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Fabtex Facilities Achieve Green Office Certification



Fabtex facilities in Danville, PA, Lumberton, NC and Orange, CA achieved Green Office Certification from GreenLine Paper. This certification is offered to organizations that meet environment-friendly criteria including the use of recycled and energy-efficient products, the wise use of energy and proactive recycling practices.

Fabtex received this certification as part of its broader ongoing efforts to refine and improve processes to become a more environmentally conscious company. Employees were involved with the program and continue to look for and suggest additional ways to improve Fabtex practices to reduce its footprint.

As a company, Fabtex recognizes the importance of environmental sustainability and encourages good stewardship practices. For example, nearly all Fabtex decorative fabrics are produced in North American plants close to their fabrication facilities, as well as end users, ensuring both good labor practices and energy savings in shipping and delivery.

To determine their eligibility for certification, Fabtex was required to demonstrate its environmentally conscious practices regarding energy use, building construction, office supplies, waste reduction/recycling and transportation.

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Some of the criteria include the following:

- Product recycling
- Use of energy efficient lighting
- Use of energy star rated office equipment
- Efforts to cut down paper use
- Use of non toxic eco friendly cleaning products
- Use of recycled toner ink cartridges
- Provide parking for bicycles
- Use of recycled content napkins, paper towels, etc.

Fabtex, along with its employees, continues to expand its environmental efforts and is developing the following initiatives:

- Use of recyclable packaging materials and reducing materials used.
- Returning plastic thread cores to manufacturer for recycling.
- Donating scrap wood to local boy scouts for projects.
- Recycling scrap aluminum from manufacturing.
- Recycling scrap fabrics from manufacturing.
- Collecting used cell phones that an employee sends to his native Guatemala for use.

ABOUT FABTEX

Fabtex is a leading fabricator of hospitality bed coverings and window treatments. Three production facilities strategically located across the U.S. allow Fabtex to efficiently measure, fabricate, deliver and install products for hotels worldwide. For more information, visit www.fabtex.com.

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