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To support your improvement efforts, we would like to share some practical, "green-friendly" (and cost-saving) tips.

Maintain proper tire inflation. You can improve your gas mileage by around 3.3 percent by keeping your tires inflated to the proper pressure. Under-inflated tires can lower gas mileage by 0.4 percent for every 1 psi drop in pressure of all four tires.

Minimize idling. Idling wastes fuel, creates pollution and increases the wear and tear on your engine. According to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, idling can cost up to \$6,000 in fuel per truck each year. Reducing your idling time and using alternative technologies to stay comfortable during long hauls can save you money.

Maintain vehicle filters. Replacing a clogged air filter can improve your fuel mileage by as much as 10 percent. Your vehicle's air filter keeps impurities from damaging the inside of your engine. Not only will replacing a dirty air filter save gas, it will protect your engine.

Install air restriction gauges. Filters do not clog based on time or mileage; they clog based on the air quality in your vehicle's operating environment. If you're driving your truck in a high-pollution area, you may need to replace your filters more frequently than stated in the manufacturer's schedule. An air restriction gauge can prevent replacing an air filter too soon yet ensure that it is replaced before efficiency is affected.

Use Long Life lamp bulbs. Long Life and Fleet Service lamp bulbs can offer up to double or triple the life of a standard bulb. This prevents the waste of discarded units and many hours of labor changing lamp bulbs, too.

Use fuel additives. Fuel additives remove water from your fuel system, reduce exhaust emissions and improve fuel economy. This small cost up front can save you money down the line.

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