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Climate Wise Program Salutes 2008 Platinum Partners

A hearty round of applause goes out to the following Fort Collins businesses for outstanding environmental stewardship and reducing greenhouse gas emissions. Join the city's Climate Wise Program in thanking these innovators for making our community a greener and healthier place to live:



Anheuser-Busch photo by Ryan Maier
Recycled or re-used 99% of solid waste stream. A new environmental tours program will be offered to all full-time employees to increase awareness about environmental impacts and how to reduce them at work and at home.



Café Ardour photo by Ryan Maier
Decreased vehicle use by approximately 6,500 miles through continued use of bicycle deliveries for bagels, burritos, recycling, errands and employee transportation. They also became a climate neutral business in 2007.



Avago Technologies photo by Ryan Maier
For the third consecutive year, they reduced electrical consumption by approximately 2%, despite increases in production. They also converted 8 acres of asphalt on their property to native grasses, bushes and trees that will eventually need zero irrigation.



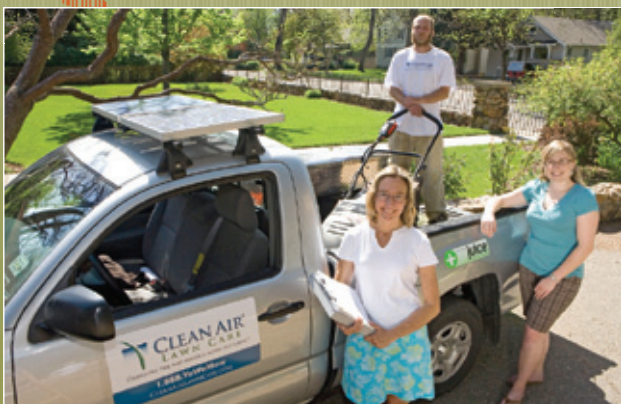
New Belgium Brewing Company, Inc. photo by Ryan Maier
Demonstrated a 50% reduction in HVAC and lighting energy use compared to ASHRAE standards in their new packaging hall. They also powered the "Tour de Fat" trailer with a solar photovoltaic system.



Compliance Partners / Seven Generations photo by Ryan Maier
Compliance Partners' Sunstone office building was the first to pursue LEED-EB certification in Fort Collins. In addition, Seven Generations' office building was the first certified LEED-CS Platinum building in Northern Colorado.



Land Images, Inc. photo by Ryan Maier
Developed SCALES™, an internal office design process to help ensure that designs contribute positively to the community, environment and economy. They also created *Tips and Tricks for Sustainability Development*, a community outreach program to provide practical information and references on how to start adding sustainability to projects.



Clean Air Lawn Care photo by Ryan Maier
Reduced 125,000 lbs. of pollution by switching customers from gas mowers to electric equipment and through carbon offset purchases. They also developed the "Clean Lawn Calculator" to calculate pollution associated with individual lawn care method.



Poudre School District photo by Ryan Maier
A recognized leader in public school energy and environmental stewardship since 1994, PSD continues to be among the top energy efficient school districts in Colorado. To date, they've completed 140 energy efficient projects with a one-time savings of over \$1.88 million and ongoing annual savings of \$437,000.



The Neenan Company photo by Brad Randall
Installed a Green Roof on a portion of the company's roof. Through their employee challenge program, "Dude Where's My Trash Can", the company has decreased CO₂e associated with waste reduction by 86%.

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Interesting fact about you?: I began riding horses when I was 3 years old.
Last Book Read?: "A New Earth" by Eckhart Tolle

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Last Book Read?: "Secrets of the Temple: How the Federal Reserve Runs the Country" by William Greider
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Interesting fact about you?: Candidate for Weld county commissioner at large



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First Job: Working for Title Insurance Co.
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Interesting fact about you?: Married to Jay, have two children, Jeff & Cindy and Kelli & Bryce Crider. Have a great family, 5 grandchildren Jacob & Jaedon Hasbrouck and Madison, and twins Austin & Chloe Crider. Our son and daughter, Jeff and Kelli are in business with us. Love going to our cabin in Crystal Lakes and just relaxing.
Last Book Read?: "Rich Dad, Poor Dad" by Robert T. Kiyosaki and Sharon L. Lechter



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Interesting fact about you?: Developing a Ranch Preservation Community at Sylvan Dale Ranch: Home Sites plus membership in the ranch.
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Last Book Read?: "Crossing the Threshold of Hope" by Pope John Paul II

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Hobbies: Exercising, reading

Last Book Read?: "The World is Flat" by Thomas L. Friedman

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Education and Degree: South Dakota State University BS - Ag Economics
First Job: Agricultural Lender In Eastern South Dakota
Hobbies: Riding my Honda Goldwing motorcycle, relaxing at our cabin in Estes Park, golfing, hiking and snowshoeing.
Interesting fact about you?: I get great satisfaction in the success of those I have had an opportunity to mentor.
Last Book Read?: "Crazy Horse and Custer" by Stephen Ambrose
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First Job: Feeding horses, painting fences.

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Last Book Read?: "The Black Swan: The Impact of the Highly Improbable" by Nassim Nicholas Taleb

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Last Book Read?: "Founding Brothers" by Joseph J. Ellis

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Education and Degree: Bachelor's in Community Recreation, University of Northern Colorado

First Job: Worked for Flatiron Paving

Hobbies: Ski, play golf, remodel warehouses, "Voice of the Rams," Chairman Qualifier at the Fort Rodeo

Interesting fact about you?: Four generations in Northern Colorado

Last Book Read?: "Blood and Thunder" by Hampton Sides

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Hobbies: Travel, reading, grandchildren

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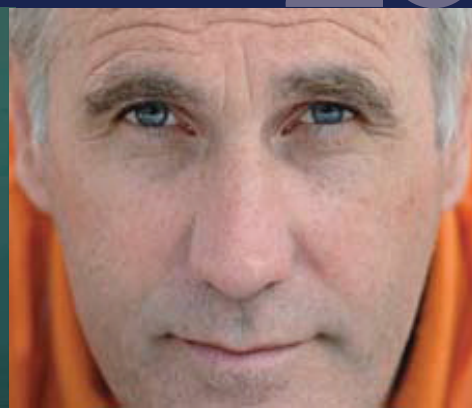
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Hobbies: All things outdoors (gardening, golf, hik-
 ing, biking, skiing, etc.) and cooking - not baking!

Interesting fact about you?: Play tennis and
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Last Book Read?: "The Audacity of Hope" by Barack Obama
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First Job: Professional trumpet player
Hobbies: Music, golf, abstract art
Last Book Read?: "Live A Thousand Years - Have the Time of your Life" by Giovanni Livera
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Last Book Read?: "The Field" by Lynne Taggart
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Hobbies: Bicycling, gardening, collecting art glass.
Last Book Read?: "Dog Years" by Mark Doty

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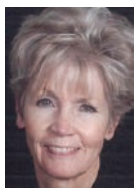
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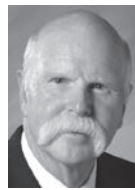
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Last Book Read?: "The Color of Water" by James McBride
Age: 52



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First Job: Have worked for Larimer County for 37 years
Hobbies: Horseback riding
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Last Book Read?: "The Secret Life of Bees" by Sue Monk Kidd

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First Job: Farm worker on Dad's farm

Hobbies: Playing guitar and fly fishing

Interesting fact about you?: I've successfully bid on the Super Bowl, NCAA Final Four, NBA and NHL All-Star Games in my past positions.

Last Book Read?: "Into The Wild" by John Krakauer

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Interesting fact about you?: I just became a Grandma on March 12th and I'm loving it!!!

Last Book Read?: "Stalemate" by Iris Johansen

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Last Book Read?: The Bible



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Interesting fact about you?: Unites States Air Force - 12 years. Korea and Vietnam. World Travelled. Great wife (Jeannie) four children, and four great grandchildren. Made a hole in one at golf - came in 1st place at a Poker Tournament out of 3,842 participants. Owned two white table cloth restaurants. Love the culinary arts.

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First Job: Bank teller

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Age: 40

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Interesting fact about you?: I've always had great leadership qualities. In fact, I lead seven seasoned sales people off a plane in North Carolina...It wasn't their stop!
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Hobbies: Travel, reading, writing and golf, spending time with Jay and our son, Jake.
Interesting fact about you?: Am writing a book about our travels.
Last Book Read?: "Shantaram" by Gregory David Roberts and "Pillars of the Earth" by Ken Follett
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First Job: Parent-owned chain of family restaurants; I worked side by side with my father until 16 years of age.
Hobbies: Hiking, reading, quilt-making, embroidery, swimming, mission work in the United States, helping others where I can.
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Last Book Read?: "The Secret" by Rhonda Byrne

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Hobbies: Various outdoor activities, skiing and hiking
Interesting fact about you?: Born in New Orleans in a hospital that has since been destroyed by Katrina.
Last Book Read?: "Quiet Strength" by Tony Dungy
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Interesting fact about you?: During 2008, I was selected for a Be Bold Award from the Women's Foundation of Colorado. Since that time I have been challenged by others to "be bold" in a number of circumstances and I have also found I can now get by with "being bold" when I decide to try it. It is interesting to me how a label can actually affect reality.
Last Book Read?: "Eat, Pray, Love" by Elizabeth Gilbert
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Interesting fact about you?: Currently spearheading the development of Improving Our World, a proposed nonprofit organization dedicated to the Art for Conservation project-creating a paper maché cottage industry to combat poverty and provide sustainable new livelihood options in central India's Bandhavgarh National Park, www.ImprovingOurWorld.info
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Last Book Read?: "Three Cups of Tea" by Greg Mortensen and David Oliver Relin
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Hobbies: Reading, river rafting, volunteering, spending time with family and friends
Interesting fact about you?: I'm blessed to have a great and supportive family who enable me to dedicate much of my life to the important work of United Way.
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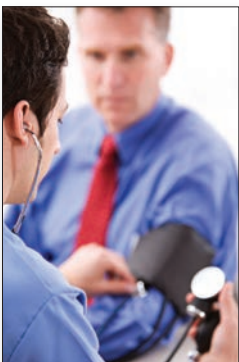
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Last Book Read?: "Our Endangered Values" by Jimmy Carter

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First Job: Paperboy
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Interesting fact about you?: Proud alum of the NCAA Men's Basketball National Champion
Last Book Read?: "The Kite Runner" by Khaled Hosseini
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Education and Degree: Bachelor's degrees, English & Rhetoric, University of Illinois
First Job: Proofreader for the National Council of Teachers of English
Hobbies: Soccer, cycling, running, triathlon, spoiling our three dogs
Interesting fact about you?: Was in a competitive drum and bugle corps in high school/college
Last Book Read?: "The Millionaire Mind" by Thomas J. Stanley
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Education and Degree: Bachelor's, Political Science, University of Colorado
First Job: Legislative Legal Assistant for the Colorado General Assembly
Hobbies: Skiing, interior design, biking, my 3 1/2 year old son
Age: 39

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Education and Degree: Master's in taxation from CSU

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Hobbies: Family time and spending time in Colorado's mountains

Interesting fact about you?: I had the great chance to ice skate to the Boston Pops Orchestra.

Last Book Read?: "The World is Flat" by Thomas L. Friedman

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Hobbies: Skiing, working out, reading, camping, hiking, traveling

Interesting fact about you?: I was a volunteer for the US Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs when it first opened at an old military barracks.

Last Book Read?: "Water for Elephants" by Sara Gruen

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Last Book Read?: "Hug Your Customer" by Jack Mitchell

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Hobbies: Snowboarding, mountain biking, hiking, running, reading

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Last Book Read?: "Out of Poverty" by Paul Polak

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Last Book Read?: "A New Brand World" by Scott Bedbury and Stephen Fenichell
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First Job: Stacking lumber in my dad's lumber yard
Hobbies: Fly fishing, golf, tennis, climbing, hiking, skiing, reading, blues harp, painting, writing, traveling
Last Book Read?: "The Road" by Cormac McCarthy
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First Job: Lumber yard employee

Hobbies: Golfing, fishing, hiking and skiing

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Interesting fact about you?: I've been to India six times to climb and work with children.

Last Book Read?: "The Boys of Pointe" by du Hoc

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Last Book Read?: "The Greatest Salesman in the World" by Og Mandino

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First Job: Bowling alley attendant at age 12

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Last Book Read?: Louis Lamour

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Hobbies: Volunteer activities, gardening, sewing and grandchildren

Last Book Read?: "Will in the World, How Shakespeare became Shakespeare" by Stephen Greenblatt

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First Job: Real estate intern

Hobbies: Fishing, golfing, anything outdoors, sailing, collecting real estate, fine art, watches etc.

Interesting fact about you?: Lived on a sailboat in the Caribbean for 20 months from 2001-2003 and traveled from Fort Lauderdale down to Venezuela along the Leeward and Windward island chains.

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Education and Degree: Bachelor's from Colorado State University

First Job: City of Fort Collins Parks and Recreation

Hobbies: Team roping

Last Book Read?: "The Experience Economy" by B. Joseph Pine and James H. Gilmore

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First Job: Public works department for the town of Estes Park

Hobbies: Golf, traveling, running, cooking, reading

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Last Book Read?: "Ultimate Jujitsu: Principles and Practices" by Jonathan Maberry
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Last Book Read?: "The Audacity of Hope" by Barack Obama

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First Job: Lifeguard at Crystal Rapids Waterpark
Hobbies: Golfing, hiking, backpacking, singing, etc.
Interesting fact about you?: I have two... I have been to all 50 states and all but six National Parks AND once sang at Carnegie Hall in New York.
Last Book Read?: "The Appeal" by John Grisham

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First Job: Grocery store stocker

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First Job: Custom hot rod painter

Hobbies: Alternative energy, home automation ATV-off roading

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Last Book Read?: "4-Hour Work Week" by Timothy Ferriss

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First Job: At age 16 in Hong Kong refugee camp, I was a cook (non-paid). First paid job at age 16 in Hong Kong, I made \$1/hr inspecting sweaters.

Hobbies: Soccer coach for my daughter, cooking, Chinese chess

Interesting fact about you?: Escaped Vietnam when I was 16, was on a ship with 2,500 others for 6 months in harbor outside Hong Kong, then in prison for 4 months, then in a refugee camp for 2 months before finally arriving in United States and spoke no English.

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Hobbies: Golf, photography, skiing, model airplanes

Interesting fact about you?: Mach 2 doesn't seem all that fast from inside the cockpit.

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