

# NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE ALEXANDRIA ECO-FRIENDLY RESTAURANT

What makes an “eco-friendly” restaurant? Lots of things! From where they get their food, the energy used to make your entrée, the air quality, to the finishes in the restaurant or pub. Find out more on how you can tell, or what may constitute an “eco-friendly” establishment!

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Eco-Cities strive to engage all citizens in collaborative and transparent decision making, while being mindful of social equity concerns.



## What Are Some Items That Make a Restaurant Eco-Friendly?

This is just a small SAMPLING of items to consider.

- ✓ Do they serve organic food?
- ✓ Do they have a variety of vegetarian options?
- ✓ Do they have outdoor seating?
- ✓ Do they turn off the lights at night?
- ✓ Do they provide spaces for bike parking?
- ✓ Can you use your reusable container?
- ✓ Do they recycle?
- ✓ Do they use local meat suppliers?
- ✓ Do they use local vegetable suppliers?
- ✓ Do they have reusable or compostable utensils?
- ✓ Do they use ecologically safe cleaning products?
- ✓ Do they use fluorescent lighting?

Describe something else that makes your choice an Eco-Friendly Restaurant:


The restaurant may also be doing other environmentally responsible activities behind the scenes. You can inquire to the restaurant manager or server!

Name of Restaurant: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Drop off at the participating restaurant where you received this OR at  
Alexandria City Hall (301 King Street) at Citizens Assistance.

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