

TTI ISO 14001 Environmental Programs Overview

There is a growing awareness about the condition of our world and the fact that it really isn't the self-cleaning planet we humans hoped it would be. Now major initiatives are required by everyone to limit our footprint on ecosystems that we are increasingly discovering to be much more fragile than was once thought. The electronics industry is at the forefront of this effort and TTI is doing our part to lessen the impact our operations have on the environment. A major component of our initiative is certification under ISO 14001 – an international standard for processes and procedures that guide various aspects of the TTI environmental program. This standard covers TTI headquarters and warehouse operations and serves as guidance for our locations and sales offices around the world.

ISO 14001

In 2014, TTI met the registration requirements of ISO 14001 as a part of our corporate commitment to ongoing management and improvement of our environmental programs and processes. This included a top-to-bottom review of how we do business and the manner in which we use resources, the byproducts we create, and how we dispose of waste. This review, which is continually ongoing as part of our environmental policy, allows TTI to identify the major areas where we target emphasis for the most effective return on our efforts.

Current information is available on our website – ttiinc.com or by contacting the TTI quality department at 1.800.CALL.TTI.

Focused on Results

As TTI is a distributor and not a manufacturer, we have a limited waste stream. In fact, it's primarily cardboard used for the packing and shipping of our products. That became our first priority, as we sought out the areas where, as an entity with people working around the globe we could do the most good. To do that we've identified more efficiently consuming power, and reducing our water usage as areas with the most opportunity to help the environment.



Recycling

TTI recycles all waste paper material including routine office paper waste as well as the tons of cardboard shipping materials processed through our shipping and receiving areas. Through these processes, we prevent tons of cardboard from going into landfills every year.

Electricity Reduction

One of TTI's largest areas targeted for reduction is electrical usage. With hundreds of employees and hundreds of thousands of square feet of warehouse space to light, heat and cool, it's a challenging balance between a comfortable working environment, productivity and environmental impact. We've installed high-efficiency lighting fixtures and motion sensors to trigger them only when necessary. To improve the efficiency of heating and cooling, new high-efficiency chillers and air handlers replaced old units and air curtains were installed at warehouse dock doors to reduce exterior air infiltration.

Saving Water

Water conservation is a part of life at TTI – low-flow toilets and fixtures, and motion-operated automatic shut-off facets are now installed in all TTI restrooms. Outside, our landscaping is irrigated via a drip system, which has replaced the traditional style sprinkler system.



Environmental Policy (per CP 48)

TTI is committed to environmental stewardship pursuing program and initiatives designed to protect and improve our environment. We believe that this stewardship as a responsible corporate citizen contributes to the achievement of our mission to provide a home for hard working, dedicated, knowledgeable, ethical people who believe completely in this company and this philosophy.

Our guiding principles:

- Reduce and minimize energy and water consumption and prevention of pollution through continual improvement of our environmental management system using recycled materials and earth-friendly substances whenever practical. Lessen our impact through reuse, recycling and reduction.
- Determine the significant environmental aspects over which the organization has control. Set and review applicable environmental objectives and targets through periodic meetings.
- Comply with relevant environmental legislation and regulations and with other requirements to which the organization subscribes including ISO 14001.





