

KEWAUNEE GOES GREEN

setting the standards in mindful manufacturing



Kewaunee's Environmental Statement (www.kewaunee.com)

Kewaunee Scientific Corporation recognizes that our environment is the responsibility of not only the individual, but the corporate community as well. The success of our customers, our employees and our company depends on the ability of us all to sustain the resources that underlie the products and services we offer and use.

Our goal is to provide laboratory and technical furniture, fume hoods and accessories that minimize energy consumption and adverse environmental impact by designing, engineering, and manufacturing products

- that use renewable and recyclable resources,
- that use less energy and resources to install and operate, and,
- that match the building life cycle, withstanding the rigors of decades of use, relocation and reuse.

Furthermore, Kewaunee strives to manufacture these products in an environmentally responsible manner, consistently improving and innovating its manufacturing processes to be more environmentally friendly.



WOOD PLANT

Kewaunee's Wood Plant became green in January of 2005 with the implementation of a flat-line finishing system. Flat-line finishing reduces the waste, equipment, cost and labor associated with finishing wood casework by replacing solvent-based stains with water-based ones. As a result of this change, Kewaunee's air emission status has been reduced from "Title V" to "Synthetic Minor." Any liquid waste produced by the process is recycled on site and used as cleaning agents for the flat-line equipment. As a result, Kewaunee's liquid waste generation status has decreased from "Large" to "Small."



METAL PLANT

Kewaunee's Metal Plant became green in January of 2003 by replacing a solvent-based painting operation with a powder-coating system. The powder-coating process produces a more uniform and durable finish by coating parts with finely-ground, dry particles that are electrostatically charged and sprayed on grounded parts. Not only has Kewaunee produced a superior product, but the Company has completely eliminated the use of solvent-based paint and the emission of volatile organic compounds in the metal plant.



RESIN PLANT

Work has begun in the Kewaunee Resin Plant to install a new dust collection system, as well as a separate transformer, in order to improve the general working environment, minimize energy use, create additional space and reduce costs associated with maintenance.



RECOGNITION

Kewaunee Scientific Corporation was recognized by the City of Statesville, North Carolina for Positive Achievement Concerning Environmental Excellence with the 2003-2004 PACE Award.

The City of Statesville also named Kewaunee the 2003-2004 Industry of the Year for its environmental conscientousness.



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