Testa Produce

Green by Nature, Greener By Choice
Testa Produce  ABOUT US

• Wholesale Food Distributor Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin

• Customer Base = elite restaurants and hotels, sporting venues, universities, hospitals, schools among other foodservices

• Family owned company est. in 1912 -103 years old!

• President, Peter Testa is 3rd generation (4th gen. involved)
Testa Produce LEED® PLATINUM FACILITY

- 2011 LEED® Platinum Certified
  - By the U.S.G.B.C.
- 91,300 sq. ft facility
- 750 kw Wind Turbine
- Green Roof
- Water Harvesting System
- Building is composed of 31% recycled materials
- Solar Panels & electrical vehicle charging stations
- CNG (Compressed Natural Gas) transportation
Testa Produce **NATURAL CONSERVATION**

- Water Harvesting System
  - Bio-swales release into retention pond
  - Green Roof absorbs access precipitation that we use to flush our toilets
- We generate 30% of our energy use
  - Wind turbine
  - 180 solar panels
Testa Produce  SUSTAINABLE VISION

- Includes converting our fleet of 55 trucks to CNG
- We currently have 15 CNG trucks with 5 more to come this December (others are Bio-Diesel)
- We also have a Class 8 tractor
Testa Produce  LOCAL ECONOMY

Local Customer

• Encourage purchasing local goods
• Keeps their costs low
• We promote/encourage their business via Social Media

Local Farm/Vendor

• Support local farms/vendors
• More business = more employees & jobs
• Minimal transportation cost
• Stimulates the local economy
Testa Produce SUSTAINABLE VISION

• Long-Term ROI
• Benefits now & future existence
• Sustainable design AND operations
• “Green by Nature, Greener by Choice”