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Virginia's Sustainable Future

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Virginia Sustainable
Building Network

VSBN is the ONLY statewide organization to provide information, technical assistance, education, and networking about Green Building and Sustainable Development.

VSBN was incorporated as a non-profit (501-c-3) organization in 1995 by a diverse group of individuals, who represent housing, banking, utility, construction, government, and environmental interests. The VSBN leadership is committed to developing an organization that changes the way homes, commercial and public buildings, and communities are designed and built.

VSBN promotes Green Building and Sustainable Development. Green Buildings are structures that are cost-effectively designed, built, and operated in a manner that achieves the greatest possible energy efficiency and use of renewable energy, occupant health, resource efficiency, and environmental compatibility.

Green Buildings are important elements of Sustainable Communities. They promote the use of locally produced, renewable products; environmentally sound development and construction practices; and energy- and resource-efficient systems. These practices help create communities that provide continued quality of life and economic vitality for this generation without depriving future generations of necessary resources for their well-being.

Every sector of the community - citizens, designers and builders, local and state governments, and businesses - **can contribute to our sustainable future** by adopting Green Building and Sustainable Development practices.

VSBN Initiatives



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Commonwealth of Virginia Energy and Sustainability Conference (COVES 2010)

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- Membership and tax deductible contributions,
- Sponsorship of events,
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Promoting environmentally sound building practices and sustainable development for Virginia

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