

## The St. Louis Symphony Takes on the St. Louis Green Business Challenge



The St. Louis Regional Chamber is challenging St. Louis area companies via the St. Louis Green Business Challenge to move the region's businesses toward sustainable business practices that reduce environmental impact while helping their bottom line. In order to meet this challenge, we have assembled a Symphony "Green Team" consisting of staff and musicians who are developing a sustainability policy for the Symphony and look forward to introducing energy saving ideas and programs over the next year. The Green Team completed the initial baseline-score card and is meeting frequently to discuss ways to implement new ideas to increase our score in the future. We're confident many ideas can be implemented at Powell Hall. The team is reviewing ideas such as purchasing recycled paper products, eliminating Styrofoam, scaling back print projects, etc. It's an important challenge that requires input and cooperation from everyone. Cynthia Schon is leading the Symphony Green Team and will provide regular updates. I know you'll want to support our Symphony Green Team in this important effort.

This program is certainly one that is moving the region's businesses to the path of sustainability, and we are looking forward to joining the other 150+ businesses who are already participating in the challenge. I invite you to learn more about the St. Louis Green Business Challenge; to do so, [click here](#).

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Fred Bronstein'.

Fred Bronstein