

# 2016 Aviation Green Gateway Environmental Excellence Awards

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# 2016 Award Program

- Recognize environmental accomplishments of Airport tenants and business partners
- Encourage ongoing support for Airport environmental objectives and Century Agenda Goals
- Multiple categories and criteria (Performance, Innovation, Education) -  
*\*New Small Business Award type in 2016\**
- Winners determined by staff review and Senior Management concurrence

Awards for tenant and business support for Port Environmental Goals since 2010

# 2016 Award Winners



Wide range of partners recognized for 2016 awards

# Environmental Performance (*Small Business*)



- Donated 8,383 lbs. of food through the Airport's Food Donation Program
- Implemented
  - Composting and recycling practices for employees
  - Green cleaning practices
- Conserved water with low-flow pitcher rinsers.

Beecher's Cheese is the first winner of our new Small Business Environmental Excellence Award

# Environmental Performance



- Distributed nearly 50,000 lbs. (800 meals/week) of donated Airport food to local community
- Reduced Airport solid waste costs by avoiding \$3,400 in landfill disposal fees
- Since 2006, the food bank helped Airport tenants donate over 229,000 lbs. or 183,000 meals to families within neighboring airport communities.

Des Moines Area Food Bank provides both environmental and social benefits for our communities

# Environmental Performance (*Honor Roll*)



- Donated:
  - 38,798 lbs. of airport food
  - \$12,000 and 40 backpacks to Des Moines Area Food Bank's Weekend Backpack Program
  - 60 used tables and chairs from office and restaurant renovations
- Recycled 45 tons of glass and 23 tons of cardboard from Airport warehouse, and reused 7,000 pallets
- Replaced disposable service ware with compostable and/or recyclable alternatives

HMSHost is advancing their sustainability program to include construction waste as well as terminal waste

# Environmental Performance



- Replaced over 200,000 “to-go” bags for food with reusable liner-less trays
- Recycled 30,000 plastic chowder bags
- Compost (food waste) and recycle back-of-house restaurant waste
- Conserve water by thawing frozen products in walk-in coolers vs. running under cool water.

Ivar's embraces environmental sustainability

# Environmental Innovation



- Installed View Dynamic Glass window system in its new SkyClub Lounge at Sea-Tac Airport
- Glass tints in response to outdoor conditions
- Reduces electricity costs by 7% per year.

Delta is using advanced technology to conserve energy