



Need for Urgency in Registration & Hotel Booking for GreenTrends 2006

GreenTrends 2006, Florida's Third Annual Green Building Conference & Trade Show, is less than a month away. Though registrations can take place as late as the day of the conference, it is important that potential conference Attendees, Sponsors, and Exhibitors all finalize their plans as soon as possible.

It is highly recommended that all people interested in the conference, please register immediately, including booking their hotel accommodations and making any other necessary travel arrangements for the following two reasons:

1. On Friday, April 7, 2006 the Florida Green Building Coalition, Inc. (FGBC) and the Florida Home Builders Association (FHBA) announced a Partnership Agreement to work together in promoting and certifying green homes and developments in Florida. It is possible that when this information is disseminated widely, and since we will have a limited amount of conference seating available, the conference could become fully booked very quickly. If you plan to attend the conference, you are strongly advised to sign up right away.
2. The second reason is that this year's event will be held in Gainesville on the University of Florida campus. The GreenTrends 2006 Planning Committee has placed multiple hotel rooms on hold for out of town conference guests. However, these rooms will be released from their hold beginning April 17th. As the University of Florida's Spring Graduation takes place on May 5th and 6th immediately following our conference, these rooms are likely to book very quickly once they are released to the general public. We strongly recommend that you book your hotel rooms today.

Please share this information with anyone you know who is planning to attend the conference and may not have registered yet. Below I have provided hot links to the GreenTrends 2006 home page, where you will find the links to conference registration and hotel information. I have also provide links to a special "Stakeholder Letter" and the "Conference Flyer" for sharing with others who might be interested in the Conference.

Remember the yearly Annual Meeting of the FGBC Membership is being held in conjunction with the conference on May 3, 2006 at 5:00 PM in the Auditorium of the Reitz Union Conference Center. Hope to see you there.

GreenTrends 2006 Home Page:

<http://www.greentrends.org/2006/home2006.htm>

Stakeholder Letter:

http://www.greentrends.org/pdfs/GT2006_GreenBuildingStakeholderLetter.pdf

Conference Flyer

http://www.greentrends.org/pdfs/GT2006_ConferenceFlyer.pdf