

Resources Savings Policy Statement

From “A Working Vision for Belmont’s Future”:

“We, the Belmont community, make a commitment to . . . develop and use our human and financial resources wisely.”

“We will be an environmentally responsible community and conserve our natural habitats.”

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In support of Belmont’s Working Vision we will seek to promote a resource conscious and educated community, creating an effective network of consumers; staff, students, residents, business and community leaders who use energy, water and other resources wisely. To realize all potential dollar savings and promote environmental responsibility we will:

- Support conservation and efficiency in our use of electricity, gas, oil, water and other resources as Belmont’s way of doing business.
- Maintain and enhance present energy and water conservation measures, support efficiency, conservation and recycling in all town and school operations, and develop initiatives to make infrastructure improvements which take advantage of new technological advances.
- Reach out to educate all town staff, students and the broader community, both residential and commercial, about the benefits of and opportunities for resource conservation and the use of alternative sources of energy to encourage behavior change and sustainable practices.

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