



Maryland Green Registry MEMBER

The Maryland Green Registry promotes and recognizes sustainable practices at organizations of all types and sizes. Members agree to share at least five environmental practices and one measurable result while striving to continually improve their environmental performance.

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Landscaping and Construction

Member since July 2010

Management and Leadership



Annual Environmental Goals

1. *Donate and plant 10 trees to a local charity.*
2. *Encourage customers to choose permeable pavement when planning for hardscaping*
3. *Use native plants (xeriscaping) for at least 75% of projects*
4. *Gradually replace all appliances with Energy Star rated appliances over the next 2 years.*



Environmentally Preferable Products and Services

We encourage customers to use permeable pavers, which help prevent run-off. We also encourage clients to use native plants to reduce the need for watering and encourage native habitats. We offer services to help customers create bioswales to further help with drainage issues. We offer clients options that are less harmful to the environment such as using low VOC paints, and using products created from recycled goods whenever possible.

Waste



Solid Waste Reduction and Reuse

Scrap paper is used for notes, and left over building materials are reused on other jobs.



Recycling

We recycle bottles, cans and paper.

Energy

Energy Efficiency

All new appliances purchased are Energy Star rated. Computers and other appliances are plugged into power strips, which are turned off when not in use.

Transportation

Employee Commute

Most of our contractors carpool to the jobsite and a bus stop is located right in front of the shop for easy access with public transportation. Secretaries are allowed to work from home to reduce miles in the car.

Fleet Vehicles

We use a Hybrid for all estimates. This means an increase from 8 miles per gallon (Ford F250) to average 50 miles per gallon (Prius Hybrid). Since we drive an average of 50 miles per day, this means a reduction of almost 6.25 gallons of gas a day!

Water

Water Conservation

We do not water our grass saving 326,000 gallons of water per year (based on 652,000 gallons of water per acre per year).

Other

We have an employee that is a LEED Green Associate and is taking Montgomery College classes on sustainable environment.

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Help build a greener, more sustainable Maryland through voluntary practices that reduce environmental impacts and save money.

Learn more at www.green.maryland.gov/registry

