

## **Sustainable Purchasing at CU** <sup>[1]</sup>



**Buy and  
Dispose**

We are working to further incorporate sustainable best practices into how we support and guide purchases

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This committee brings together sustainability leaders from the CU full system to discuss sustainability collaboration opportunities.

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goods and services that have economic,

social, and environmental impacts. Sustainable procurement is the adoption and integration of sustainability principles into procurement processes and decisions, while also ensuring they meet the requirements of the University and its stakeholders.

The ultimate goal we are always striving for as the PSC is that purchased goods and services generate benefits, not only for the organization, but also for the environment, society, and the economy.

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For questions about CU's sustainable purchasing program, contact the Sustainability Strategic Sourcing Specialist, Sustainability, [Hunter Mangrum](#) [4].

To learn more campus specific sustainability information, visit their webpage:

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