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## Hampton Inn South Harrisonburg, Virginia

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Hampton Inn South is a non-smoking hotel with 90 guest rooms and 5 floors. If you're looking for a comfortable hotel in Harrisonburg, you've come to the right place. Our hotel offers a convenient home base as you explore the best our city has to offer. Enjoy the outdoors and see breathtaking views on the Skyline Drive in the Shenandoah Parkway, canoeing on the Shenandoah River or spend an afternoon taking in history at the New Market Battlefield Museum or the Frontier Culture Museum.

The hotel is conveniently located near JMU, EMU, and Bridgewater College, and we are near numerous caverns including Luray Caverns, the Skyline Drive, and historical attractions. It's all here, just moments from our Harrisonburg hotel. The hotel has an indoor pool, business center, high speed internet, guest laundry, a fitness center, and complimentary breakfast.

**GREEN ACTIVITIES** The Hampton Inn Harrisonburg South is dedicated to the "Go Green" initiative.

**Optional Linen Service.** Virginia Green Lodging facilities must have some sort of system in place that allows guests to not have their sheets and towels changed every day. This facility pledges that they:

- Have signage in each guest room explaining the linen reuse procedures
- Change linens only upon request
- Train house cleaners on process for optional linen service
- Purchase water and energy efficient washers and dryers
- Use non-phosphate, non-toxic and biodegradable laundry detergents
- Minimize use of bleach and chlorinated chemicals

**Recycling and Waste Reduction.** Virginia Green Lodging facilities must recycle and are highly encouraged to maintain a comprehensive recycling program. This facility pledges that they:

- Provide the opportunity for guests to recycle: plastic bottles, newspaper, office paper
- Have recycling bins located: in the lobby
- Also recycle office paper, toner cartridges, cardboard

Guest rooms

- Instruct housekeeping to save and reuse unopened items

Kitchen (or meetings/events)

- Have an effective food inventory control to minimize waste

Dining room (or meetings/events)

- Use water pitchers to minimize the use of single-use bottles

Restrooms

- Use bulk soap dispensers in public restrooms
- Purchase recycled-content paper towels and toilet paper

#### Office

- Remove facility and staff names from junk mail lists when possible
- Reuse scrap paper for notes
- Reuse or donate shipping and packing supplies (peanuts, bubble wrap, etc.)
- Make double-sided photocopies and avoid making extra photocopies
- Use electronic correspondence and forms when possible

#### Building and grounds

- Perform preventative maintenance on all appliances, HVAC systems, plumbing, and vehicles



**Water Conservation.** The facility must have a plan for conserving water that should consider plumbing modifications and landscaping. This facility pledges that they:

- Track overall water usage and wastewater

#### Activities indoors

- Perform preventative maintenance to stop drips and leaks
- Have installed:
  - Low flow faucets and showerheads (use less than 2.5 gallons per minute)
  - Low flow toilets (use 1.6 gallons per flush or less)



**Energy Conservation.** The facility must have a plan in place that encourages replacement of lighting and equipment to energy-efficient alternatives. This facility pledges that they:

- Track overall energy bills

#### Heating and cooling

- Have individual thermostats for each room/area
- Have installed ceiling fans
- Regularly perform preventative maintenance on HVAC system

#### Lighting

- Have adopted a policy/practice to turn off lights in unoccupied rooms
- Have installed high efficiency fluorescent ballasts and lamps (T5s and T8s)
- Have installed LED Exit Signs

#### Appliances and electronic devices

- Use ENERGY STAR qualified appliances (commercial kitchens, heating and cooling, consumer electronics)

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For more information on **Hampton Inn South**, see [www.harrisonburgsouth.hamptoninn.com](http://www.harrisonburgsouth.hamptoninn.com) or contact Jennifer Estep at [Jennifer.estep@hilton.com](mailto:Jennifer.estep@hilton.com) or (540) 437-0090.

**Virginia Green** is the Commonwealth of Virginia's campaign to promote environmentally-friendly practices in all aspects of Virginia's tourism industry. *Virginia Green* is supported through a partnership between the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, the Virginia Hospitality & Travel Association, and the Virginia Tourism Corporation. The program has established "core activities" specific to each sector of tourism; these practices are the minimum requirements for participation in the program, but encourages participants to reduce their environmental impacts in all aspects of their operations.

For more information on **Virginia Green** program, see [www.deq.virginia.gov/p2/viriniagreen](http://www.deq.virginia.gov/p2/viriniagreen) or [www.viriniagreentravel.org](http://www.viriniagreentravel.org).

