

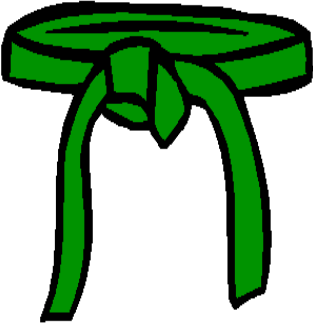



# 4 G Jobs

	<b>Green collar</b>	<p>The product produced or service offered is environmentally “green” such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Solar panels</li><li>• Wind turbines</li><li>• Weatherization materials</li><li>• Mass transit equipment</li><li>• clean-up of polluted land</li></ul>
	<b>Green lungs</b>	<p>The workplace environment is “green” in terms of worker health and safety such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Less toxic chemicals are substituted for more toxic chemicals</li><li>• Re-engineering the work process is done to reduce exposure to toxic materials or dangerous conditions</li><li>• Personal protective equipment (which can tear and leak) are the last resort in protecting workers</li></ul>
	<b>Green belt</b>	<p>The community environment is “green” in that the facility does not increase pollution in the immediate area such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Air and water pollution</li><li>• Minimum carbon footprint in relation to fuel consumption or pollution from transportation to and from the facility</li><li>• The facility site is not left contaminated (a brownfield)</li></ul>
	<b>Green wallet</b>	<p>There is economic justice for the employees and community such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adequate living wages for a family and employees are treated with respect and dignity recognizing the contributions of all employees</li><li>• Affordable and comprehensive healthcare is provided The ability to retire with dignity with a decent pension</li><li>• Adequate compensation such as taxes is made to the community in relation to the revenue the company receives</li></ul>

**Make green jobs green through and through**

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