

In Pursuit of a Sustainable Future

The United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, known as the SDGs, were adopted in 2015 by a global consortium of countries looking to "end poverty, protect the planet, and ensure prosperity for all as part of a new sustainable development agenda."¹

As part of Miller/Howard's goal to support the strategic and effective pursuit of a sustainable future, we look for alignment between the SDGs and our own engagements. Our work generally centers around three SDGs:

5 GENDER EQUALITY



MILLER/HOWARD'S EFFORTS WORK TO PROMOTE:

- ✓ Board gender diversity
- ✓ Gender diversity at the executive leadership level

CAMPAIGNS

- ✓ Multi-year effort to engage company management
- ✓ Over 90 companies engaged since 2016

EXAMPLES OF SUCCESS

- ✓ A company updated its policies to include an affirming statement recognizing the value of diversity, and subsequently appointed a woman to serve as director on the board.

9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION & INFRASTRUCTURE



MILLER/HOWARD'S EFFORTS WORK TO PROMOTE:

- ✓ Accountability and transparency to stakeholders (including investors and community members)
- ✓ Responsible, careful resource management

CAMPAIGNS

- ✓ Multi-year effort to increase pipeline integrity and company management of methane and GHG emissions
- ✓ Joined with other investors to support responsible public policy around methane

EXAMPLES OF SUCCESS

- ✓ A company began to report on its leak detection and repair processes.

13 CLIMATE ACTION



MILLER/HOWARD'S EFFORTS WORK TO PROMOTE:

- ✓ Collective, meaningful, science-based efforts to evaluate and mitigate the effects of climate change

CAMPAIGNS

- ✓ Multi-year effort to sensitize companies to the concerns surrounding climate change, and ongoing requests for meaningful action and disclosure
- ✓ Over 125 companies directly engaged on environmental issues since 2015

EXAMPLES OF SUCCESS

- ✓ A company published its first-ever sustainability report.

ESG@MHI in Brief

- Miller/Howard's work supports the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals.
- A sustainable future is compatible with the goals of long-term investors who hope to see continued profitability.
- Environmental, social, and governance (ESG) risks and opportunities can impact company profitability.

Read more about our commitment to ESG at mhinvest.com

¹ "17 Goals to Transform Our World," Sustainable Development Goals, United Nations. Web, 30 April 2018. See all 17 goals on the next page.

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“The Sustainable Development Goals are the blueprint to achieve a better and more sustainable future for all.

They address the global challenges we face, including poverty, inequality, climate change, environmental degradation, peace and justice.”

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