



Pedro E. Segarra
Mayor

MAYOR APPLAUDS HARTFORD GREEN ACTION TEAM FOR INSPIRING CITY EMPLOYEES

---NEWS AND COMMUNITY STATEMENT---



SAVE CITY POWER

(April 4, 2011) --- Today the Hartford Green Action Team kicked-off its City employee pledge at City Hall and 525 Main Street to increase recycling and energy conservation efforts. Mayor Pedro E. Segarra issued this statement:

“I am very proud of this highly motivated group of employees who are inspiring us to increase our workplace recycling and energy conservation in order to be stewards of our environment. As a City, we have doubled our residential recycling rate. Now we need to apply the very same green habits at work. When we “Go Green, Use Blue” we save a lot of green--- as in money. Abiding by simple energy tips like shutting off lights, putting copiers on energy saving mode, and shutting off air conditioners will also help us be more financially efficient. I want to thank our Hartford Green Action Team for their inspiration and State DEP Deputy Commissioner Amey Marrella and Department of Public Works Director Kevin Burnham for their partnership to *Save City Power*.”

A special Public Service Announcement was produced for this effort. It can be seen on Government Cable Access Television Channel 96 or go to our YouTube site on www.hartford.gov