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XLERATOR® HAND DRYERS: A GREEN SOLUTION FOR A GREEN COUNTRY

The America Free Zone campus in the heart of Costa Rica is home to more than 23 companies—including Dell, IBM and many other leaders in the technology and services sector. More than 10,000 people come to work there every day.

“We work as a ‘business city’ to develop more and better opportunities for our country,” says Melissa Carvajal, Manager of Social Responsibility and Sustainability at America Free Zone.

GREEN AND PRISTINE

On top of being one of the most beautiful places on Earth, Costa Rica contains nearly 6% of the world’s biodiversity and is a leader in environmental preservation and green energy production.

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More than 200 XLERATOR Hand Dryers help increase restroom efficiency and drive home AFZ’s commitment to green technology.



› PROBLEM

World-class business campus needs restroom solution that meets their high standards for sustainability

› SOLUTION

More than 200 XLERATOR Hand Dryers in restrooms

› RESULTS

Reduced energy use, lower carbon footprint, cost savings, more hygienic and efficient restrooms



BIG STEPS TOWARD A SMALLER CARBON FOOTPRINT

XLERATOR Hand Dryers provide up to a 75% reduction in carbon footprint versus even 100% recycled paper towels.

“Since we installed them in our buildings in 2016, their performance has helped us meet our standards and footprint reduction goals,” Melissa says.

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FORM AND FUNCTION

In addition to lowering carbon footprint, the clean look of the XLERATOR complements the sleek, modern design of the America Free Zone.

The XLERATORS also help with restroom cleanliness and the bottom line. They offer a 95% cost savings over paper towels, completely eliminating their labor, maintenance and waste while creating a more hygienic restroom environment.

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TOWARD A MORE SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

“At AFZ, we are happy to use technologies that not only make life easier for our community, but that also help build a more sustainable country for future generations. Without a doubt, the XLERATOR has played a key role.”



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