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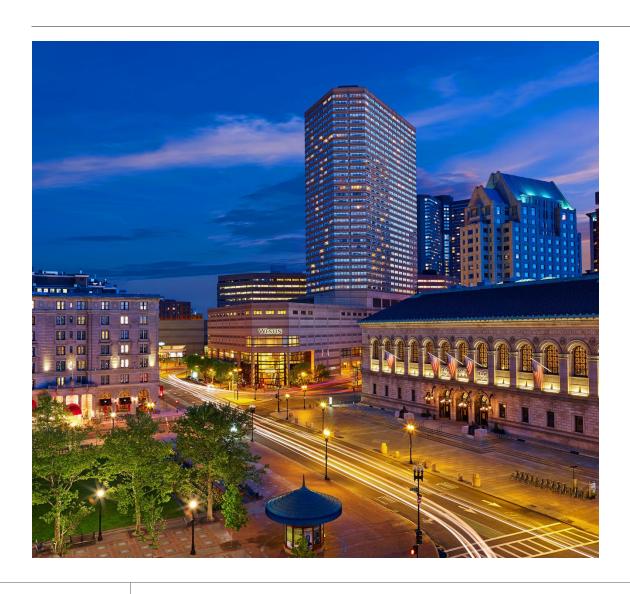
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## Westin Copley Place: Waste Sorting Process

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### Westin Copley Place, Boston



- Located in the heart of Boston's Copley Square
- -36 story tower. 803 guest rooms
- -57,000 sq. ft. of event, conference and meeting space
- -Food & Beverage outlets: Bar10 Grill and Ingredients
- -Leased space on street level: Fogo de Chao, Barry's Bootcamp





## Sustainability

- -Rooftop Garden & Beehive
- -Bar10 menu will feature local seafood, domestic charcuterie, local beer and utilizing ingredients from the rooftop garden
- -Phade compostable straws by request
- -Water packaged in alternative material
- -Motion sensor light switches in event and conference space







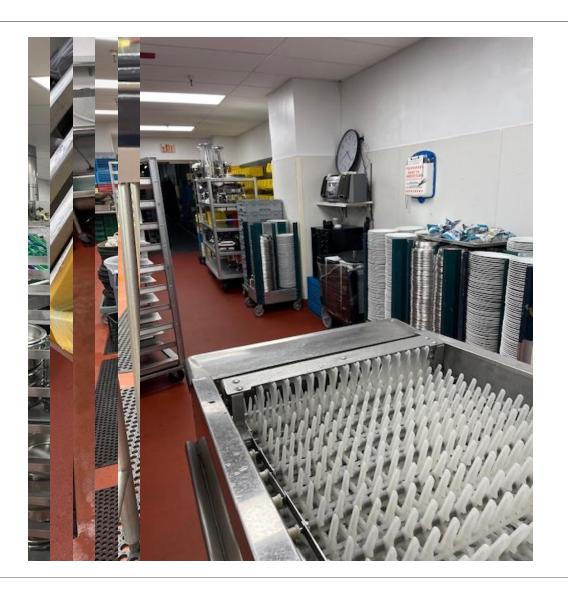




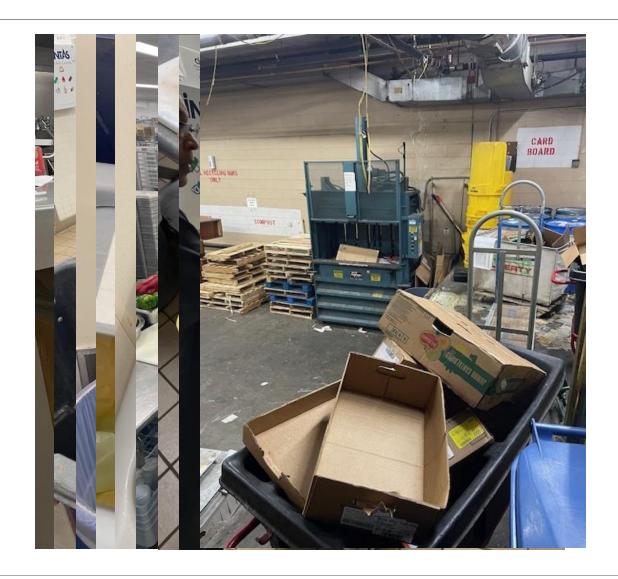




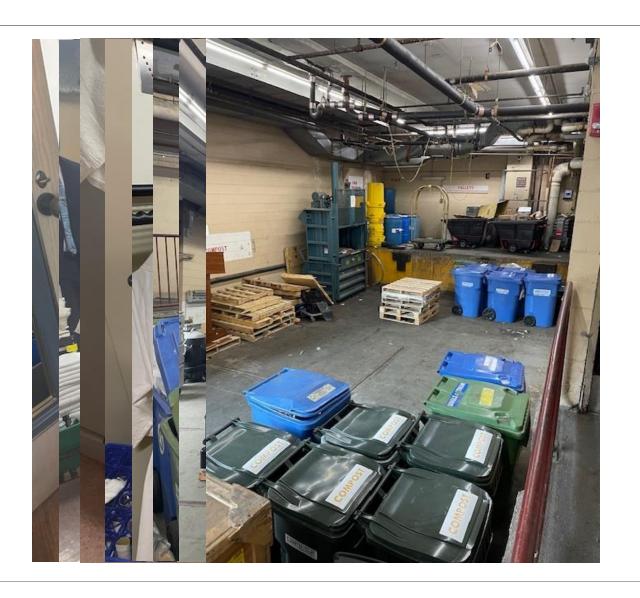
## Waste Sorting Process – Banquet Dishroom



## Waste Sorting Process - Kitchen



## Waste Sorting Process - Housekeeping



#### Save That Stuff



From 1/1/2024 to 12/31/2024 Westin Copley's

Recycling Program with Save That Stuff has saved

364

**Adult Trees** 

558

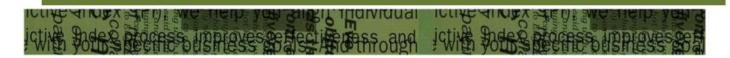
Cubic Yards of Landfill Space

316,195

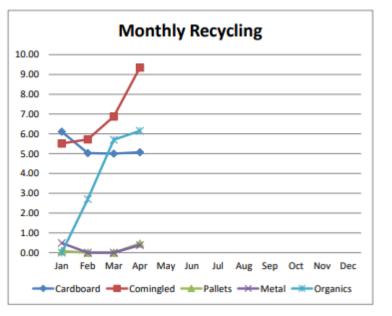
Kilowatts
of Electricity or
186 Barrels of Oil

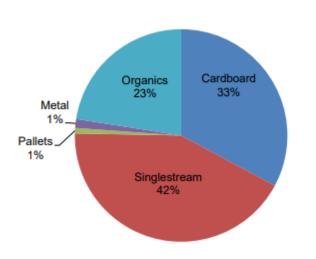
And reduced your Carbon Footprint by **34 Metric Tons of Carbon Equivalent** 

Which is equal to removing 27 cars from the roadway each year



2024	Baled Cardboard		Singlestream			Pallets			Metal/Trash/Elect./ Wood/Rigid		Organics			TOTAL
	# of pickups	Tons	# of Pickups	# of Carts	Tons	# of Pickups	# of Pallets	Tons	# of pickups	Tons	# of Pickups	# of Carts	Tons	TONS
Jan	5	6.11	10	105	5.51	1	4	0.08	2	0.49	9	0	0.00	12.19
Feb	5	5.03	9	109	5.72	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	18	2.70	13.45
Mar	4	5.00	8	131	6.88	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	9	38	5.70	17.58
Apr	4	5.07	9	178	9.35	4	23	0.46	1	0.38	8	41	6.15	21.41
May														
Jun														
Jul														
Aug														
Sep														
Oct														
Nov														
Dec														
Totals	18	21.21	36	523	27.46	5	27	0.54	3	0.87	34	97	14.55	64.63





### Keys to Success and Moving Forward

#### Keys to success:

- Leading by example, setting the tone & creating the culture
- Providing staff with the tools to succeed
- Positive re-enforcement through results and feedback
- Visual aids and signs

#### Challenges:

- Third party night cleaning vendor buy in
- Associate buy in
- Utilizing limited space efficiently

#### Coming soon....

- Establish partnership with food donation program
- Re-activate tote rinsing station
- On going training
- Customizing visual aids specifically for each department







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# Thank You

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