

# backyard living

Jacksonville, FL

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## SUSTAINABLE PROCUREMENT POLICY

The BACKYARD LIVING FLORIDA Sustainable Procurement (or Purchasing) Policy will consist of the following:

### **1. Purchasing Criteria Document**

BACKYARD LIVING FLORIDA will give preference to purchasing products and services designated “green”, “sustainable” or “energy saving”, that meet or exceed current performance, safety and regulatory requirements.

BACKYARD LIVING FLORIDA will deem products and services preferable as set out in the Purchasing Criteria Document.

The Purchasing Criteria Document will include Data Lists which compare available certifications, industry testing, documented histories and warranties to determine preferable status.

### **2. Purchasing Data Lists**

BACKYARD LIVING FLORIDA will maintain purchasing data which (at a minimum) describes resources and criteria used to evaluate sustainable waterfront products and suppliers.

BACKYARD LIVING FLORIDA will present all data lists, which otherwise are not protected or confidential, to any interested customer, employee or business associate.

Customers may use Purchasing Data List information to compare the performance, safety and overall environmental impact of products offered for sale by other vendors and manufacturers