

2018



# Sustainability Report



We at Amsterdam Manor Beach Resort recognizes the significant role we play in sustaining the natural beauty of Aruba for the present and future of our community and guests.

We are committed in our efforts to achieve the best practice in environmental and social sustainability and has partnered with EarthCheck and Travelife, the world's leading benchmarking and certification providers.

Amsterdam Manor Beach Resort is 18 years EarthCheck Master status certified and 6 years Travelife Gold certified.

## **Commitment:**

We continuously perform, monitor and record performance based on EarthCheck's 10 Key Performance Areas:

1. Greenhouse Gas Emissions
2. Energy Efficiency, Conservation & Management
3. Management of Freshwater Resources
4. Ecosystem Conservation & Management
5. Social and Cultural Management
6. Land Use Planning & Management
7. Air Quality Protection
8. Wastewater Management
9. Solid Waste Management
10. Environmentally Harmful Substances

Aspects we have attention on:

- **Efficient & Green Equipment:**
  - Regular maintenance on all equipment
  - Keep up to date with environmental sustainability technologies and systems to minimize and manage the use of energy, potable water, greenhouse gas emission and natural resources in the resort
- **Waste & Pollution Management:**
  - As waste management is one of the biggest problems without a real solution around the world, Amsterdam Manor Beach Resort is committed to take the next step in waste management being for our self and the community
  - Minimize procuring of environmentally harmful substances
- **Ecosystem Conservation:**
  - Concentrate on reducing, minimizing and managing our impact on the ecosystem
- **Compliance:**
  - Complies with all relevant rules and legislation, may they be national, regional or international

- **Community, Social & Culture Contribution:**
  - Foster strong community links to encourage and enhance environmental consciousness and sustainability in Aruba
  - Maintain the Aruban culture
- **Team Building, Staff Training and Activities:**
  - Provide proper working condition for our employees
  - Staff awareness on environmental sustainability
  - Fun and team building events

## Measures:

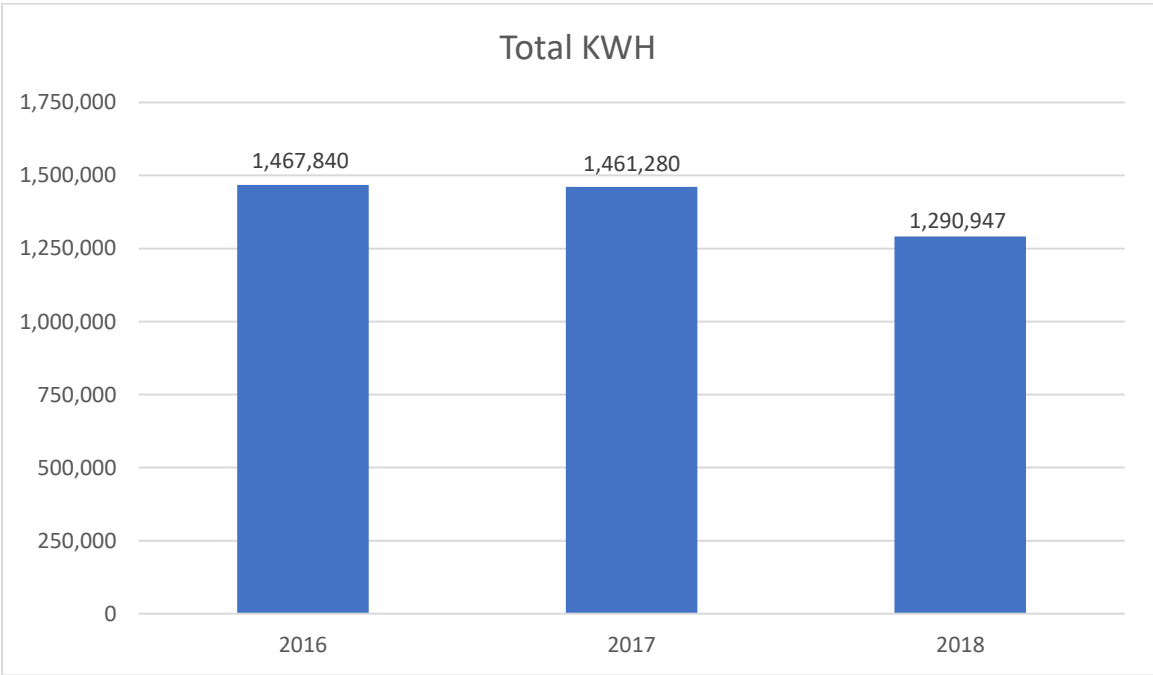
- **Efficient & Green Equipment:**
  - Continual research on environmental sustainability and invest where is possible
  - Maintenance S.O.P. for regular service of equipment
- **Ecosystem Conservation:**
  - Monthly sea-bed cleaning
  - Every 2 weeks beach sand cleaning
  - Monthly guests and staff beach & area clean-up by volunteer guests and staff
  - No more usage of one-time plastic products on our resorts
  - Guests and staff awareness to not litter
  - Work with Turtugaruba to make sure the turtle's ecosystem is ok
  - Reduce consumption of natural resources
- **Compliance:**
  - Complies with all relevant rules and legislation, may they be national, regional or international
- **Community, Social & Culture Contribution:**
  - Encourage and enhance environmental awareness among our guests, staff and the community
  - Promote local social and culture festivities, local sustainable products and local services
  - Join local environmental & social sustainability events
  - Guests and staff awareness on behavior at natural, culture and heritage sites around the island
  - Cultural decorations and activities when there is a cultural celebration
- **Team Building, Staff Training and Activities:**
  - Continue to organize and advertise more environmental sustainability events and social events for employees
  - Regular staff training on environmental sustainability

# Objective:

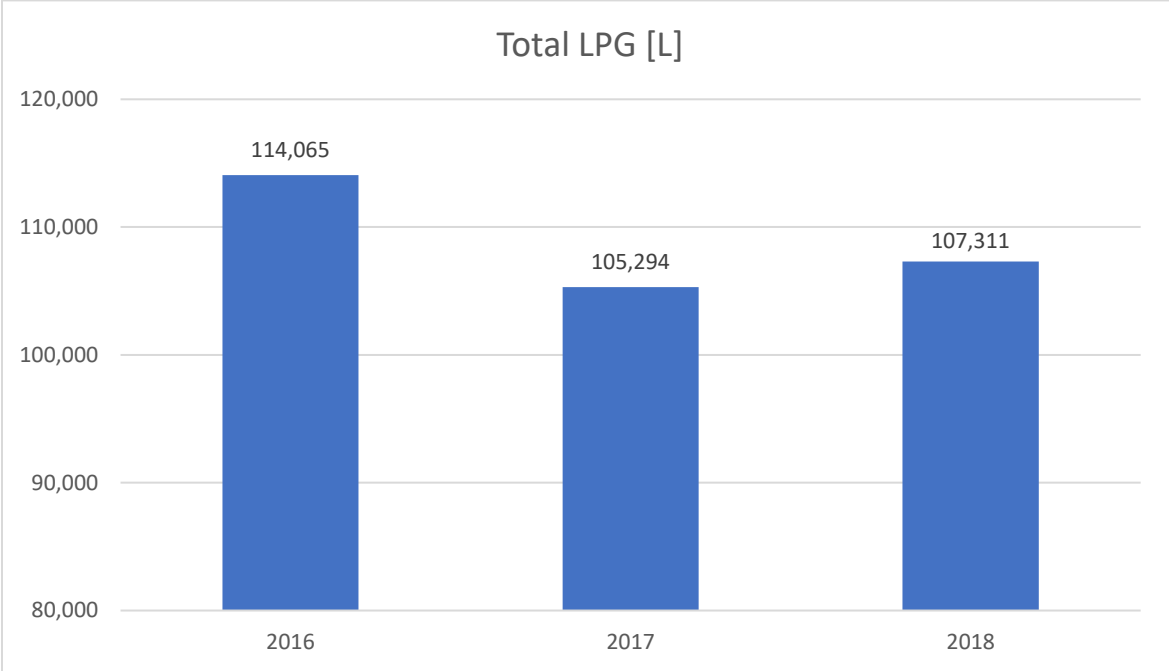
- 5% reduction on electricity consumption in 2019
- 5% reduction on water consumption in 2019
- 5% reduction on LPG consumption in 2019
- Next step in waste management
- Encourage and promote environmental awareness to the community and guests
- Continual community contribution
- Continual quality service standard for all stakeholders
- Continual staff training, team building and activities

## UTILITIES COMPARISON 2016-2018

### Electricity usage in total KWH per year



## LPG usage in total liter per year



## Water usage in total m3 per year

