# 4 G Jobs

## Green collar
The product produced or service offered is environmentally “green” such as:
- Solar panels
- Wind turbines
- Weatherization materials
- Mass transit equipment
- Clean-up of polluted land

## Green lungs
The workplace environment is “green” in terms of worker health and safety such as:
- Less toxic chemicals are substituted for more toxic chemicals
- Re-engineering the work process is done to reduce exposure to toxic materials or dangerous conditions
- Personal protective equipment (which can tear and leak) are the last resort in protecting workers

## Green belt
The community environment is “green” in that the facility does not increase pollution in the immediate area such as:
- Air and water pollution
- Minimum carbon footprint in relation to fuel consumption or pollution from transportation to and from the facility
- The facility site is not left contaminated (a brownfield)

## Green wallet
There is economic justice for the employees and community such as:
- Adequate living wages for a family and employees are treated with respect and dignity recognizing the contributions of all employees
- Affordable and comprehensive healthcare is provided The ability to retire with dignity with a decent pension
- Adequate compensation such as taxes is made to the community in relation to the revenue the company receives

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**Make green jobs green through and through**

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