



Environmental and Sustainability policy

"The greatest danger to our planet is the belief that someone else will save it." (Robert Swan)



Our Environmental Statement

At MICAMPA Wien Wienerwald Campground, sustainability and resource conservation are not just empty words, but an important part of our daily work. As a campground operated by Verkehrsbüro Hotellerie and a member of VERKEHRSBÜRO HOSPITALITY, we are part of a large-scale, operational environmental management system. Through a variety of measures and targeted initiatives across all areas of our campground, we are making a significant contribution to its implementation.

To demonstrate our commitment, we are striving to renew our certification with the Austrian Ecolabel for tourism businesses. This means that we not only adhere to existing measures but also regularly review them and continuously set new goals. The following topics are important to us:

1) Management & Communication

We involve all our employees, suppliers, and visitors in the implementation of our environmental policy:

- We communicate our measures and goals in writing, and our internal environmental team strictly monitors their implementation. We raise awareness through ongoing training.
- Environmentally friendly procurement through the conscious selection of our suppliers, in close collaboration with our corporate purchasing department, thereby simultaneously involving our partners in our daily efforts to preserve a healthy environment.
- We regularly review energy, water, and chemical consumption figures as a basis for ongoing optimization.
- We take environmental considerations and sustainability into account in new investment projects.
- We take social responsibility seriously. For example, our employees have the option to eat lunch at the campground. In addition, we offer a comprehensive range of training programs, measures to support work-life balance, and free on-site medical consultations as needed. We enable our employees to get involved in charitable initiatives and support tourism training centers through joint projects.

- We do not provide promotional gifts – unless they are demonstrably sustainable.
- Out of consideration for the health of our visitors and employees, we operate our campground as a smoke-free facility.

2) Resource Conservation

Resource conservation is a central theme of our environmental policy, as many of our raw materials are not infinitely available:

- We make sure to save paper and reduce daily waste by
 - largely avoiding printed materials. This way, our guests can find all important information in the digital guest folder.
 - gradually transitioning to paperless office solutions in all possible areas.
 - using reusable containers wherever possible (food, beverages).
 - Providing waste sorting systems in the public areas of the campground.
- We use water-saving measures to keep the water flow rate as low as possible in our showers, bathtubs, faucets, and toilets.
- Use of energy-saving LED lighting in all areas.
- We regularly clean and maintain our equipment at the campground. Dusty cooling fins on heaters or porous, cracked seals on the minibar lead to high energy consumption. By cleaning and regularly maintaining the equipment, we can counteract these energy guzzlers. When making new purchases, we specifically look for particularly energy-efficient appliances.
- Active involvement of employees and guests in waste separation and the reuse of valuable raw materials.
- In our F&B outlets, we constantly strive to determine the optimal quantity of freshly prepared food and beverages in advance by preparing precise F&B calculations, thereby minimizing food waste.

3) Environmentally conscious use of cleaning products & materials

- We have switched a large portion of our cleaning products to an eco-certified ECO line. To avoid waste, we purchase these in bulk containers or refillable bottles.
- We avoid the use of single-use hygiene products whenever possible.
- Both our bed linens and our pillows and blankets are made from certified organic materials and tested for harmful substances.
- Our laundry supplier demonstrates its commitment to the environment with an environmental management system certification according to the international standard ISO 14001.

4) Improving quality through high-quality food

- To minimize waste, we avoid single-serving food packages whenever possible and based on current conditions, and use reusable containers.
- When selecting food, we prioritize regional sources. This allows us to avoid long transport routes and offer seasonal products.
- When purchasing food, we prioritize a higher proportion of organic products and strive to continually expand our focus on regional products.
- All our meals are freshly prepared, and we naturally avoid the use of imitation foods.
- Our food waste is properly collected by organic waste disposal services.

5) Eco-Friendly Mobility

- The campground has excellent public transportation connections, and we reward our guests for making a verifiably eco-friendly journey.
- A bus stop is located right next to the campground and offers convenient service to the city center.
- This bus also takes our guests directly to the Hütteldorf train station, making it easy to arrive and depart by train.

6) A look to the future

We continuously review, evaluate, and improve the measures mentioned and document them in an action plan. Together with all employees, visitors, partners, and suppliers, we contribute to a better future.

If you have any further ideas – we'd love to hear them! We wish you a pleasant stay at our campground that will remain a lasting memory.

Your MICAMPA Vienna Wienerwald Campground



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