



Environmental League of Massachusetts

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"Don't Blame Me I'm From Massachusetts"

Donald Trump has called climate change a hoax and has promised to withdraw the U.S. from the Paris Climate Agreement, eviscerate the EPA, and more. Unacceptable. ELM is nonpartisan, but we do believe in science, and we will combat the threat of climate change. MA will lead the nation in energy efficiency, off-shore wind, and more. We are proud of MA...and show it!



[Donate now to help us remain a leader and receive a "Don't Blame Me I'm From Massachusetts" bumper sticker, reminiscent of those sported in 1972 after MA was the only state to assign its votes to Nixon's opponent, George McGovern.](#)



ELM Corporate Council Members Urge President-elect Trump to Support Paris Accord

Blue Cross Blue Shield/MA, Trillium Asset Management and the Saunders Hotel Group, members of the ELM Corporate Council, joined 500 companies across the United States in a letter to President-elect urging his support for the Paris accord on climate change. Over 100 countries have signed onto the agreement. Kyle Cahill of BCBS/MA and Matt Patsky are prominently [quoted in a release from CERES](#), which organized the effort.

Walmart Leads on Hazardous Chemicals

In their new *Sustainable Packaging Playbook* Walmart has urged their suppliers to remove hazardous chemicals from packaging. As stated in the Playbook, Walmart "encourages suppliers to remove/reduce/ restrict the use of materials that may present human health and environmental toxicity risks." The guidelines not only ask suppliers to take action to remove these chemicals, but also offer guidance and resources to assist them in the process.



ELM commends Walmart on this positive step towards removing hazardous chemicals from our environment.

ELM Corporate Council Member Chris Famolare **"Young Energy Professional of the Year"**

Recently **Chris Famolare** of **MilliporeSigma** was named the "2016 Young Energy Professional of the Year" by the Association of Energy Engineers. We at ELM are honored to work with such promising individuals like Chris at the innovative members of our Corporate Council.

Congratulations, Chris!



ELM is fighting for a low-carbon future and a thriving green energy economy for Massachusetts.

This is your state. Help us protect it.

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