A PRACTICAL APPROACH TO GREEN BUILDING

The Green Globes delivers value in sustainability through responsiveness and innovation. This rating system is used for the third party certification of building design, construction, renovation and operation of high-performance, interiors, buildings and facilities and major renovations.

The Green Globes New Construction (NC) program is a user-friendly web application that aids architects, engineers, construction professionals, and owners in evaluating, quantifying, and improving the sustainability of new building projects as well as major renovations. Using this tool helps project teams to focus on sustainability, gives them options when considering environmental improvements during the design and delivery process, and allows them to evaluate and rate the benefits of different sustainable design scenarios.

Green Globes NC rating system provides early feedback on the process before important decisions are made. This is a proven method for taking advantage of time and cost savings opportunities through integrated design and delivery, while benefiting from a cost-effective third-party assessment process.
ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT AREAS:

**Project Management**: Integrated Design Process, Setting Performance Goals, Environmental Management, Building Commissioning

**Energy**: Conservation, Demand Reduction, Metering, Measurement and Verification, Building Envelope, Lighting, HVAC Systems and Controls, Renewable Energy, Energy Efficient Transportation


**Materials & Resources**: Building Assembly, Interior Fit-outs, Materials Re-use, Waste Reduction, Building Service Life Plan, Resource Conservation

**Emissions**: Equipment, Heating, Ozone-depleting Refrigerant, Global Warming Issues

**Indoor Environment**: Ventilation, Source Control and Measurement, Lighting Design and Systems, Thermal Comfort, Acoustic Comfort

**Site**: Ecological Impacts, Stormwater Management, Landscaping, Exterior Light Pollution

RATING AND CERTIFICATION PROCESS

**GREEN GLOBES FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION**

START

- **Online Survey**
- **3rd Party Design Review**
- **Finish Survey**
- **3rd Party On-Site Assessment**
- **Post Assessment**

CERTIFICATION & RECOGNITION

**STEPS TO GREEN GLOBES CERTIFICATION:**

1. Purchase and complete Green Globes self-evaluation.
2. Request a quote and register a project.
3. Work with a Green Globes Assessor to complete third-party assessments.
4. Receive a final report containing your Green Globes score and rating.
5. Order your Green Globes certificate and optional plaque.