric vehicles - helping reduce emissions and improve air quality.

Charge up for a greener tomorrow. EV stations, totaling 140 chargers now at 77 SM sites.



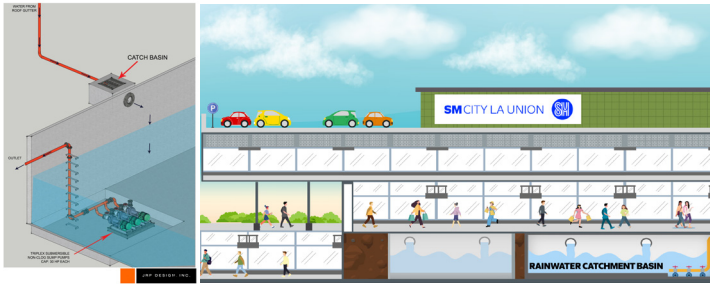
# Disaster Risk Resilience

Prepared for the unexpected. SM Supermalls integrates advanced systems and resilient infrastructure to ensure safety and continuity during natural disasters - protecting communities and businesses. Resilience you can rely on. SM Supermalls is built to keep you safe, rain or shine.

## RAINWATER CATCHMENT BASINS

SM Supermalls' rainwater catchment basins (RCB) help manage stormwater during heavy rains, reducing flood risks and in the future, will support sustainable water management.

Managing floods, protecting communities.



RAINWATER CATCHMENT BASINS UNDERNEATH 30 SM SUPERMALLS HAVE A TOTAL CAPACITY OF CLOSE TO **86,000 CUBIC METERS**, EQUIVALENT TO 34 OLYMPIC-SIZE SWIMMING POOLS.



## EARLY WARNING SYSTEMS: AUTOMATED WEATHER STATIONS (AWS) & EARTHQUAKE RECORDING INSTRUMENTS (ERI)

SM Supermalls deploys automated weather stations and earthquake recording instruments to monitor conditions in real time - providing early warnings and enabling quick response during emergencies.

## 48 AWS

ON TOP OF SM PROPERTIES COLLECT CLIMATE DATA AND PROVIDE A 5-DAY LOCALIZED FORECAST.

Stay informed, stay safe. SM Supermalls uses advanced systems for disaster readiness.



## SM MALL OF ASIA & SM MARIKINA: BUILT ABOVE CODE

Safety first! SM Mall of Asia and SM Marikina are designed and constructed above building code standards to withstand extreme weather and seismic events - ensuring resilience in high-risk areas.

Built stronger, built smarter. SM Supermalls exceeds standards for your safety.



## SM BCP (BUSINESS CONTINUITY PROGRAM)

Through the SM Business Continuity Program, we ensure mall operations and essential services remain available during and after disasters - prioritizing safety and recovery for tenants and shoppers. Continuity in crisis. SM Supermalls keeps businesses and communities moving forward.





# SM Cares: Championing Community Empowerment

**S**M Cares, the Corporate Social Responsibility arm of SM Supermalls, drives positive change through nine advocacies, including strong support for the environment. Its programs empower communities to care for the planet by making sustainability accessible and actionable. In support of waste management and water quality, SM Cares leads coastal and estero clean-ups nationwide, mobilizing employees, partners, and volunteers to restore coastlines, waterways and protect marine life. These efforts not only reduce pollution but also inspire collective responsibility for environmental preservation.

SM Cares strengthens community resilience as part of SM’s broader advocacy on disaster risk reduction by conducting Emergency Preparedness Forums for vulnerable groups. These forums equip senior citizens and persons with disabilities with practical, life-saving skills to help them confidently respond to disasters and emergencies.

SM Cares supports other key pillars of environmental sustainability—such as promoting better air quality—through initiatives like its Bike-Friendly SM Malls, which encourage low-carbon mobility. By celebrating key environmental



occasions such as Earth Hour and Earth Day, SM Cares helps raise public awareness on the importance of protecting the planet. Through nationwide mall activities, educational campaigns, and youth-focused engagements, SM Cares inspires communities—especially young people—to take part in collective actions that support a more sustainable future.

Through impactful, customer-facing programs, SM Cares fosters a culture of sustainability - creating cleaner, safer communities and a healthier planet for future generations. ■





## SM Prime's First Sustainability Expo: Innovation for Environmental Stewardship

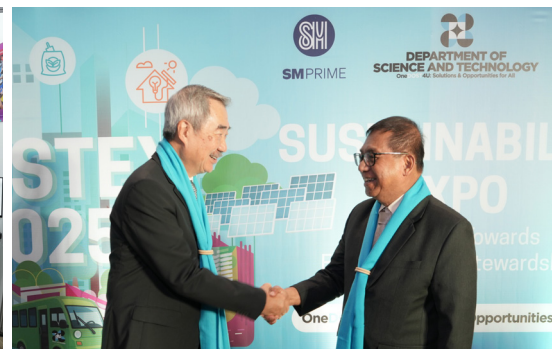
**S**M Prime, in collaboration with the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), hosted its inaugural Sustainability Expo (SUSTEX) on August 29 and 30, 2025 at the SMX Convention Center at SM Aura, gathering over 40 partners for forums and showcasing cutting-edge solutions to today's ecological challenges.

The event highlighted SM's commitment to its Net Zero 2040 goal, reinforcing efforts to reduce carbon emissions and promote circularity. Spearheaded by the SM Supermalls Corporate Compliance and Sustainability Department, the SUSTEX was designed to showcase innovative solutions and strengthen multi-sector collaboration toward a more sustainable Philippines. The event aimed to promote education, awareness, and action on sustainability through its Ignite Stage—featuring notable partners such as government agencies, academic institutions, and green technology innovators—and its Marketplace, which highlighted eco-friendly



enterprises, social enterprises, and organizations championing circularity, climate action, and community resilience.

Through this expo, SM Prime strengthens its role as a sustainability leader, fostering collaboration and innovation for a greener, more resilient future. ■





# Notable Partnerships in Sustainability

In 2025, SM continued to advance its sustainability agenda through strong collaborations with national government agencies and local government units. These partnerships drive impactful programs on waste reduction, water conservation, and climate resilience.

SM Supermalls maintains strong partnerships with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), working together on nationwide environmental programs that champion conservation and responsible stewardship. Through initiatives such as tree-planting activities, coastal and community clean-ups, solid waste management education, and biodiversity protection campaigns, SM Supermalls and DENR engage tenants, customers, and local communities in collective efforts to protect natural resources and promote a cleaner, healthier environment for all.

SM Supermalls collaborates closely with the Department of Energy (DOE) through the launch of solar photovoltaic systems on mall rooftops, supporting the country's shift toward cleaner and more efficient energy sources. Through joint initiatives such as the You Have the Power roadshows, SM Supermalls and the DOE empower communities to adopt energy-saving practices and embrace renewable energy solutions.

With DOST, SM champions innovation in finding solutions to environmental concerns, while joint efforts with DENR support environmental protection and community engagement. By working closely with LGUs, SM ensures localized implementation of green initiatives - reinforcing its commitment to a cleaner, greener Philippines and its long-term Net Zero 2040 goal. ■



# Notable Partnerships in Community Resilience



**S**M strengthens its commitment to community well-being through strategic collaborations with national agencies and local government units, including the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), and the Philippine Red Cross. These partnerships enable programs that promote business continuity, fire safety, and disaster preparedness across SM malls nationwide.

With DTI, SM supports the business continuity of MSMEs and sustainable trade; with BFP, it advances fire prevention and emergency response; and with Red Cross, it leads life-saving initiatives through basic life-saving skills.

SM Supermalls, through SM Prime's active engagement in the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction's ARISE Philippines network and its collaboration with the National Resilience Council (NRC), continues to drive broad private- and public-sector partnerships that enhance the country's overall resilience. By working closely with businesses, academic institutions, NGOs, and local government units (LGUs), SM helps advance risk-informed decision-making, business continuity adoption, and capacity-building efforts—contributing to stronger private sector preparedness and more resilient, future-ready communities nationwide. ■



# SM PRIME HOLDINGS INC. (MALL OF ASIA)



**S**M Prime and SM Supermalls earned many prestigious accolades for their environmental stewardship and ESG excellence this year. Among these, SM Prime received the Sustainable Asia Award and Best Environmental Responsibility at the 15th Asian Excellence Awards, affirming its commitment to green building, energy efficiency, and climate resilience. SM Supermalls was honored at the International Business Awards for its sustainability-driven programs, including waste reduction and renewable energy initiatives. These recognitions underscore SM's dedication to advancing circular economy practices, and creating greener communities - cementing its role as a leader in sustainability across Asia. ■



# Awards & Accolades



## SILVER

Excellence in Public Sector / Non-Profit Marketing

SM Supermalls

Brand : SM Cares  
 Campaign : SM Cares Coastal Cleanup 2024



**S**M Supermalls' commitment to environmental sustainability has been recognized through numerous local and international awards, affirming its leadership in energy efficiency, waste management and water conservation. These are only some of the accolades that reflect the company's continued efforts to create greener, more sustainable spaces for communities across the Philippines.

## 2025

Department of Environment and Natural Resources - NCR

Gawad Taga-Ilog recognition - SM Prime Holdings

Plaque of Recognition at the Green Legacy Awards - SM Prime Holdings

Plaque of Appreciation for Adopt-an-Estero Program - SM Estates

Department of Environment and Natural Resources - EMB (Environmental Management Bureau)

Recognition for Environmental Sustainability - SM Prime Holdings, Inc.

Department of Environment and Natural Resources - Region 4A

Plaque of Recognition for SM GUUN at the "Ending Plastic Global Plastic Pollution" Event

Laguna Lake Development Authority (LLDA)

Bantayog ng Lawa Para sa Kalikasan Award - SM Prime Holdings, Inc. (SM Mall of Asia)

Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency Excellence Awards

Certificate of Excellence in Energy Management for Industries and Building Category

SM City Olongapo Central

SM City Daet

SM City Davao

SM Center Pulilan

International Business Awards - Silver Award - SM Cares' Coastal Cleanup for Sustainability

Initiative of the Year in Asia, Australia and New Zealand

International Business Awards - Silver Award - Building a Greener Philippines under

Sustainability Leadership in Asia, Australia and New Zealand

Asia-Pacific Stevie Awards - Silver Award - SM Cares' Energy Efficiency Journey

APAC Tambuli - Silver Award - Greener Every Step: SM Supermalls' Sustainability

Breakthroughs under Leaders for Sustainability and Corporate Purpose: Care for the Environment

APAC Tambuli - Silver Award - SM Cares' A Mall for All under Leaders for Sustainability and Corporate Purpose:

Inclusive Growth

Marketing Excellence Awards - Silver Award - Coastal Cleanup under Excellence in Public Sector/Non-Profit

Marketing

Asia Corporate Excellence and Sustainability (ACES) - Top Sustainability Advocates in Asia

People Management Association of the Philippines (PMAP) NCR Exemplar for People Program of the Year -

Sustainability Moves

Employers Confederation of the Philippines (ECOP) Kapatiran sa Industriya (Kapatid) Awards special citation for Business Continuity and Sustainability



# Rally for Sustainability and Resilience

**A**s a responsible mall operator, SM Supermalls recognizes its vital role in shaping communities and protecting the environment. Our commitment goes beyond business - it is about creating spaces that care for people and the planet. We call on all leaders and employees to uphold and strengthen our position as a sustainability and resilience leader. Every initiative, from energy efficiency to disaster preparedness, reflects our shared responsibility to future generations. Let us champion innovation, collaboration, and action to achieve our Net Zero 2040 goal and build malls that inspire trust and sustainability. Together, we can make every SM mall a beacon of environmental stewardship and community resilience. The challenge is clear - the time to act is now.



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