At AECOM, our mission is to build a better world by making a positive and lasting impact on society and the environment. Sustainability is at the core of our business and drives our innovation.

## **Delivering Smarter Solutions**

We bring together wide-ranging talent — urban planners, designers, architects, engineers, ecologists and biologists — to connect, collaborate and unlock the smartest, most sustainable solutions to complex infrastructure challenges. We tap the best minds, leverage cutting-edge technology and design the newest approaches.

Together with our clients, we work to advance economic opportunity, protect our environment and improve people's lives through:

- Storm protection systems that safeguard valuable waterfront from future flooding and rising sea levels while attracting economic development;
- Green building systems that change the way major sports arenas are constructed; and
- Antarctica's first fully relocatable research station that serves as a living and work space for scientists, while leaving nothing behind except clean water.

## **Strengthening Our Cities**

We're working on multiple efforts to sustain healthier and stronger urban centers:

- Partnering with Rockefeller Foundation's 100 Resilient Cities program, we have advised eight of the first 32 cities on their comprehensive resiliency strategy, supporting more than 18 million people;
- Collaborating with IBM and the United Nations Disaster Relief Organization, we have developed the Disaster Resilience Scorecard, which has been used in more than 50 cities to strengthen ties between communities affected by natural disasters and public and private stakeholders who can contribute to disaster risk reduction; and
- Working with CDP, we have helped more than 150 cities globally increase their resilience to significant changes in climatic, social and economic conditions.

## **Improving Our Operations**

With operations in hundreds of communities across the world, AECOM embraces its responsibility of global environmental stewardship and focuses on improving practices in internal operations and in client projects to reduce energy and waste. We established baseline sustainability metrics in FY2015 and will measure future improvements against this baseline. Also, we have set up a global data management system that allows us to better collect, track, analyze and share our sustainability performance. Our early results show we're on the right track, with our regional operations delivering 12 to 19 percent reductions in electricity and paper use and more than 30 percent reductions in flight mileage and fleet fuel use.

Through our collaborative, innovative and integrated approach to our clients, our partnerships and our operations, AECOM is built to deliver a better world.



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## **SOLUTIONS AT WORK**

Halley VI is the first fully relocatable research station in the world. AECOM designed the sustainable station, which houses workspace and accommodations for the Antarctic science team. Because it's located on a floating ice shelf, movability is critical. Steel skis and hydraulic legs enable the station to "climb" out of the snow and be towed to a safer location. Halley's design was developed to minimize environmental impact, using 7 percent less fuel than previous stations. A drainage system reduces water usage daily, while sewage is treated in a bioreactor before incineration. When it moves, nothing is left except clean water.