

A vibrant campus scene at Salisbury University. In the foreground, a woman sits in a blue hammock while a man in a maroon jacket stands beside her. Another woman in a yellow hoodie sits on the grass with a laptop. In the background, more students are seen in hammocks and sitting on a brick wall. A large red brick building with white windows and a grey roof is visible behind the trees. The scene is set on a green lawn with several large, leafy trees under a bright sky.

# Salisbury University 2023 - 2024 Sustainability Initiatives

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# Significance of the New Recycling Initiatives

- National Wildlife Federation: Plastics Reduction Partner Certification
- Engage the entire SU community to help reach our goals
- Increase recycling, decrease waste, and use less single-use plastics on campus
- Mini-Trashcan Program: Staff/Faculty
- “Leave No Trace” Principles: Students



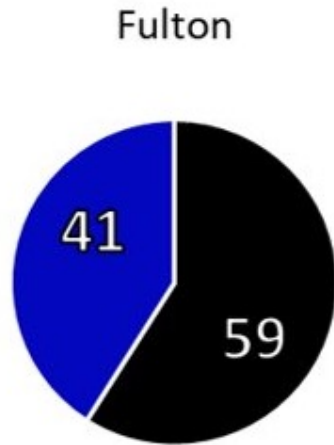
# Education Outreach Efforts

- October: Met with Deans and Department Chairs
- November: Meeting with Facilities Services building teams, SGA, Staff and Faculty Senates
- December: SU Today campaign
- January '24: Begin Phase I installation – Holloway Hall, Maintenance Building, Support Services, IT, and Horticulture Building.
- May '24: Complete installation at all major academic and administrative buildings

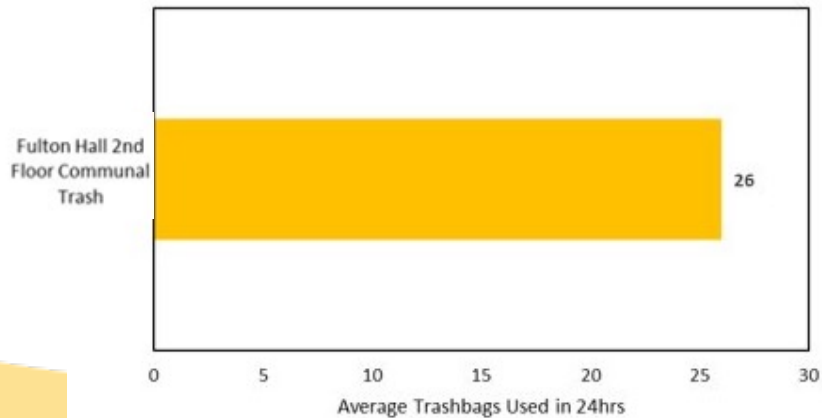


# Pilot Program - Fulton Hall Results

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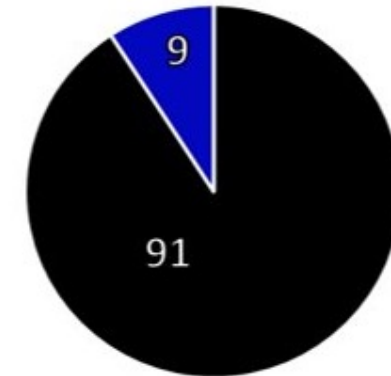
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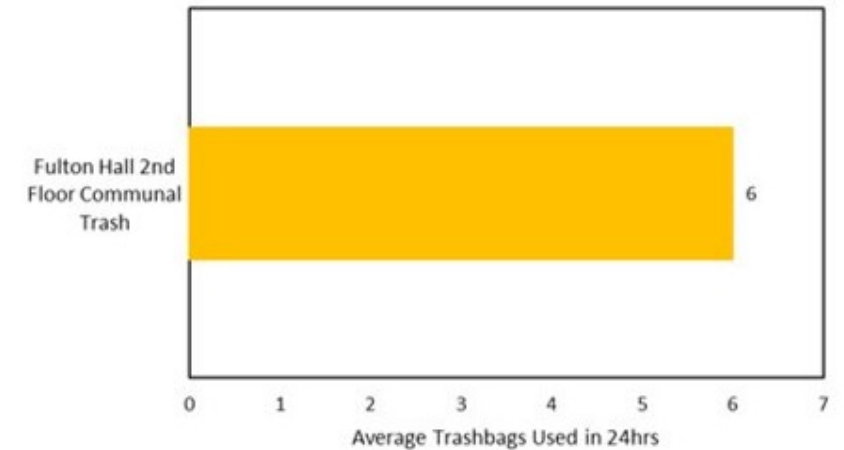
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# Goals for 2024

- AASHE STARS Rating
- Gulls Go Green Campaign (August)
- NWF Plastic Reduction Partner Certification (December)
- Green Fund



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