
Subject: **PROCUREMENT OF RECYCLED AND
ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY PRODUCTS**

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PURPOSE:

To insure that every effort is made to purchase products made from recovered materials and products which are energy efficient, remanufactured, reprocessed or environmentally friendly.

SCOPE:

All purchases made for City use.

POLICY:

There is a limitation on purchasing recycled goods: They cannot cost more than similar items which do not have recycled materials in them.

City Commission mandates all City Departments to take an active role to close the recycling loop by purchasing:

1. Paper stock with specified content of recovered materials, and
2. Products offered which are energy efficient, remanufactured, reprocessed, recyclable and/or environmentally friendly, and
3. Products which are recyclable, and
4. Goods that meet the EPA recycling Guidelines such as those published on building insulation materials, lubricating oils, retread tires, paper and paper products, etc.

Every attempt should be made to purchase such products when economically feasible.

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SEE ALSO:

Resolution No. 92-172

HISTORY: