## **JCDecaux**

# THE SUSTAINABLE MEDIA 2030 VISION



#### **JCDECAUX IS A MEDIA** WHICH PROVIDES SERVICE **TO THE COMMUNITY** TO MAKE PUBLIC SPACES MORE SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE

Since 1964, JCDecaux has provided our city and transport partners with products that offer useful and innovative services in public spaces (such as bus shelters, self-cleaning public toilets and self-service bicycles) paid by Out-of-Home advertising.

This is the virtuous business model that was invented by our founder, that continues to improve the quality of life of the public, while meeting their evolving expectations.

Design is at the heart of everything we do, ensuring that our products respect and enhance the cityscape (including the support of heritage renovation projects through our "Artvertising" aesthetic solutions) across the world.

With a presence in over 80 countries, JCDecaux is playing an active part in the sustainable transition of economies and society worldwide.

#### **MESSAGE** FROM CO-CEOS











"Sustainable Development is more than an environmental necessity, it is a powerful lever for economic and social growth, opening up opportunities for new services that enhance the lives of people across the world."

Sustainable Development has been at the heart of our business since the Group was founded. From the earliest days, our commitment was clear, shown through our consistent approach to our quality and environmental management and our global vision for our environmental and societal responsibility from 2014.

JCDecaux is playing an active role in this transition, with nearly 50% of our revenues aligned with the European Taxonomy. Since 2022, we have been an official partner of the United Nations and we also contribute to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Our Sustainability Strategy and the range of solutions we offer are supporting the emergence of the smart and sustainable city, at a time when mobility matters more than ever.

Today as we face huge challenges for the planet and for human development we remain committed to playing our part in tackling these vital issues through the continuation of our work, taking this forward with our strategic roadmap for 2030.

#### **JCDECAUX, REACHING A POWERFUL AND GLOBAL AUDIENCE**



employees





+ 80 countries

+ **850 M** people make up

our daily audience







**nearly 50%** of the Group's consolidated revenues are aligned with the European Taxonomy

#### A BUSINESS MODEL VIRTUOUS IN 3 WAYS

**ECONOMICALLY** 



Nearly 50% of our resources redistributed to finance living spaces

Value redistributed to landlords. to **cities** and to communities and local authorities

and transport facilities

120.000+ jobs supported by our activity in 2022

**SOCIALLY** 

For **every employee** in the world. nearly 10 supplementary jobs are supported by the Group in the global economy\*

**ENVIRONMENTALLY** 



Nearly 50%

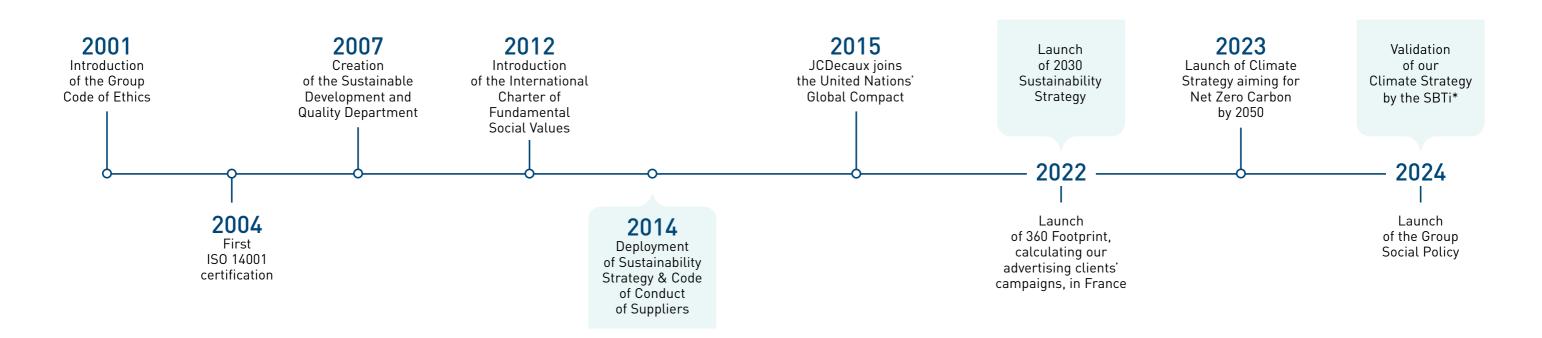
of Group revenue aligned with the European Taxonomy

JCDecaux's major businesses promote eco-friendly mobility (bus shelters, self-service bicycles, land transport) around the world

\*Study of socioeconomic impact conducted by Utopies on 2022 data, audited by EY



#### **OUR SUSTAINABILITY JOURNEY BEGAN MORE THAN 20 YEARS AGO**



#### AN AMBITIOUS VISION ALREADY PRODUCING RESULTS



-28.3%

greenhouse gas emissions vs 2019

(Scopes 1, 2 and 3, market-based)



**95.5**%

of Group-level employees have permanent contracts

2024 figures



**97**%

of waste recovered\*

\*The rate of recovered waste includes

\*The rate of recovered waste includes all treatment methods except landfill



**-22.3%** accident free

accident frequency rate vs 2019



100%

renewable electricity coverage



34.4%

of executive management committee members are women

# OUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE 17 UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

\* Science Based Targets initiative

We contribute to all 17 Sustainable Development Goals, and to 6 in particular, in order to advance their promotion and development across the globe.

Incorporating the SDGs is a major source of innovation enabling us to offer ever more responsible products and services.

#### OFFICIAL PARTNER OF THE «UNITED NATIONS JOINT FUND FOR THE SDGS»





TOWARDS MORE SUSTAINABLE LIVING SPACES







**PROMOTE RESPONSIBLE** 

**OUTDOOR ADVERTISING** 





# DEVELOP FURNITURE AND SERVICES THAT WORK FOR EVERYONE

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- **Reinforce ecodesign** to improve environmental and social performance
- Develop and deploy our responsible innovations and our sustainable furniture
- Preserve and enhance biodiversity in cities

30+ years
average lifespan
of our bus shelters





"Ecodesign and the need to conserve resources have always guided our development choices. We want to offer the best possible quality to our customers, without compromising the environmental, economic, and social performance of our services."

Gaëlle DAGORT Research & Development Director JCDecaux Corporate

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **MAKING CITIES MORE SUSTAINABLE**

Our unrivalled network of street furniture is a natural way to expand green space in cities for the benefit of all. Our range of solutions represents an effective opportunity to complement other urban greening projects, in particular green roofs, but also vertical greening structures that allow for in-ground planting. It is a pragmatic way to contribute to urban greening strategies put in place by local authorities.



#### INNOVATION, A KEY DRIVER OF GROWTH AND SUSTAINABILITY

Identifying solutions with a low environmental impact is central to our innovation strategy. We are working to reinvent our furniture through design and the use of biobased materials. In 2022, we developed the Wooden Shelter, which reduces by nearly 50% greenhouse gas emissions in the extraction and manufacturing stages as compared to a traditional bus shelter.

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- Promote responsible campaigns
- **Safeguard** our digital activities to the highest possible degree
- Advocate for public interest communication that serves the United Nations' 2030 Agenda

3.000+ campaigns provided free of charge to NGOs and associations in 2024





"Deontology and responsibility are two key values at JCDecaux. We care about the content that we broadcast and monitor it carefully across our worldwide networks."

Albert ASSÉRAF Executive Vice-President Communications and User Innovation JCDecaux Corporate

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **ETHICS FOR OUT-OF-HOME DISPLAY**

As a sustainable media in contact with more than 850 million people every day, we have a responsibility to uphold the highest standards of ethics for Out-of-Home display. Since 2022, a Code has been deployed throughout the Group, ensuring both awareness of these issues at a local level and responsible and positive outdoor communication.



#### CONTRIBUTION TO THE UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Since 2022, JCDecaux has been an official partner of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) supporting the "United Nations Joint Sustainable Development Goals Fund". Having signed the United Nations' Global Compact in November 2015, JCDecaux is, with this new agreement, extending its commitment to support human rights and to a concrete policy of supporting Major Causes throughout the world.

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**CURB OUR OTHER** 

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS** 





# DEPLOY AN AMBITIOUS CLIMATE STRATEGY AIMING FOR NET ZERO CARBON

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- Reduce our **operations emissions** (scopes 1 and 2)
- Reduce **emissions** across our **entire value chain** (scope 3)
- Contribute beyond our value chain

100%

of our electricity consumption covered by renewable energy sources





"It is through systemic actions and by engaging our entire value chain that we will be able to contribute to global carbon neutrality."

Lénaïc PINEAU Chief Sustainability and Quality Officer JCDecaux Corporate

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **FURNITURE REUSE STRATEGY**

Refurbishment and related efforts are major ways to reduce the environmental impact of our furniture and achieve our goal of decarbonising our activity. Refurbishment allows us to cut extraction- and manufacturing-related carbon emissions of our classic bus shelters in half.



#### **RENEWABLE ENERGY AND EFFICIENCY**

We successfully reduced, by 60% on average, electricity use of our 2 sq m billboards over the last ten years thanks to the use of the latest LED technology, solutions to reduce light intensity, and night time switch-off. We are proud to be the first Outdoor Communication Group to have joined the RE100\* in 2019.

\* RE100: international coalition of companies committed to 100% renewable electricity

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- Promote responsible waste management through a circular economy
- Encourage responsible water consumption

97% of our waste recovered





"Collaboration and shared best practices with JCDecaux businesses across the world will help us to reduce our environmental impacts and achieve our common goals. Thinking globally and locally is the key!"

> James THOMAS Chief Technical Operations Officer JCDecaux UK

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **RESPONSIBLE WATER CONSUMPTION**

Wherever possible we use rainwater to wash our furniture and vehicles while ensuring a high quality of maintenance. Because rainwater is naturally low in minerals, it reduces the need for cleaning products.



#### **OPTIMISED WASTE MANAGEMENT**

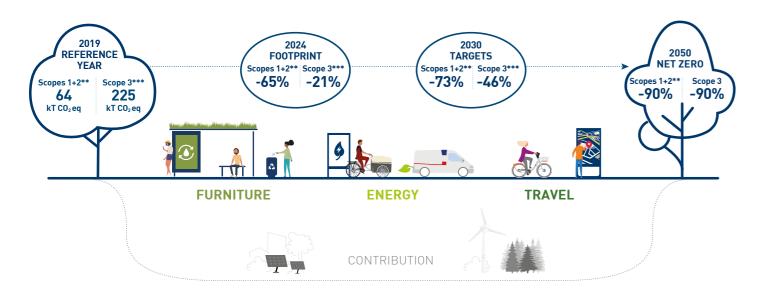
The circular economy is at the heart of the Group's business model, which is why JCDecaux has rolled out a policy of responsible waste management. Moreover, we regularly review how we recycle this waste to keep up to date with evolving needs.

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#### SPOTLIGHT ON OUR CLIMATE STRATEGY AIMING FOR NET ZERO CARBON BY 2050

#### **AN AMBITIOUS DECARBONATION TRAJECTORY**

Approved by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi)\*



- $^{st}$  Trajectory audited by an independant third party
- \*\* Market based
- \*\*\* Within a perimeter covering at a minimum 92% of Group scope 3 emissions

This strategy, aligned with the Paris Agreement, takes into account our greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions across our entire value chain.

An independent third party has assessed the measurement of our greenhouse gas emissions (scopes 1, 2 and 3) and our climate strategy. In June 2024, the Group reduction trajectory has been validated by the SBTi.



# 1.5°C ALIGNED, VALIDATED SBTi 2030 TARGETS Scopes 1+2\* Scope 3\*\* -73% -46% 2050 TARGETS Scopes 1+2\* Scope 3 -90% -90% VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS BEYOND OUR VALUE CHAIN \* Market based \*\* Within a perimeter covering at a minimum 92% of Group scope 3 emissions

#### **A 3-STEP PROCESS**

#### 1. MEASURE

Total greenhouse gas emissions, 2024, market based: 220.1 kT CO<sub>2</sub>eq



Data audited by Grant Thornton in 2024

#### 2. REDUCE



## **FURNITURE** (scope 3)

- Refurbishment
- Sourcing of low-carbon materials
- Ecodesign



### ENERGY (scopes 1&2)

- Low-emission vehicles
- Smart lighting on furniture
- Optimised digital displays



TRAVEL (scope 3)

- Alternative modes of transport
- Reduction of kilometres travelled

#### 3. CONTRIBUTE

In addition to the reduction measures implemented in its operations and value chain, JCDecaux contributes to the development of qualitative projects that aim to remove and/or avoid carbon emissions beyond its value chain and that present social and societal co-benefits.

This policy results from JCDecaux's desire to contribute to climate change mitigation on a global scale, while meeting the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).













# CONDUCT BUSINESS ETHICALLY AND SUSTAINABLY

# BE A RESPONSIBLE EMPLOYER

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- Value all our people
- Care about our people
- Support our people's growth & development
- Foster diversity and inclusion

# 10 years average seniority of Group employees





"We are committed to helping each member of our team to develop to their full potential. A winning bet with close to 10 years of employee seniority across the Group in 2024."

> Victoire PELLEGRIN, Director of HR Development JCDecaux France & International HR Projects Department

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **COMMON SET OF SOCIAL VALUES**

Our success is based on respect for our human capital. Through the JCDecaux Group Social Policy, we guarantee a common foundation of Human Resources management to all our employees, in every country where we operate. Our Policy is structured around 3 pillars: valuing our people, caring about our people, and supporting our people's growth and development.



#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY OF OUR EMPLOYEES**

Ensuring the health and safety of our employees, operations subcontractors and users is an absolute priority for JCDecaux, which has developed a Group-wide Health and Safety Policy entailing the implementation of a Health and Safety management system by every subsidiary.

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

- Maintain ethical conduct and fight corruption
- Help our suppliers implement more responsible practices
- Ensure that personal data is protected

100% of our key suppliers evaluated\*

\*at the Group level





"Our company's social responsibility extends well beyond our own perimeter. By raising awareness and supporting our suppliers in adopting more virtuous practices, we will be able to achieve our own objectives."

Nury LINARES Purchasing Manager JCDecaux Central America

#### **OUR STRATEGY IN ACTION**



#### **ETHICAL CONDUCT**

JCDecaux's Code of Ethics, established in 2001, seeks to formalise the rules of business conduct applicable to all Group employees with our customers, grantors and suppliers/service providers. We want to continue to set an example in order to change behaviours so that respect for the law and the requirement for transparency prevail.



#### **RESPONSIBLE PURCHASING**

Our sustainable development approach begins with sourcing. This is why we rely on our Supplier Code of Conduct that 100% of our key suppliers commit to respecting. It lays out JCDecaux's expectations for ethical and social themes including health and safety, hygiene, the ecological transition and the environment.

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# JCDECAUX, THE SUSTAINABLE MEDIA

**TOWARDS** MORE **SUSTAINABLE** LIVING **SPACES** 

#### **DEVELOP FURNITURE AND SERVICES THAT WORK FOR EVERYONE**

**Since 2023** Enrich our ecodesign policy

By 2030 Widely deploy our responsible innovations

**TOWARDS AN OPTIMISED** ENVI-**RONMENTAL FOOTPRINT** 

**TOWARDS A RESPONSIBLE** 

BUSINESS

**ENVIRONMENT** 

#### **DEPLOY AN AMBITIOUS CLIMATE STRATEGY AIMING FOR NET ZERO CARBON**

**Since 2022** 

**100%** of our electricity consumption covered by renewable energy sources

By 2030

-73% carbon emissions (scopes 1 and 2, vs 2019)

-46% carbon emissions (scope 3, vs 2019)

#### **PROMOTE RESPONSIBLE OUTDOOR ADVERTISING**

Since 2022

100% of the Group's countries committed to implementing and applying the principles of the Code of Conduct for Out-Of-Home Display

By 2025

100% of the Group's countries representing

80% of the adjusted annual revenue contribute to supporting one or more of the United Nations SDGs

#### **CURB OUR OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS**

By 2025

Continue to deploy our water policy

By 2035

in countries with suitable facilities

Zero waste-to-landfill vs. total waste

#### **BE A RESPONSIBLE EMPLOYER**

By 2030

40% women on our executive management committees

25% reduction in the accident frequency rate vs 2019

#### **CONDUCT BUSINESS ETHICALLY AND SUSTAINABLY**

Since 2022

100% of key suppliers have signed the Supplier Code of Conduct

100% of key suppliers assessed every year

#### AN APPROACH RECOGNISED BY INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS







76/100 Average market rating: 56



Average market rating: BBB



13.1

Average market rating: 16.3 A rating of 40 indicates the most severe risk

\* Ratings of 2024 and 2025

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