

## Administration Office

Faith Farm Ministries

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### **NEED STATEMENT: SALVAGE EXPANSION AT ALL THREE CAMPUSES**

**DESCRIPTION:** The expansion (up to 400%) of current salvage/green microenterprise operations to create a national model conducive to both student microenterprise salvage operations and community recycling. Faith Farm's recycling initiative needs a designated salvage facility and enhanced equipment to effectively sort, organize, store, move and shelter millions of pounds of salvage material annually. See attached diagram.

**BENEFIT:** The core of Faith Farm's revenue stream is our three campus thrift stores. We resell donated items to sustain over 90% of our annual operating budget which provides a free, 9 month addiction recovery program for over 600 students a year. We provide free pick up of household furniture, appliances and other goods by means of our fleet of 29 box trucks. One truckload of donated items can fund a student in our free recovery program for several weeks. Unfortunately, much of what we collect is damaged beyond our in-house repair or is simply not fit for re-sale at our thrift stores.

Faith Farm reduces, reuses, and recycles as much as possible from what we collect from the public which cannot be resold. Since 2008, we have gone from \$30,000 to over \$250,000 in revenue from our salvage operations. **The capability based on donations and as a community recycling center can increase revenue to over \$1,000,000 annually with infrastructure and equipment improvements.** These figures do not take into account savings from the dumpster costs we would otherwise incur for the disposal service or the recycling increase by community residents who would drop off donations. We would keep millions of pounds of waste out of the landfills each year. The increased revenue will provide adequate salvage operations facilities and equipment maintenance and replacement, and fund future students in our addiction recovery program.

Our salvage master plan calls for all three Faith Farm campuses under a unified, efficient, and enhanced salvage microenterprise that covers five South Florida counties including Broward, Palm Beach, Martin, St. Lucie and Okeechobee counties. The plan provides a unique opportunity to maximize recycling/salvage operations in these counties and provide an increased measurable and meaningful environmental outcome. The increased revenues received in paper and metal along with sheered paper which receives 4 times market price than bulk paper will be the catalyst behind the increase and efficiency of all our recycling/salvage. Crushed glass and chipped plastic salvage have similar revenue increasing capabilities like that of shredded paper.

Shelter and housing for sorted materials will maximize our efforts and keep things organized and out of the weather. A facility conducive to both community recycling and in-house salvage are key components to establishing a national model.

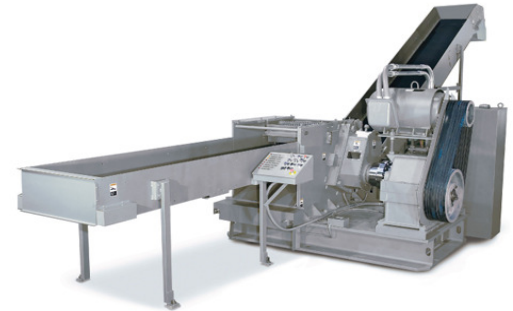
**COST: \$7,050,000**

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## SALVAGE EXPANSION COST BREAKDOWN:

**Site Preparation:** Containers, concrete pads (up to 20) for containers, 12 over-head cover and structures for containers, paving, area pole lighting, fencing, permitting, shell rock (400 yards), paving, traffic flow pavement striping, contingency.

**Sample Equipment:** (3) New High Allegheny 36-1000C HD 200HP High Volume Paper Shedders  
(1) New Eldan Tire Rasper/ Multi-Purpose Rasper  
(20) New 30yd Roll Off Containers  
(2) New 2013 Ford Freightliner Roll-off Truck with Galbreath Roll-off Hoist  
(3) New Front End Loaders (3) New Tractors (4) New Forklifts



**RECOGNITION:** Compound naming opportunity available.

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**OTHER KEY INFORMATION:** [EIN#:59-0774188](#)

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