

SFCI Update

Sustainable Food Court Initiative

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POWER Meeting
U.S. Composting Council Conference
January 18, 2012
Austin, TX

Sustainable Food Court Initiative

An Ei Task Force in Partnership with the NRA



Mission:

To bring zero waste initiatives to food courts and develop industry, sustainable best practices for Back-of-the-House and Front-of-the-House operations



Co-Chairs:



Chris Moyer, NRA ConSERVE
Program Director



Doug Kunnemann, NatureWorks LLC
Business Segment Director

SFCI Team:

Broad-Based Representation & Membership

1. Trade Associations/Non-Profits
2. Foodservice Operators
3. Property Owners|Managers
4. Industry Suppliers

SFCI Team:

Trade Associations/Non-Profits:

- Elemental Impact
- Foodservice Packaging Institute
- National Restaurant Association
- Institute for Local Self Reliance



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SOLUTIONS FOR SUSTAINABILITY

SFCI Team:

Foodservice Operators:

- HMSHost

Property Owners|Managers:

- City of Atlanta | Atlanta Airport
- Simon Property Group



SFCI Team:

Industry Suppliers:

- Asean/StalkMarket
- Clean River
- MeadWestvaco
- NatureWorks LLC
- Solo Cup Company
- Tomra



Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

- Six month project designed to bring organics collection to front and back-of-the-house concession operations
- Project stages to simplify process

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Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

- Two-month BOH organics collection test –run to understand logistics
- Project stages to simplify process

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

*All food vendors must use compostable
serviceware and consumer-facing
packaging and source-separate organics
for composting collection.*

Provision in new airport concessions RFP

2011 Going Green Airports Award:

Sustainable Food Court Initiative Atlanta Airport Pilot.



Michael Cheyne accepted award on
October 31

Atlanta Airport ACTION Team

Three Subcommittees:

- Baseline & Metrics Reporting
- Sustainable Packaging
- FOH Recycling Centers

Additional Pilots:

- Simon Properties | HMSHost Mall
- Atlanta Event Venue
- Office Food Court

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