

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.

Beacon Printing Company Inc.

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Commercial printing company Member since December 2009

Management And Leadership

☑ Environmental Policy Statement

http://www.beaconprintinginc.com/sitewide/pgs/environmental.aspx

Environmental Team

Each supplier to Beacon is part of our Environmental Team. They are encouraged weekly to bring green ideas to the table and products that support our environmental policies. Ink and paper suppliers are especially encouraged as they supply us environmentally certified papers and inks used for FSC and SFI certified jobs.

☑ Environmentally Preferable Procurement

Beacon demands that its paper suppliers be (FSC) certified. Beacon is a Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certified printer and to maintain that chain of custody certification, we must have certified suppliers as well.

<u>Waste</u>

✓ Recycling

We enforce a stringent recycling program. Beacon Printing is proud to encourage recycling in every aspect of our company. We receive monthly reports from our recycler that include how much of each recycled product we have sent them. These are measurable and evaluated annually. To date in 2009 our

recycled weight of paper is 118,100 lbs. We not only recycle paper as a standard practice but go several steps further and recycle all of our aluminum, plastics, glass and cardboard just to name a few. As an incentive for employees to recycle, Beacon Printing puts any income generated through recycling into the company profit sharing plan.

Energy

✓ Energy Efficiency

We encourage each of our employees to be as energy conscious as possible. An example of this is if we have two jobs for a particular piece of equipment both of those will be done consecutively and then that machine is turned off for the day. The same is true for lights in areas not in use. Those remain off until that area is producing product.

Transportation

✓ Fleet Vehicles

We do operate a fleet of vehicles for pick-up and delivery. We have a transportation manager that routes those vehicles every day. He is charged with making sure his drivers are routed as efficiently as possible and any alterations to these routes must be approved by him.

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