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LG Begins Work on Englewood Cliffs ‘Green HQ’ Project



In November, LG Electronics began work on its new \$300 million environmentally-friendly North American headquarters project in Englewood Cliffs. Demolition of the current structure is underway as LG prepares to construct its new state-of-the-art building.

LG planted the first of 700 new trees that will grow at the future site of LG’s new headquarters during an event on Nov. 14 in which more than 300 supporters joined LG to celebrate the start of demolition.

The New Jersey Chapter of the USGBC congratulates LG on this important milestone.

“LG’s environmentally-friendly building will be a model for green building in the State of New Jersey. Aiming for LEED Platinum status – the highest level of green building certification – the company is taking steps to make the building energy efficient, conserve water and reduce carbon emissions. The Garden State needs more companies like LG working to protect our State’s environment and ensuring our citizen’s have a healthy place to live, learn and work,” said Florence Block, Executive Director of USGBC NJ.

LG has designed a building and landscaping that embodies the company’s commitment to sustainability. **The Environmental Aspects of the Project Include:**

- World-class green building which will be a showcase to promote environmentally-friendly energy efficiency, water conservation and reduced carbon emission.
- The new building will utilize an 85,000 square foot photovoltaic solar array that will generate over 1,500 MWh of electricity annually.
- Plans to transform the current site by increasing the percentage of green space by more than 50 percent, planting more than 700 new trees – all of which can be found on the Bergen County Native Plant List – and reducing harmful runoff into the Palisades and the Hudson River.
- A series of leading sustainability initiatives including utilizing the EPA GreenScapes program to support runoff and cut energy usage and adopting the EPA Clean Construction USA Program to help reduce emissions from internal combustion engines used in facility construction and operation.



Wayne Park, President and CEO of LG Electronics USA (left), is joined by elected officials and special guests as he plants the first of 700 new trees that will grow at the future site of LG’s new North American headquarters in Englewood Cliffs, NJ. The tree planting ceremony took place during a celebratory event in which more than 300 supporters joined LG to celebrate the start of demolition, the first step of the construction of the headquarters.

For more information, visit LGenglewoodcliffs.com.