

Real Rattlers Recycle



Celebrate the Grand Opening of the FAMU Recycling Center

The FAMU Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) Department in partnership with the FAMU Sustainability Institute is celebrating the opening of the University Recycling Center, located across from FAMU Village dormitory. **The Open House will take place at noon on Thursday, February 5th** at the FAMU Recycling Center located at 644 Gamble Street, Tallahassee, FL 32307.

FAMU President Dr. Elmira Mangum is scheduled to perform the ribbon cutting ceremony to dedicate the facility. The FAMU community is invited to come and tour the new facility. Students, staff and faculty who attend can receive a recycling bin for their campus office or dorm.

In recent years, the EHS department has maintained the recycling program by partnering with other companies and the City of Tallahassee to help process and collect recyclable materials. On February 5, 2015, the FAMU Recycling Center opens its doors to the university community and partners. The center will allow FAMU to collect, sort, and process recyclables such as paper, cardboard, plastic bottles and aluminum cans and take a step towards becoming a zero waste campus. The center will house a cardboard baler and provide work space for student interns and volunteers to assist with the recycling program.

The FAMU Recycling Program serves to encourage environmental stewardship and meet the needs of the FAMU Community. The program oversees all recycling initiatives on campus such as the recent recycling bin decorating competition, game day recycling and the upcoming addition of recycling bins throughout campus.

The recycling center will be the focal point for recycling efforts throughout campus including the upcoming Recycle Mania Competition. Join us at noon on February 5th to celebrate the Grand Opening of the FAMU Recycling Center and to learn more about how you can help.