Pell Wealth Partners
Ameriprise Private Wealth Advisory Practice

[Certified Green Business Logo]
THE GREEN TEAM

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Energy Reduction
- Recycling and Waste Reduction
- Green Purchasing
- Transportation Awareness
- Water reduction/conservation
Our goal, as a Green Team, is to have all 16 people that consider themselves environmentally conscious, also consider their workplace to be environmentally friendly.
ENERGY REDUCTION

At Pell Wealth we...

- Make sure to turn off lights when they're not in use & posted signage to remind occupants
- Are replacing incandescent bulbs with LEDs
- Installing an auto on-off sensor for all light fixtures
- Replacing old & requiring all future electronic equipment to be Energy Star rated
ENERGY REDUCTION

- Utilize a timed sleep mode on all computers
- Discontinued the use of screen savers
- Shut all computers off at end of day
RECYCLING AND WASTE REDUCTION

Some of our recycling and waste reduction measures:

- Use clearly labeled recycling bins and signs throughout our facility
- Provide clearly labeled battery disposal bins in the office
- Use reusable dishes, silverware and mugs
- Recycle all printer cartridges
RECYCLING AND WASTE REDUCTION

- Use e-mail, PowerPoint presentations, or the whiteboard instead of paper copies whenever possible.
- Print double sided whenever possible.
- Continuously opt out of all unwanted mail and catalogs.
- Recycle paper in secure shredding bin.
ANNUAL SHREDDING AND E-WASTE RECYCLING EVENT

Annually, Pell Wealth Partners will host a paper shredding and E-waste recycling event. This is an open invitation for all clients, friends, family, and community members. As part of our commitment to security and sustainability, trucks will be onsite to confidentially shred paper documents and recycle items including: computers (laptops, monitors, keyboards, mice, power cords), printers, cameras, smart phones, and much more!

In 2017 we were able to successfully shred and recycle 1,760 lbs. of paper and 114 electronic devices.
GREEN PURCHASING

Some new purchases Pell Wealth has made...

- Printer/copy paper made from 100% post-consumer recycled content and certified by the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC)
- 100% recycled paper towels
- Dishwasher pods, cleaning products, trash bags and tissue boxes reviewed by the Environmental Working Group (EWG) and USDA certified
“GROUNDS TO GROW ON”

K-Cup Recovery Program

Grounds to Grow On™ converts recovered K-Cups into new usable alternatives like compost and energy.

Brewed K-Cups are collected from customer locations and separated into two components: the grounds and everything else.

The grounds are converted into compost, while everything else is converted into energy.
TRANSPORTATION AWARENESS

At RPW there are...

- Bike racks in the parking garage
- Free shuttle services provided to all tenants during rush hour to the New Haven and Harlem Metro-North train lines.
- Easily accessible bus stops provided through Westchester county’s Bee-Line bus system that access all nearby trains stations and towns.
WATER REDUCTION/ CONSERVATION

- Install signs near faucets to remind staff/clients to turn off water fully.
- Run dishwashers only with full loads and post signage to remind employees.
- Magnet for dishwasher that slides back and forth between “clean” and “dirty” to reduce re-washing fishes that are already clean.
FUTURE GOALS

- Complete LED lighting retrofit in office.
- Educate our employees on more efficient ways to travel to and from work, instead of 92% of employees driving passenger cars alone.
- Decrease energy consumption by engaging in energy saving activities.