

What: Recycle

Where: The Loop

Chicago IL.



OBJECTIVE:

Disposition project: 4000 Old Task Chairs

- Chairs replaced with new
- Schedule product removal
- Recycle and reposition
- Minimize landfill impact
- Proceeds to offset expenses



The Loop—MEG managed the disposition of 4000 seating products that required engagement and coordination of six different companies to get the job done.

The best option prior to MEG's involvement was an offer to remove the chairs from the dock and pay a broker \$40K.

With a fair quantity of chairs in questionable condition, MEG set up a recycle process and solicited buyers willing to inspect and select chairs for purchase as they were being removed from the building. The result is MEG recovered over \$20K in recycle and buyer proceeds to offset project expenses. All accomplished with zero out of pocket expense to the customer.

MEG Responsibilities:

- Project financial modeling
- Minimize landfill impact
- Recycle / Buyer relationships
- On-site project management
- Hire contractors
- Insure union jurisdictions honored
- Develop removal schedule
- Secure required permits
- Document all transactions
- Accounts Payable / Receivable

Project Completion: April 2007

Project Results: Over 38 Tons of ferrous and non-ferrous metals were recycled. 800+ chairs repositioned. Zero landfill impact. All recovery applied against project expenses.

“This project was headed for out of control until MEG engaged. The best offer was paying to have the chairs removed. Instead, we were able to avoid that expense and in fact recovered money from the recycle and sale. Not one chair ended up in a landfill.”

Operations Manager