



# Green Meetings by The NCED Conference Center & Hotel

The NCED Conference Center and Hotel is committed to protecting the environment, the health and safety of our associates, and the community in which we conduct our business. It is our policy to seek improvements throughout our business operations to lessen our impact on the local and global environment by conserving energy, water, and other natural resources; reducing waste generation; recycling and purchasing recycled products; and reducing our use of toxic materials. We are committed to pollution prevention, continual improvement and meeting or exceeding all environmental regulatory requirements.

## EVENTS & MEETINGS

- Sales and Conference Services Staff are all Green Meetings Certified through Marriott
- Notepads made from 100% recycled paper
- Pens made from recycled materials
- Eco-Friendly water service by Natura®
- Recycling bins in meeting rooms
- On-line event catering menus
- Paperless e-billing
- Organic Flowers (Upon Request)
- Reusable name tags (Upon Request)
- Starbuck's® uses cups made from post consumer waste

## THE NCED CONFERENCE CENTER & HOTEL

- 100% non smoking facility
- Linen reuse program for water consumption reduction
- Certified ozone machine for laundry to reduce water consumption
- Recycling of plastic, cardboard, aluminum, light bulbs, paint/solvent, aerosol cans, kitchen grease and more
- Water saving shower heads in all guest rooms
- In tank water savers in all toilets in guest rooms
- Motion sensor and timed light switches in all closets and storage rooms
- Sensors and water conserving faucets and toilets in all public restrooms
- Excess food donation to Little River Zoo
- Converted swimming pool from chlorine to salt water
- On-Site Herb Garden used in food preparation
- CFL Lighting in 98% of hotel for energy reduction
- Nightly Energy Audits conducted by Loss Prevention

## CERTIFICATIONS, AWARDS, AND RECOGNITIONS

- OKSTAR® Platinum Certified by the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality
- ECO® Platinum Certified by the Oklahoma Department of Tourism
- ENERGY STAR® Certified
- Norman Chamber of Commerce "Greenovation" Recycling Large Business Award in 2009
- Red Bud Award for Ecotourism from the Oklahoma Department of Tourism and Recreation 2010

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