


# SUSTAINABILITY ASSESSMENT CANVAS

CATEGORIES	ASSESSMENT LEVELS	WHERE IS YOUR PROJECT? <span style="color: green;">●</span> <span style="color: orange;">●</span> <span style="color: red;">●</span>	NEEDS/CHALLENGES 
<b>Environmental and Land Use Impact</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Consideration of future environmental/land use impacts well underway.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Starting to plan for these impacts.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> Not yet considering or need help understanding the potential impact.</p>		
<b>Resource Efficiency</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Have plans for optimizing energy, materials, and water use.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Starting to consider these issues.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> Haven't yet thought about resource efficiency, or unsure where to start.</p>		
<b>Circularity and Waste Reduction</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Clear strategies in place for minimizing waste and promoting circularity.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Beginning to explore these options.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> Not yet considering waste reduction or lifecycle planning.</p>		
<b>Community Engagement</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Engaged with or planning to engage with communities as the project develops.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Recognize the need but haven't yet started.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> No plans or need help understanding community engagement.</p>		
<b>Public Awareness and Education</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Have a plan to raise public awareness as the project progresses.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Starting to consider how to inform the public.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> No plans or need guidance on public awareness.</p>		
<b>Regulatory and Policy Planning</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Actively considering future regulatory requirements and policies.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Early-stage thinking but need to learn more.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> Haven't considered regulatory requirements yet.</p>		
<b>Equity, Inclusion, and Job Creation</b>	<p><b>Green:</b> Have a plan for addressing job creation, supply chains, and equity issues.</p> <p><b>Orange:</b> Beginning to consider these issues.</p> <p><b>Red:</b> No plans or need help understanding how these apply.</p>		