





The CT Green Building Council (CTGBC)
Moving CT Toward Green



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- ◆ Began meeting in summer 2002
- ◆ Effort had political support
- ◆ CT Innovations “sponsored” through the CT Clean Energy Fund
- ◆ Members of public and private sectors were invited to a introductory meeting



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- ◆ Interested organizations began meeting monthly and formed a non-profit:
 - ❖ State agencies-DEP, Office of Policy & Management, Dept of Public Works
 - ❖ Manufacturer of fuel cells
 - ❖ Architects/energy consultants
 - ❖ Clean Energy Fund staff




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- ◆ Mission of organization is to provide education on green building including:
 - ❖ LEED training for design professionals
 - ❖ Less technical seminars for other audiences
 - ❖ Providing a clearinghouse for Green Building info



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- ◆ A kick-off was held that featured national speakers (October 2002)
- ◆ Bob Fox, Fox and Fowle Architects, NYC
 - ❖ Designed 4 Times Square Office Bldg
- ◆ PA DEP James Toothaker
 - ❖ Managed building of PA DEP Headquarters



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- ◆ Kick-off recruited members and donations
- ◆ CTGBC sponsors with the USGBC - LEED training featuring USGBC trainers
- ◆ Provides member socials for networking
- ◆ Offers tours of innovative buildings (e.g., Mohegan Sun fuel cells heat plant)



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- ◆ Tours of CT sites with green features



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- ◆ Related topics are also featured at events (e.g., completely renewable energy systems, solar combined with a fuel cell)



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- ◆ Upcoming events include:
 - ◆ Lighting and Sustainable Design
 - ◆ Green, High-Performance Schools
 - ◆ Landscape Design to Reduce Stormwater Runoff Naturally
 - ◆ Green Home Design



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