Energy/Waste Management

Energy

In response to escalating energy costs and limited resources, ESD 123 will use long-term energy management practices in an effort to decrease energy costs so efficiency is maximized. Staff will be expected to be prudent in turning off equipment and lights when not in use.

Waste Reduction and Recycling

ESD 123 recognizes solid-waste reduction and recycling as necessary strategies in waste management. When practical and the following strategies will be used:

1. paper separation receptacles will be provided throughout ESD 123 facilities;
2. the recycled paper will be procured for staff use;
3. cardboard will be stored in designated areas for recycling;
4. employees will be encouraged to use non-single use (i.e., ceramic, glass, etc.) mugs;
5. computer printer cartridges should be recycled;
6. aluminum can receptacles will be provided;
7. styrofoam packing materials will be separated and recycled; and
8. employee awareness of recycling and waste reduction issues will be facilitated.

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