

# The Nature of Monadnock Paper Mills

## SUSTAINABLE MANUFACTURING BY DESIGN

### ABOUT MPM

Monadnock Paper Mills, Inc. is a family-owned and -operated business with 200 years of experience in papermaking. To put that into perspective, our doors opened shortly after the War of 1812, under the presidency of James Monroe and during the reign of King George III. Today, Monadnock is a strong company and is dedicated to corporate social responsibility. Each employee understands our mutual commitment to work as a community, and we remain nimble, focused and progressive.

We believe that socially and environmentally responsible investments in people, technology, processes and products will deliver value to our customers and our community. Across all levels of the organization, we believe there's a lot to be said for doing the right thing – simply because it's the right thing to do.

While papermaking is consolidating worldwide, Monadnock is experiencing growth in new markets and surpassing most of our environmental impact reduction goals. We reduce impacts by working smarter, finding new efficiencies in old processes, encouraging innovation across our organization and collaborating with our supply chain partners. We will continue to challenge ourselves to reduce our environmental impacts, substitute materials, reduce demand on natural resources and reuse whatever we can, while providing a safe and healthy place to live and work – not only for this generation but for future generations. This is how we define sustainability.

### MANUFACTURING CAPABILITIES

Monadnock provides and custom engineers a diverse range of fiber-based products, including premium printing, packaging and technical/specialty papers for leading brands worldwide.

Working as a true partner with its customers, Monadnock's technical expertise and agility result in products that lead the market in innovation and quality. With a passion for the environment and ingenuity, Monadnock turns ideas into reality.

### COLLABORATION

Monadnock employs a dynamic collaborative process in product development. We get all the right people in the room to help solve your most challenging problems. Sales, marketing and technical representatives, in close cooperation with you and your team, will work to define the full scope of your project. From this process evolves product, partnership and a concern for long-term mutual interests.

Monadnock is committed to innovation, long-term product development and refining products to meet increasingly demanding requirements. This commitment is based on the realization that much of the company's future success depends on commercializing products now in development. We are scaled to help you develop fiber-based solutions.

## CERTIFICATIONS & PARTNERSHIPS



### FOREST STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL® (FSC)

All Monadnock printing and packaging papers are FSC® certified (FSC C018866 [www.fsc.org](http://www.fsc.org)). The FSC label on Monadnock products ensures responsible use of forest resources. Technical products may be certified upon request.



### 100% RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY

Monadnock supports the development of clean sources of renewable electricity and clean air by purchasing Green-e® certified wind power Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs).



### CARBON NEUTRAL

All papers are manufactured carbon neutral with verified emission reductions (VERs) certified under the Verified Carbon Standard Protocol.



### ELEMENTAL CHLORINE FREE

The fiber in Monadnock virgin papers is elemental chlorine free.



### PROCESSED CHLORINE FREE

The fiber in Monadnock recycled papers is processed chlorine free.



### ISO 14001:2015 & ISO 9001:2015

All papers are manufactured under the strict requirements of a third-party ISO 14001:2015 certified Environmental Management System.

All papers are manufactured under the strict requirements of a third-party ISO 9001:2015 certified Quality Management System.



### AMERICAN MADE

All Monadnock papers are manufactured in the United States of America.