



# Sustainability at Amilla Maldives

As an EarthCheck Gold-certified member of Small Luxury Hotels' Considerate Collection, Amilla takes a thoughtful approach to wellbeing, inclusivity, and sustainability. We **R.E.A.C.H** with purpose.

## Responsibility

A considered approach to environmental care, inclusivity, and community engagement, removing barriers while supporting culture, employment, and empowerment.

## Environment

Reducing single-use plastics, incorporating renewable energy, supporting responsible fishing practices, while embracing homegrown and homemade solutions across the island.

## Accessibility

Creating an environment that supports guests with diverse needs, including those with non-visible disabilities, while contributing towards greater accessibility within the local community.

## Community

Working closely with local communities through employment, sourcing, education, and cultural initiatives that support long-term growth and connection.

## Harmony

Living in balance with the environment and community, guided by respect for nature and local culture.





## Energy Saving

Reducing reliance on fossil fuels through a considered island approach.

### Solar Energy

Over 1,400 solar panels generate a meaningful share of the island's energy, producing approximately 950,000 kWh annually. During daylight hours, this supports up to 25% of energy demand, with further expansion planned.

### Energy Management

Air-conditioning is carefully managed across villas, offices, and team areas. Curtains are drawn in vacant villas to reduce heat gain, while regular checks ensure lights and equipment are not in use unnecessarily.



## Water Saving

Water is produced and used with care across the island.

### Water Production

Drinking water is sourced through reverse osmosis, mineralised, and fully potable throughout the resort, reducing reliance on imported bottled water.

### Water Conservation

Laundry is managed in full loads, linen is refreshed every other day, towels upon request. Daily monitoring ensures efficient use and early detection of leaks.

### Grey Water Reuse

Treated grey water is used for irrigation in non-food garden areas.



## Homegrown & Homemade

Much of what is served across the island is grown, prepared, or created in-house.

### Homegrown

Gardens and hydroponics supply herbs, vegetables, fruits, mushrooms, edible flowers used across our kitchens. Banana, papaya plantations further support island-grown produce.

### Homemade

Yoghurts, preserves, pickles, sauces are prepared in-house. The beverage team creates probiotic drinks, tonic water, plant based milks. Spa products are crafted using coconut oil produced on the island.



### Guest Experience

Guests may join chefs in harvesting ingredients, creating a closer connection to what is grown and prepared.

### The Nut – Coconut Facility

At our in-house facility, coconuts are transformed into milk, cream, oil, coir, and other useful products used across kitchens and spa. This reduces imports while making full use of what grows naturally around us.



## Waste Reduction

As part of a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, we take a careful approach to waste.

### Plastic Reduction

Single-use plastics are minimised through refillable bottles, bamboo and compostable amenities, and recycled materials. Refillable Rolla bottles have significantly reduced plastic waste.

### Food Waste

Food waste is monitored, repurposed into preserves, ferments, or used to feed animals at Cluckingham Palace. Remaining waste is composted.

### Solar Energy Circular Use

Glass is repurposed for construction, cardboard, paper, plastics prepared for recycling. Linens are reimagined through the art studio.

### Waste Management Centre - The UN (do)

Waste is sorted for recycling, composting, or reuse. Compost supports gardens, while materials are processed to extend their lifecycle.



## Protecting the Wildlife

Amilla is home to rich biodiversity, from coral reefs to native vegetation.

### Marine Conservation

Our resident Marine Biologist leads coral restoration, reef monitoring, conservation initiatives, and guest experiences.

### Research & Partnerships

In partnership with Atoll Marine Conservation Centre, we support coral restoration, megafauna research, education programmes. Guests may contribute to marine research by sharing sightings of turtles, manta rays, whale sharks.



### Birdlife and Tours

The island is a nesting site for the white-tailed tropic bird, with ongoing monitoring and guided nature walks. Guided walks offer insight into island flora, fauna, birdlife.

### Coral Restoration

Coral restoration initiatives involve reattaching broken coral fragments to frames, supporting the natural regeneration of the reef over time.



## Ethical Purchasing

Our sourcing approach prioritises responsibility, quality, and long-term sustainability.

### Homegrown Local Sourcing and Purchasing

Preference is given to locally sourced, ethically produced ingredients.

### Sustainable Fishing

Through Maldives Resilient Reefs, we support responsible fishing practices.

### Protecting Fish Populations

Size limits ensure only mature fish are sourced, protecting future populations.

### Supporting Livelihoods

Fishermen receive fair compensation, supporting local economies and sustainable practices.



## Community

Our connection with the local community is ongoing and meaningful.

### Community Initiatives

Monthly activities include education programmes, environmental initiatives, clean-ups, training, and support.

### Local Culture

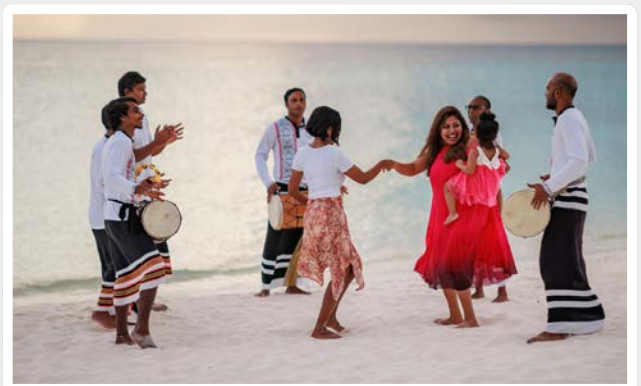
Weekly Maldivian evenings, cultural performances, artisan showcases offer a deeper connection to place.

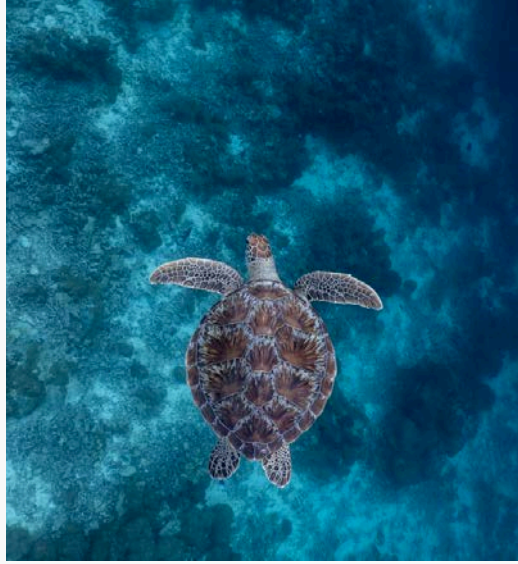
### Local Experiences

Island visits provide insight into everyday Maldivian life and traditions.

### Employment & Empowerment

Strong focus on local employment, with opportunities for growth, including leadership roles.





## OUR AFFILIATIONS



### EarthCheck Certification

Recognised with Gold certification after five consecutive years at Silver, reflecting a consistent approach to environmental performance, careful resource management, and a long-term commitment to continuous improvement across the island.



### Maldives Resilient Reefs

Working closely with local partners to support sustainable fishing practices, protect reef ecosystems, and encourage responsible sourcing, while creating fair opportunities for fishing communities and safeguarding marine life for future generations.



### Atoll Marine Conservation Centre

Partnering in marine research, conservation, and education across Baa Atoll, with an on-island marine biologist leading guided experiences, guest engagement, and ongoing research that supports deeper understanding of the surrounding ecosystem.



### Seagrass Industry Leader

Supporting global efforts to protect seagrass meadows as vital marine ecosystems, advocating for their importance in carbon capture, biodiversity, and ocean health, even beyond the immediate landscape of our island.

## LET'S CONNECT



### Amilla App



### Media Library



### Social Media



### Amilla Channels

