

## 2025 SUSTAINABILITY HIGHLIGHTS



# OUR RECYCLED WASTE HAS...



**39,900** Trees



Kept
7,745
Cubic Yards
of Landfill Clean



Saved 16,429,787 Gallons of Water



Saved 9,623,161 Kilowatts of Electricity



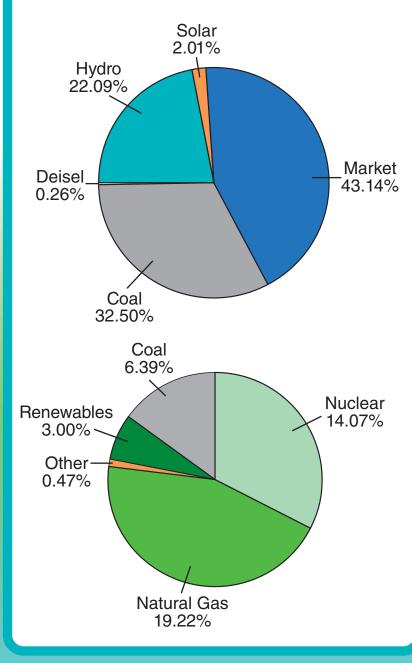
Prevented 140,926 Pounds of Air Pollutants

#### **FUEL TYPES**

(prior to REC transactions)

#### = 24.1% renewable

This is the sustainability report from our utilities provider AMP which shows how Shelby, Ohio was fueled by 24.1% renewable energy in 2024.



#### **FSC CERTIFIED**

Carton Service provides FSC® certified products (FSC-C182277)



The mark of responsible forestry

We routinely work with customers to meet their own sustainability targets by:

- Redesigning packaging to reduce material waste
- Encouraging the increased use of recycled content
- Encouraging the use of FSC® certified materials

#### **RATINGS**





### **MEMBERSHIPS**

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# — REDUCTION OF — CARBON FOOTPRINT

By 2030, Carton Service intends to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions by 42%, in line with the goals of the Paris Climate Agree-



ment using science-based targets in line with the 1.5 degree scenario.



Progress has been made from our base year of 2021. 2024 electric use is down 3.17% from our base year and down 3.4%

from 2023. All 2024 energy is down -6.32% from our base year and down -6.3% from 2023.\*

Our energy use does vary with our production mix, but we are on track with a reduction in our Green House Gas Emissions from 2023 of -8%.



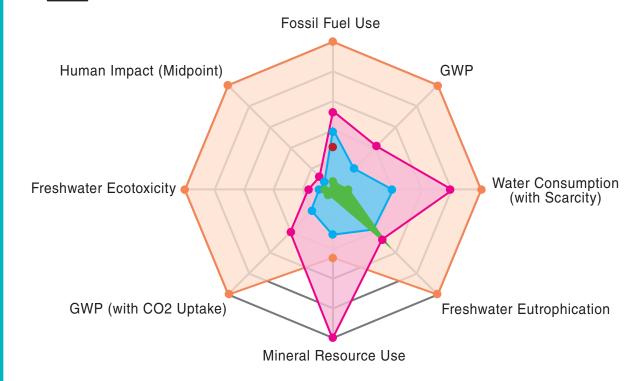
\*Our 2024 Scope 1 and 2 emissions were verified with Keramida, a WBE-Certified leading provider of sustainability & ESG, climate/GHG, environmental, health & safety consulting and engineering services.



### CARBON FOOTPRINT PAPERBOARD VS OTHER PACKAGING

**Environmental LCA Show Significantly Smaller Impact of Paper** 





For this carbon footprint analysis, Carton Service CSI, LLC used the LCA tool, EcoImpact COMPASS data version 2024.1 from Trayak to measure the environmental impacts of various packaging materials. This analysis provides a cradle to grave approach of paper versus plastic, aluminum and glass.

#### **PATENTS**

- Seven US Design & Utility Patents
- Three Canadian Design Patents
- Three Mexican Design Patents

Each patent relates to more sustainable packaging choices. More patents coming in the near future!

### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Carton Service cares about the communities in which our associates live and play. Recent investments include the plaza at Black Fork Commons in Shelby, Ohio and the Whippet Athletic Complex, also in Shelby, Ohio.





