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## **Green Building Initiative Announces the First Open Public Comment Period for Green Globes for Existing Buildings**

*BSR/GBI 02-202x, Green Globes Assessment Protocol for Existing Buildings is now accepting public comments until February 19, 2024*

Portland, Ore. – GBI is pleased to announce the first comment period on Green Globes for Existing Buildings or *BSR/GBI 02-202x, Green Globes Assessment Protocol for Existing Buildings*, a revision of ANSI-GBI 02-2023, an American National Standard currently under continuance maintenance. The Standard drives innovation in environmental sustainability, promotes healthy and safe environments for tenants, and encourages life cycle thinking. The standard and public comment form can be found on GBI's [website](#).

The Public Comment form includes detailed instructions on how to submit comments. Please submit comments using this form by February 19, 2024, to [comment@thegbi.org](mailto:comment@thegbi.org).

GBI is also seeking volunteers to sit on the Consensus Body for Existing Buildings and subcommittees to review public comments and provide recommendations for revisions. Areas of expertise will fall within the following categories/subcommittees: ESG, Site, Energy, Water, Materials, and Indoor Environmental Quality. Interested parties can apply using a form on the [website](#).

Contact the GBI Secretariat, Emily Marx with any questions at [comment@thegbi.org](mailto:comment@thegbi.org) or 971-256-7167.

### **About GBI**

GBI is an international nonprofit organization and American National Standards Institute (ANSI) Accredited Standards Developer dedicated to reducing climate impacts by improving the built environment. Founded in 2004, the organization is the global provider of the Green Globes® and federal Guiding Principles Compliance building certification and assessment programs. GBI also issues professional credentials, including Green Globes Professional (GGP), Green Globes Emerging Professional (GGEP) and Guiding Principles Compliance Professional (GPCP). To learn more about opportunities to become involved with GBI, contact [info@thegbi.org](mailto:info@thegbi.org) or visit the GBI website at [www.thegbi.org](http://www.thegbi.org).