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SUSTAINABILITY PROGRESS UPDATE

A satellite image of Rainbow Range in British Columbia, Canada collected by Maxar’s WorldView-2.
A SUSTAINABILITY UPDATE FROM THE GENERAL COUNSEL OF MAXAR INTELLIGENCE

Maxar underwent a significant transformation in 2023. We became a private company and re-organized our company around two distinct businesses: Maxar Space Systems and Maxar Intelligence.

These changes have helped Maxar Intelligence sharpen our focus on a clear vision—to build a future where customers can easily get accurate, reliable mission-critical insights from geospatial data, faster. As aligned with our mission-first mindset, we are focused on pushing forward cutting-edge products for our customers. Over decades, we’ve continued to build on our industry-leading constellation to provide access to the highest-resolution commercial satellite imagery and space-based geospatial data.

Today, we’re driving a new level of innovation, bringing together our deep mission expertise and new technologies to build advanced commercial products and solutions that accelerate the speed and scale at which we can turn space-based data into insights, harmonize disparate data sources to unlock the full potential of fused intelligence and give our customers a decisive edge for their toughest missions. Most importantly, our longstanding approach to sustainability remains rooted in how we deliver on our vision.

The success of our business requires a best-in-class workforce, innovative technology solutions and an unwavering commitment to responsible corporate citizenship. We believe that our environmental, social and governance performance strengthens our business and enables us to support the health and well-being of our people, customers, communities and the planet. Maxar also views sustainability as a component of our risk-conscious culture, which enables us to achieve objectives in a manner that balances risk and opportunity considerations while promoting business resiliency.

And in 2023, we continued to progress on our sustainability journey across priority focus areas.

"The geospatial industry has a critical role to play in helping societies, economies and our planet to thrive. We can provide unparalleled insight into our changing world, giving governments, businesses, local communities and other critical stakeholders with the answers they need to help build a better world. To deliver on this promise, we must continue to develop programs and solutions that put our data and insights into the right hands and to hold ourselves accountable to leading by example in our business. Maxar Intelligence is committed to that journey, working collaboratively within our business and across our industry.

Dan Smoot,
Chief Executive Officer of Maxar Intelligence"
Empowering Employees

Our talented and high-performing workforce draws on vast expertise, creative problem-solving and a deep customer focus to deliver innovative solutions that support our customers’ toughest missions—from precision mapping to humanitarian assistance.

We believe that our people are our most valued resource. We continued to prioritize employee engagement and well-being to promote a positive and inclusive work environment where everyone can contribute to our collective mission.

As we provide customers with high-resolution satellite imagery and geospatial insights, we are proud to have more than 2,800 employees in technical roles across Maxar.

Our talented and skilled technical employees at all levels of the organization help deliver operational excellence and foster new innovations. In 2023, we made several notable hires to help position Maxar for future growth, including industry leaders in technology, product and commercial services.

Diversity, inclusion and belonging remains a top priority, and we continued our work in building a more inclusive Maxar and geospatial industry in 2023. Maxar’s Employee Resource Groups reinforce our inclusive culture by creating networks that empower employees to bring their authentic selves to work. At the same time, we aim to attract, engage and grow a diverse population of employees at all levels. In 2023, we increased the number of female employees in vice presidents and above positions to 24% company-wide.

We also engaged in industry-wide partnerships to help drive progress across the geospatial industry. For example, we are a charter signatory of the Space Workforce 2030 Pledge, which is a coalition of leading companies engaged in the space sector that commit to building a more diverse and inclusive industry. We still have work to do, both as a company and as an industry, but Maxar is dedicated to making progress.
Advancing Space Sustainability

Maxar operates the world’s most advanced Earth imaging constellation. In 2023, we collected 3.6 million sq km of imagery daily while maintaining an uptime availability greater than 99% across our satellite fleet, enabling us to deliver critical insights to support defense, intelligence and commercial missions.

We know first-hand how critical it is for humanity to maintain a safe, sustainable space domain. Playing our part, Maxar follows best practices for space traffic management, including publishing daily flight plans, safely de-orbiting decommissioned satellites and ensuring our satellites are able to maneuver in space.

We are also committed to advancing space sustainability through our products, namely our non-Earth imaging (NEI) capability. We are able to use the same imaging capabilities on our Earth observation satellites to capture images of spacecraft, space debris and other objects of interest in the near-Earth space domain, enabling more transparency and helping other operators better protect and maintain their assets. We view this product as a key tool in building an effective space situational awareness ecosystem.

We are also engaged in supporting collective action to advance space sustainability. Maxar is a founding member of the Space Safety Coalition, an ad hoc coalition of government and industry stakeholders that actively promotes responsible space safety practices. Maxar participated in the development of the Space Safety Coalition’s Best Practices for the Sustainability of Space Operations. We continue to work closely with coalition members to update the guidance and advance best practices for space sustainability.

Maxar is actively involved in space object identification and tracking, including participating in workshops, working groups and conferences. We also continue to support LeoLabs, a commercial provider of high-performance tracking and mapping data for low Earth orbit satellites.

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Building Climate Resiliency

We responsibly manage the impacts of our operations on the environment because it is the right thing to do for the planet and for our business. In 2023, we reduced our company-wide operational greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions 9% as compared to a 2019 baseline. Maxar also developed a Carbon Reduction plan for our U.K. operations, reflecting our commitment to helping the U.K. meet its environmental objectives. We continue to seek opportunities to reduce GHG emissions across our global operations.

The world increasingly demands more data and transparency to solve a growing number of complex challenges, including our changing climate. We help customers map, detect and predict changes across the globe so that governments and businesses can make decisions with confidence.

Fueled largely by our constellation of imaging satellites, we provide data and insights that help customers address critical priorities, including deforestation tracking, biodiversity management and sustainable development initiatives.

Effectively tracking and managing GHG emissions is essential to preserving the long-term health of our business, supporting our customers’ climate objectives, and doing our part to be a good corporate citizen. Maxar is committed to disclosing accurate GHG data so that we can transparently communicate our progress toward minimizing climate impacts from our operations. We are excited to continue this journey as we advance our own ambitions and meet the expectations of our customers and regulators.”

Correne Knollenberg,
Director of Sustainability at Maxar Intelligence
**Supporting Local Communities**

We apply our products and solutions to help a wide variety of causes that serve a public good, including providing high-resolution satellite imagery in the form of in-kind donations to support humanitarian relief efforts, media reporting and global transparency.

Maxar’s News Bureau initiative delivers high-resolution imagery, analytics and expertise to trusted and respected media organizations around the world, providing indisputable truth at a time when credibility is critical. Maxar imagery has contributed to award-winning reporting, including Pulitzer Prize, Emmy and Peabody-winning investigations across the more than 1,100 journalists in our network. We supported 339 unique News Bureau projects in 2023 alone, including shining a light on the devastating effects of the earthquake in Morocco, showcasing humanitarian impacts of the Israel-Hamas war in Gaza, and showing details of the Sundhúkur volcanic eruption in Iceland.

Our Open Data Program provides imagery and related data to support humanitarian response and relief efforts during a global crisis, with a focus on natural disasters. Our goal is to assist response efforts with timely, actionable information for disaster management.

**In 2023, we provided $5.19 million of in-kind donations through our Open Data Program to support 16 global events.**

We also continued our philanthropic efforts through the Maxar Foundation in 2023, which offered grants to support initiatives focused on advancing STEM education for underserved and diverse populations, helping veterans and active-duty military and their families and aiding global disaster preparedness and relief. In 2023, the Maxar Foundation contributed $137,500 in grants with a focus on supporting U.S. veterans and providing humanitarian relief in Ukraine.
A Longstanding Commitment to Sustainability

Our commitment to sustainability helps us ensure our business is positioned for healthy growth in the long-term. As a private company, Maxar is now harnessing the collective sustainability knowledge and best practices of Advent International’s portfolio to enable us on this journey.

As part of our commitment, we will continue to publicly share our sustainability progress to highlight our successes, be transparent about our opportunities and hold ourselves accountable to continually improve our performance.

For additional information about our 2023 performance data, visit Maxar’s sustainability webpage.

Sincerely,

Laurie Korneffel
Senior Vice President and General Counsel at Maxar Intelligence
ABOUT MAXAR INTELLIGENCE

Maxar Intelligence is a provider of secure, precise, geospatial intelligence. We deliver disruptive value to government and commercial customers to help them monitor, understand and navigate our changing planet. Our unique approach combines decades of deep mission understanding and a proven commercial and defense foundation to deploy solutions and deliver insights with unrivaled speed, scale and cost effectiveness.

For more information, visit www.maxar.com.

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