

## **Operator Statement on Environmental Sustainability**

We follow environmentally sustainable practices—it's part of our business plan and who we are as people. We are committed to having a low environmental impact, and source products from companies that follow environmental sustainability practices as well.

- All our pancake to-go boxes come from BRP Box Shop, a company that manufactures chemical free, uncoated boxes which use 25-30% less fiber than other box materials. The fiber comes from SFI lumber (Sustainable Forestry Initiative) utilizing environmentally friendly practices.
- Our napkins are made from 90% post-consumer recycled paper and are unbleached.
- Utensils we have on board are made from corn, are GMO free, and compostable.
- The aprons we wear as a uniform are 100% organic and hemp and the t-shirts we'll soon be wearing are 100% organic cotton and manufactured in the US using an environmentally friendly plant-based dying method.
- We use mostly local ingredients keeping our carbon footprint on the environment as minimal as possible and support local farms using sustainable farming methods.
- The commissary/kitchen we bake in follows a zero waste initiative composting and recycling the majority of waste.
- We do not provide bottled beverages, choosing to home make our own, using filtered tap water and home-made syrups/flavorings.