# Segal Visitors Center

## **Green Building Highlights**

The LEED Certification process used for the project (Commercial Interiors v2009) is based on a scale of 108 points. For Silver certification, a minimum of 50 points must be awarded. The Segal Visitors Center project was awarded 57 points. Notable features include the following:

- **Sustainable sites:** The building is accessible through public transportation with proximity to bus stops and pedestrian access.
- Water efficiency: Potable water use in the building was reduced by 36%.

### **Green Building Features**

# **Sustainable Sites**14 out of 21 possible points

The Segal Visitors Center is accessible through public transportation, with less than a quarter-mile walk to bus stops and campus shuttles. The project also met the community connectivity criteria, with its proximity to residential neighborhoods and community services..

#### Water Efficiency 8 out of 11 possible points

Potable water use was reduced by 36 % from the initial design. The reductions were achieved with the installation of sensor-operated sinks that reduce water flow time and, the toilets have a flow rate lower than standard toilets.

#### **Energy and Atmosphere** 14 out of 37 possible points

Task lighting was added in the majority of office spaces, contributing to a 27 percent reduction in connected lighting power. Occupancy iaBDC BT11 connectB BTMC 4e2mB0T.98 0 BDC BTe

# Other Credits 4 points

The project earned additional points through exemplary achievement in regional material use and site selection. Another point was earned for having a LEED Accredited Professional on the project.

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