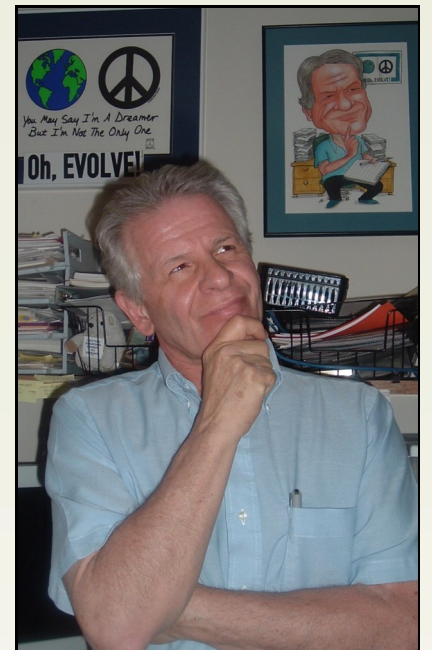
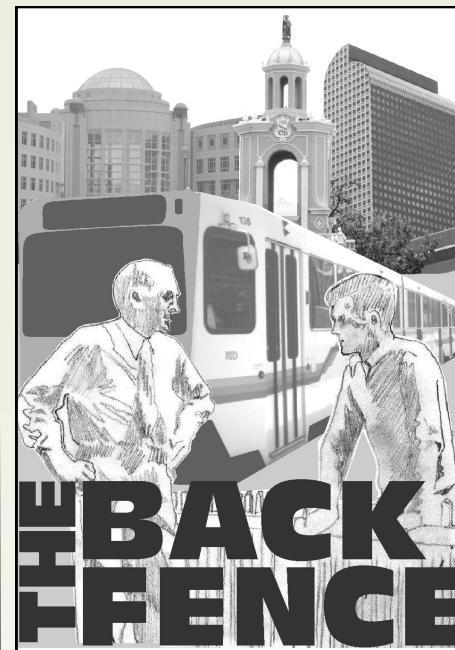


City of Lakewood SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

2014

Community Sustainability Special Recognition



The Back Fence Newsletter

For two years, Eiber neighborhood resident **Bill Spriggs** produced a weekly e-newsletter focused on “livable community items that readers value and highlighted happenings along the West Corridor.” **The Back Fence** newsletter provided followers with updates on the planning and construction process for the West Corridor Rail line, event reminders, articles of interest and much more.

Hundreds of Lakewood residents and stakeholders benefited from Bill’s friendly and passionate newsletter updates and from his tireless advocacy for alternative transportation in Lakewood.

Box and Ship Express

Bill Wright’s Box and Ship Express store is an example of how one small business owner can make a notable contribution to the environment. By making sustainable business practices a core value, Bill has grown his company’s profitability and created jobs, all while diverting waste through reuse, recycling and providing new, unique computer services to customers.

Box and Ship Express generates a significant amount of packing material and cardboard. Bill has made it his mission to reuse or recycle every bit of that waste and has also expanded his business to include the refurbishing of used computers for use by residents and other businesses. These efforts have set an example for Lakewood businesses of how sustainability and business go hand in hand.

