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OUR MISSION: TO CREATE A POSITIVE ENVIRONMENTAL PLATFORM AT MINUTE MAID PARK AND THROUGHOUT TEXAS THROUGH A COMMITMENT TO EARTH-FRIENDLY EFFORTS TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR OUR FANS.





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July 2007

Minute Maid Park Begins to Recycle





April 22, 2008

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- Adopt-A-Block- Drayton McLane, Mark Loretta, Brad Ausmus and Astros Team Members
- Media Alert, Radio and TV Circuit
- Pre-Game Expo with local Earth-Friendly vendors
- Canvas Eco- Tote Bag with Astros Play Green logo to first 10,000 fans
- Green Cap with Astros Play Green logo to first 10,000 fans
- Players wore green field caps with Play Green logo





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**ASTROS RECYCLE 2.5 TONS
PER GAME-
Aluminum, Cardboard and Plastic
OVER 250 TONS PER YEAR**





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- Recycle light bulbs,
- Compost ballpark grass and use it as fertilizer
- Automatic Paper Towel Dispensers help use less paper
- Giving away Chevy Hybrid car
- Implemented the use of napkins and roll towels not treated with harmful chemicals
- Grounds Crew uses biodiesel fuel in equipment
- Sales materials printed on post-consumer recycled materials
- New carpet made with 30% sustainable content





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- New carpet made with 30% sustainable content
- Recycling Light Bulbs
- Conference Center is Playing Green with recyclable service ware, menu options with local organic ingredients
- Metro Houston Partnership with Carlos Lee





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THE NEXT STEPS

- L.E.E.D Certification
- Carbon Footprint for Minute Maid Park

