BRONZE CHECKLIST-Hunt Library

PARTICIPATION

□ 1. Our Office has signed the Scotty Goes Green Office Participation Pledge.

2. We have completed our Green Office Pre-Audit.

□ 3. We include sustainability topics as a regular agenda item at staff meetings.

□ 4. Our office has or is working to establish an active Green Team.

<u>5. Our Workplace website includes a link to the - Environment @ CMU website and information about</u> our progress toward becoming Green Certified.

<u>• 6. Our group or office displays the Green Tip poster and/or certificate on an office bulletin board.</u>

□ 7. Members of our office know the Scotty Goes Green Rep is the contact for ideas, questions, and comments regarding sustainability.

ENERGY

□ 8. We turn off lights when we leave an unoccupied room or we use task lighting or daylight in place of overhead light.

□ 9. When possible, we use human power instead of electric power.

 $\hfill\square$ 10. We practice energy efficient computing practices

□ 11. We use centralized, shared appliances and equipment such as printers, scanners, copiers, and refrigerators.

□ 12. We unplug Vampire Power

□ 13. When possible, we try to turn off our computers and monitors every night.

□ 14. Our office completes an energy 'power down' before holidays and breaks.

□ 15. We ensure that windows are tightly closed during heating and cooling season.

□ 16. Our office refrains from using space heaters.

TRANSPORTATION & COMMUTING

□ 17. For on-campus meetings and departmental events, we carpool; take the shuttle, bike or walk.

□ 18. We calculate our commuter carbon footprint, track changes over time, and share the results with our office.

□ 19. We are aware of the bike racks nearest our office building.

□ 20. We telecommute when possible.

KITCHEN

□ 21. We report leaks and running faucets to FMS.

22. We use environmentally friendly products.

23. We participate in Food Composting.

24. We pack or purchase waste-free lunches.

EVENTS

25. We use reusable mugs/cups at office meetings and events.

□ 26. We have made our meetings paper-free.

RECYCLING

□ 27. We practice recycling and we have recycling instructions posted near all recycling bins.

□ 28. We provide recycling bins at events and meetings sponsored by our office.

□ 29. We recycle batteries using the FMS battery collection service.

□ 30. We reuse single-sided copy and print paper.

□ 31. We recycle used toner and ink cartridges from printers and copy machines.

REDUCE, REUSE

□ 32. We have established an office supply sharing and re-use area for file folders, binders, pens, tape, etc.

□ 33. We use interdepartmental envelopes for mailing on campus.

□ 34. We print and copy on both sides of a page and our printers/computers are set for automatic doublesided printing whenever possible.

□ 35. We arrange for surplus furniture, electronics and equipment to be reused or donated.

PURCHASING

□ 36. For printing and copying, we buy paper containing at least 30% recycled content.

□ 37. Before we purchase new office furniture, such as file cabinets, desks, etc., we check to see if any departments have any surplus in stock.

□ 38. If we must purchase new (or used) appliances and equipment, we only purchase those that comply with USEPA Energy Star Guidelines.

<u>39. We reuse all standard office supplies (paperclips, push pins, and folders etc.) whenever possible</u> and generally refrain from making these purchases often.

□ 40. When we buy supplies for our office we buy in bulk.

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