# ECO-RESPONSIBLE ACTIVITY REPORT

The Caisse de l'Administration et des Services publics is proud to present its ecoresponsible activity report. Your Caisse is at the forefront and active in sustainable development through its three streams: social, economic, and environmental. Your financial cooperative has made this an investment priority, and has already carried out several successful and sustainable initiatives in key areas:

#### **STRATEGIES**

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- 3-year sustainable development policy and action plan
- Integration of ESG (environmental, social and governance) factors into all our business decisions
- Continuation of the sustainable development committee's mission, a committee made up of 5 ambassador employees
- Support from Addere, a consulting firm specializing in impact strategies to promote eco-responsibility and encourage its integration into business practices
- OSEDD level 2 certification underway

#### **INVESTMENT**

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- Development of an eco-responsible fund to ensure that community projects are, or aim to be, eco-responsible or socio-ecological transition projects
- 100% of our advisors are trained as Responsible Investment Specialists (RIS)
- In collaboration with the Alvéole corporation, we installed 2 beehives on the roof of the Marie-Guyart building, where our head office is located
- Installation of 2 double charging stations for electric vehicles accessible to the community

#### SOURCING

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Eco-responsible supply management (local caterers, reusable tableware, purchase of eco-friendly and local promotional items, etc.)

#### **ENERGY**



Preparation of an energy balance for each facility, covering lighting, humidification, heating, air conditioning and ventilation systems

#### **ENGAGEMENT**

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- Organization of volunteering activities on themes rallying employees and organizations that are part of our groups or are corporate members
- 21 employees and directors from our 3 regions took part in the MS Canada's annual fundraising event, the MS Walk
- >< The Caisse introduces new guidelines to encourage volunteering
- 400 hours of volunteer work by our employees and directors

- >< Increased member safety awareness and training for all employees:
  - Every month, 1 to 2 phishing test e-mails are sent to reinforce trap detection
  - · All employees receive several hours of mandatory member safety training
  - New employees are required to take additional training on the protection of personal and confidential information
  - For advisors who carry out international transfers, training is mandatory in order to protect our members against fraud linked to this type of transaction
  - On 8 occasions during the year, all employees took part in a safety quiz

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- On a quarterly basis, at our general meetings, a safety component was presented to all employees
- · An information platform in the form of a dashboard supports each employee in developing safe habits
- x Enhanced data security and privacy protection measures

## ENERGY AND GREENHOUSE GAS (GHG) EMISSIONS MANAGEMENT

- Offsetting the greenhouse gases (GHGs) associated with our activities through the purchase of carbon credits
- Promotion of alternative and sustainable transportation to Caisse employees and directors, and addition of a guideline for Caisse resources
- More than 40% of employees used alternative transportation to get to work in 2023

#### **EVENTS**

- Planning and preparation of an ecoresponsible event management tool
- 6 digital workshops on AccèsD, automation, and the digital shift for our members and customers

### RESIDUAL MATERIALS MANAGEMENT

Raising staff and member awareness about waste reduction

### ENHANCING THE VALUE OF RESIDUAL MATERIALS MANAGEMENT



- Increase employees' knowledge about the proper sorting of materials (training and awareness) for effective management of residual materials
- x Recycling collection at our points of service

