

Administrative Services Division Department of Facilities Management

Recycling Initiative Progress Update February 2005



DEPARTMENT OF FACILITIES MANAGEMENT











• The Department of Facilities Management is currently handling all recycle materials on the main Government Complex and moving forward to complete most satellite offices. Locations with new recycling containers include:

INTERIOR: Building B, Buildings Cl and C2, Building F (2nd, 3rd and 5th floors), Building G, Building H (1st, 2nd and 3rd floors), and Building L (1st and 5th floors).

EXTERIOR: Building B, Building D (East), Building F (Vending Machine Area), Building H (2 containers), Building J, Building L (2 containers), Museum, Parking Garage #1, Subway, and Building W.

- Benches constructed of recyclable materials have been placed at the Parking Garage, Jail, and various Tram Stops around campus.
- Materials being picked up for recycling by Waste Management include cardboard, paper, glass, aluminum, and plastic. The Department of Facilities Management has placed twelve (12) 64-gallon co-mingled totes near Building W to accommodate the new interior and exterior containers placed throughout campus. These totes are emptied by Waste Management once per week. Our janitorial service, OneSource, picks up the indoor co-mingled items once per week during the scheduled office paper recycling pick-up.
- Office paper is placed in the large recycling container outside of Building W and newspaper is taken to the large recycling container located in the Wal Mart parking lot.
- Currently, there is one large cardboard receptacle located at Building W for recycling purposes. OneSource personnel and Facilities' staff collect cardboard daily or as needed and this receptacle is emptied weekly by Waste Management.
- The Department of Facilities Management is in the process of ordering additional inside and outside recycling stations. We hope to place some of these at all library locations, several Parks and Recreation sites, Transportation, and all locations in Immokalee. Currently, there are several containers placed at Community Development, but additional containers will be placed as the need arises.
- To date, Facilities Management has spent \$28,000 on containers and another order of \$30,000 has been placed for remaining facilities.
- The Department of Facilities Management is dedicated to making recycling a success for Collier County Government and its employees.