

Council For Sustainable Florida 2003 Award Winners

BUSINESS INITIATIVES

- THE BONITA BAY GROUP, ESTATES AT TWIN EAGLES
Environmentally responsible development after bankruptcy of original developer due to environmental opposition

- ILUKA RESOURCES. INC.
Comprehensive company conservation efforts; ecological restoration plan and initiatives

- THE MIAMI HERALD PUBLISHING COMPANY
Recycles 95% waste products; uses recycled newsprint; company-wide pollution prevention initiative

- THE OLD COLLIER GOLF CLUB
First Audubon* International Certified Gold signature sanctuary golf club in the world; comprehensive water conservation efforts

- PCS PHOSPHATE
Removal of nitrogen from process water using wetlands constructed on reclaimed land

- PROGRESS ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.
Collaborative development of manufactured housing using photovoltaic energy system

- THE ST. JOE COMPANY, WATERCOLOR DEVELOPMENT
Development of WaterColor planned community in Walton County using native plants, dune preservation and restoration, and numerous other conservation measures

BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIPS:

- MILLER SELLEN CONNER & WALSH/HEALTHY COMMUNITY INITIATIVE OF ORLANDO
Developed a strategic alliance of business and a non-profit community-wide organizations for Legacy reports and community leadership for sustainability

- WILSONMILLER/COLLIER COUNTY/EASTERN COLLIER PROPERTY OWNERS
Development of a model Rural Lands Stewardship Area planning process to preserve agricultural and natural resources

UNIVERSITIES:

- FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY
Development and implementation of an innovative Environmental MBA program
- FLORIDA SEA GRANT PROGRAM
Statewide university-based coastal research, problem-solving, education, extension/ outreach and communications program
- STETSON UNIVERSITY
New “green” Business Center; Florida Native Plant Policy and Guiding Principle/Values document that emphasizes environmental responsibility for students and faculty

COMMUNITY/VOLUNTEER EFFORTS:

- EGMONT KEY ALLIANCE
Beach protection and restoration, visitor/ education center and turtle nesting beach survey and protection
- THE TAMPA AUDUBON SOCIETY
Audubon Resource Center established in a County park

MODEL GOVERNMENTAL ENTERPRISES:

- ESCAMBIA COUNTY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
Area wide “clean sweeps” trash pickup campaigns with special focus on urban core redevelopment areas on bayous leading to Pensacola Bay
- PINELLAS COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL FOUNDATION
Unique collaboration with the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation and business to award 47 grants for a \$7M conservation effort

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Council for Sustainable Florida 2003 Promising Practices

BUSINESS

- ARDAMAN & ASSOCIATES
- COVANTA ENERGY CORPORATION
- THE FOLSOM GROUP
- GULF POWER
- GULFSTREAM NATURAL GAS
- MARINE MAX, INC.
- ST. JOE SOUTHWOOD DEVELOPMENT
- WCI
- WINDSOR METAL FINISHING

BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIP

- SPACE COAST INTERAGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL PARTNERSHIP

UNIVERSITY

- FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY

COMMUNITY GROUPS

- IMAGINE JACKSON VISIONING GROUP
- TRASH BUSTER MARINE LITTER ABATEMENT

GOVERNMENT

- ENVIRONMENTAL DISTANCE LEARNING
- MANATEE COVE MARINA AT PATRICK AIR FORCE BASE
- WEKIVA RIVER BASIN TASK FORCE
- PINELLAS COUNTY UTILITIES