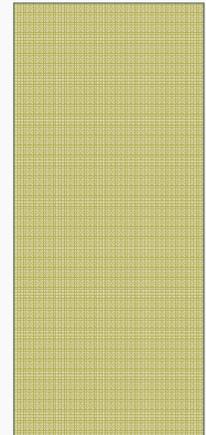




INTERCONTINENTAL BOSTON

COMMUNITY INITIATIVES
“ WORK BETTER TOGETHER ”





OUR GOAL IS:

To be a socially and environmentally responsible organization.

COLLECTION OF SOAPS & BOTTLE AMENITIES TO CLEAN THE WORLD



- ❑ IHG started the soap collection with Global Soap in 2012 –
- ❑ We have shipped over 7500 pounds of soaps to GSP.
- ❑ In 2015 IHG and Clean the World sign a contract to service our recycle program
- ❑ YTD we shipped estimate of 1600 lbs of soaps & 2550 pounds of bottle amenities have been shipped

DERRECK KAYONGO – Co-Founder of Global Soap Project



- ❑ GSP is a non profit organization that recovers and recycles soap from US hotels and distribute to over 90 countries all around the world
- ❑ His mission is to build hope to the unfortunate
- ❑ Now, Derreck is the CEO for National Center for Civil & Human Rights, Inc in Atlanta
- ❑ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sauWSDPBV3g>

VOLUNTEERS THRU OUT

SORTING FROM THE FLOORS

ORGANIZING AND READY TO SHIP



PROS and CONS OF DONATIONS

PROS

- Sustainable for our Green Engage programs
- Add points toward our Green Restaurants and Green Key
- Saves money
- Reduce carbon footprint
- Reduce impact on the environment
- Improve Key measurement
- Involve in civic engagement
- Improve employment morale
- Increase community standing
- Tax Reduction

CONS

- Space can be challenging
- Cost money for recycle
- Labor – more use in the kitchen & housekeeping areas
- Require a lot of efforts from everyone
- Employees can question or show concerns of where the items are going

PARTNERSHIP WITH DAILY TABLE & ROSIE'S PLACE AUGUST 2015 & SEPTEMBER 2016

- * Daily Table is a Non-Profit retail store that offers the Dorchester community a variety of tasty, convenient and affordable foods that will help you feel and be your best.
- * Last year we donated over 2,500 pounds of foods, yogurt, milk, juices and other foods to support the community.



FOOD TO DAILY TABLE





Rosie's Place is a non-profit shelter that provide services to poor and homeless women. They opened their door in 1974.

They help their clients in these areas: education, housing, jobs, domestic violence, social justice, substance and mental illness.

They also have a food pantry.

Rosie's Place is funded completely by donations and volunteer work.



DONATION TO ROSIE'S PLACE



DONATIONS TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS





BOSTON MOTHERS CARE

Rebuilding Hope, Giving Comfort, Loving Children

A volunteer group who came together after the January 2010 earthquake to respond to the needs of families in remote areas of Haiti that are routinely overlooked by relief efforts. We are health care providers, community development planners and neighborhood stabilization volunteers who live in Boston and travel to Haiti to carry out our



LINENS DONATIONS

All of linens, lost and founds, slippers are donated to local shelters, Elderly Shelters,

- Epilepsy Foundations
- Commonwealth Land Trust
- Goodwill
- Our Children, Our Future, Inc in Braintree
- Rise for Haiti
- Children, Inc
- Sant Belvi- Elderly daycare in Mattapan
- Little Sisters of the Poor
- Boston Mothers Care



Little Sisters of the Poor – Sister Mary

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR MISSION,
VISION and VALUES The Little Sisters of the Poor are an international congregation of Roman Catholic women religious founded in 1839 by Saint Jeanne Jugan. Together with a diverse network of collaborators, we serve the elderly poor in over 30 countries around the world.

Their MISSION is to offer the neediest elderly of every race and religion a home where they will be welcomed as Christ, cared for as family and accompanied with dignity until God calls them to himself.

Their VISION is to contribute to the Culture of Life by nurturing communities where each person is valued, the solidarity of the human family and the wisdom of age are celebrated



WHAT TO DO WITH OLD READING LIGHTS?

- EcoBuilding Bargains is the largest used building materials store in New England offering incredible deals on reused and surplus materials, including cabinets, architectural salvage, lumber, doors, windows, tile, appliances, lighting fixtures, and furniture. We have bargains for all budgets!
- **500 READING LIGHT FIXTURES WERE DONATING TO CET – ECO BUILDING BARGAIN LAST JANUARY**

95% of the reading bulbs were sold

- ***Thank you!***

Thank you so much for your recent donation. Without donors like you we could not continue to serve the community with affordable building materials. Not only are you helping us and your neighbors you are also helping to reduce the amount of waste going into landfills. Thanks again and if you have additional materials in the future please drop them off or call us to arrange a pickup. If you haven't been to our new store please drop by and see all of the amazing things people like you have donated.



CET - ECO BUILDING BARGAIN

Old Reading Lights



New Reading Lights



IMPACT OF DONATING GOODS

- ▶ Helping the communities
- ▶ Support the Non – Profit organizations
- ▶ Less materials going to the landfill
- ▶ Given benefits to the neediest people locally and international
- ▶ Any small donation can make a big difference
- ▶ Money is not always the answer, the caring and gesture can help the long way
- ▶ Giving makes us happier
- ▶ Giving bring us together
- ▶ Giving It's a tax deductible
- ▶ You are saving someone's life



Power of Giving



☞ Let us not be satisfied with just giving money. Money is not enough, money can be got, but they need your hearts to love them. So, spread your love everywhere you go.

By Mother Teresa

☞ Happiness... consists in giving, and in serving others.

By Henry Drummond

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