

Year installed: 2012

Savings: Compared to carpeting which is generally used one or two times for exhibit events, recycled rubber tiles are reused at multiple events. Over time, reusable tiles cost a few pennies per square foot per use instead of dollars per square foot per use for carpeting.

Benefits:

- Life cycle greenhouse gas emissions for recycled rubber tiles that are reused are a fraction of greenhouse gas emissions from carpeting that is used once or twice
- Diversion of tiles from landfill

Manufacturing process: The finely-ground recycled tire crumb rubber is combined with thermoplastic rubber (ground-up recycled car bumpers), recycled plastic and binders. This mixture is then poured into molds and cured to make recycled rubber tiles.

ASTM standards: ASTM D638; ASTM D4060; ASTM D2240; ASTM F137; ASTM C1028; UL94 2006

*A wide variety of high-quality, proven products are made from California's recycled tires.
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