

2016 Green Certified Businesses

AH HAA SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

<http://www.ahhaa.org>

300 S Townsend St, Telluride, CO 81435

(970) 728-3886



The Ah Haa School for the Arts is a community center of learning and culture that offers a wide variety of programs and seeks to inspire individuals of all ages to explore, develop and celebrate their creativity. Our home is a turn-of-the-century train depot, a beautiful building listed on the National Register of Historic Places, located in the heart of the San Juan Mountains in scenic Telluride, Colorado.

Ah Haa's goal is to keep this historic building looking & functioning at its best, while also minimizing our carbon footprint. In addition to basic reduce, reuse, and recycle measures taken throughout the building, we have been focusing on winterizing the space by maximizing furnace efficiency and sealing all drafty doors and windows. We also received a grant to help replace and upgrade all lighting in our building with energy efficient bulbs, tracks and fixtures. This has reduced our significant electric consumption, while meeting a wide variety of lighting needs.

ALPINE BANK

<https://www.alpinebank.com>

120 S Pine St, Telluride, CO 81435

(970) 728-5050



Alpine Bank is committed to the needs of our customers, employees, shareholders, and communities. We believe that our long-term health and success is directly linked to the health and quality of the natural environment. We endeavor to continuously improve our environmental performance, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and prevent pollution by adopting and promoting renewable resources; resource efficient products, services, and practices; and community outreach, awareness, and education. Through our actions, we aim to influence and improve the quality of life in the communities we serve. Periodic internal audits and management reviews of our environmental objectives and targets help to assure that our actions are consistent with our policies, and compliant with all applicable environmental regulations. Finally, we communicate our environmental policy and actions with our communities, and we welcome their participation.

ALTERNATIVE POWER ENTERPRISES

<http://www.alternative-power.com>

160 Liddell St. PO Box 351 Ridgway, CO 81432

970-626-9842

ALTERNATIVE
POWER
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Alternative Power Enterprises offers solar power systems to the western slope. APE specializes in battery based and off grid systems, as well as grid interactive systems, and has installed over 400 photovoltaic systems

in Western Colorado since 1992. Our passion is helping people achieve their solar goals and helping to decrease our carbon footprint.

We would love to bring our expertise to your project to supply a long lasting reliable power system to you!

BOOTDOCTORS:

<http://bootdoctors.com>

236 S. Oak Street, Telluride, CO 81435

970-728-4581

650 Mountain Village Blvd., Mountain Village CO

970-728-8954

217 W. Colorado Ave., Telluride, CO 81435

970-728-4525



Bootdoctors and Paragon Outdoors is a family-owned and operated outdoor retailer since 1983 in Taos Ski Valley, NM and since 1986 in Telluride, CO. Open winter and summer, we offer top quality skis and bikes for rental and sale, plus demos, boots, boot-fitting, and the best brands of outdoor clothing and accessories.

Bootdoctors strives to be a sustainable business, which for us means making mindful decisions about the impacts of our business on the planet and people. Some of our decisions have included product sourcing, waste stream identification, plant management, employee engagement, and community involvement. We look forward to our continued participation and growth with the Green Business Certification program and EcoAction Partners.

FAIRMONT HERITAGE PLACE FRANZ KLAMMER LODGE

<http://www.fairmont.com/klammer-lodge-telluride/>



**567 Mountain Village Boulevard, Telluride, CO, 81435
970-728-3318**

Escape to leisure and adventure amid the magnificent San Juan Mountains in Telluride, Colorado. The Fairmont Heritage Place, Franz Klammer Lodge, ideally located in the heart of Mountain Village, offers much more than a Telluride ski resort experience - it provides luxury living in the heart of one of the world's most sought-after destinations. At our private residence club featuring two and three bedroom homes, you can enjoy exceptional comfort and luxury that only a Fairmont can provide.

**THE GUIDE GARAGE
825 Main St, Ouray, CO 81427**

<http://www.guidegarage.com/>
[\(720\) 304-8707](tel:7203048707)



Guide Garage OURAY * COLORADO

The Guide Garage is an ALPINE TOURING & TUNING CENTER in the heart of Southwest Colorado. Conveniently located on Main St. in Ouray, the Garage is surrounded by the stunning, rugged and expansive San Juan Mountains. The shop is made OF, BY and FOR backcountry skiers and climbers and aims to serve as a resource for the community. They provide essentials for exceptional days in the alpine.

HOTEL MADELINE:

<http://www.hotelmadelinetelluride.com>

568 Mountain Village Boulevard, Mountain Village, CO 81435 970-369-0880



The Hotel Madeline is committed to promoting sustainable tourism throughout the Southwest Colorado region, through various socially responsible practices. Additionally, our dedication extends even further by educating guests and staff on eco-friendly practices to ultimately reduce our ecological footprint on the local environment. Our enrichment philosophy extends to our natural world, too. Ecology experts can take you on explorations of the local flora and fauna, interaction with our partner farmers and ranchers, photography tours with local wildlife, even historic walking tours which highlight the local commitment to the regions rich heritage and history.

INN AT LOST CREEK

<http://www.innatlostcreek.com>

119 Lost Creek Ln, Mountain Village, CO 81435

(970) 728-5678



Telluride is truly a magical place, where our natural environment is awe-inspiring. At the Inn at Lost Creek, we are committed to sustaining our environment. Our Eco-Travel program has many facets: from the basic towel/linen saving program in our guest rooms, to the compost program at Talay Grille, we are focused on improving our footprint. We are also recipients of “Green Leaders Gold Level” – Trip Advisor award.

JAGGED EDGE

<http://www.jagged-edge-telluride.com>

223 E Colorado Ave, Telluride, CO 81435

(970) 728-9307



Jagged Edge is a specialty outdoor retail shop in Telluride, CO. We feel a responsibility to take care of the environment that enables our business to succeed, to do what we can with our business to make it as non-impactful as possible. We have solar panels on our roof and a wind-energy offset program in place. We recycle or reuse everything we can, use energy efficient lighting

whenever possible, work to reduce the packaging waste of our products for sale, and clean/sanitize with Eco cleaning substances, for the health of our customers and ourselves. We encourage social responsibility in all aspects of our business and seek out products to sell that are less harmful, made locally, made from sustainable materials and are built to last. Our hope is to pass on this environmental consciousness to everyone who walks in the door.

LA COCINA DE LUZ

<http://www.lacocinatelluride.com>

123 E. Colorado Ave., Telluride, CO 81435

(970) 728-9355



We provide wholesome, handmade dishes in the Mexican tradition using local and organic ingredients that are raised humanely and sustainably. Breakfast, lunch and dinner feature a fresh salsa bar and tortillas made here in Telluride. Enjoy fresh squeezed fruit and vegetable juices, and some say the best espresso drinks and brewed coffee in town. House margaritas made with fresh lime and 100% agave tequila, Mexican beers

and wine served. We offer many vegetarian and gluten-free menu items. La Cocina de Luz is open daily with counter service, indoor and outdoor seating in a festive, family-friendly environment.

LOTUS ENERGY SOLUTIONS

<http://lotusenergysolutions.us/>

(970) 708- 9674



Lotus Energy Solutions is dedicated to home energy efficiency consultation for the San Miguel County region. They provide expertise on reducing your home or business' energy consumption, and they can certify homes as ENERGY STAR. You can visit them on the web at Lotus Energy Solutions.

LUMINOSITY

<http://www.luminosityald.com/>

(970) 729-8892

618 Mountain Village Blvd, Ste 203A Mountain Village, CO 81435



Luminosity is an architectural lighting design firm focused on lighting for the interior and exterior environment. Our design approach aims to enrich the architectural form and positively impact the visual environment. As lighting

technology rapidly progresses, our studio utilizes these advances to provide significant energy reductions for each project. Joining EcoAction Partners and becoming a Certified Green Business is one of several ways we strive to lessen our ecological footprint.

PICAYA
101 West Colorado Ave.

<http://picaya.com/>
970-728-0954



Discover a tasteful collection of international and local treasures that blend modern concepts with antique traditions at Picaya. Their diverse offerings include a wide array of furniture, home accessories, textiles, jewelry and beads. They specialize in locally made, fair-trade, eco-friendly and recycled products. All of their gift bags, boxes and office supplies are made of recycled material. Picaya strongly believes in reusing all packing material and encourages all of their customers to do the same. Picaya is the ideal environment to furnish any home or find the perfect gift for any occasion.

RIGS ADVENTURE CO.
565 Sherman St #2, Ridgway, CO 81432

<http://fishrigs.com/>
(970) 626-4460



RIGS Adventure CO in Western Colorado features the finest Fly Shop, Fish Report, Gold Medal Fly Fishing Guide Service (Walk Wade & Float Fishing trips in Drift Boats), family Whitewater River Rafting Trips (Rafting & Kayaking), Stand Up Paddle Boarding, River Tubing, Photo Tours, Rentals and River Expeditions. RIGS is conveniently located in the picturesque Uncompahgre River Valley, minutes from both Ouray and Ridgway State Park (Pa-Co-Chu-Puk), nestled below the majestic San Juan Mountains in Ridgway Colorado - between Telluride, Ouray, Montrose, and Silverton in Western Colorado. The best of Southwest Colorado Adventure trips, in the prettiest part of the state!

REINHART CONTRACTING
P.O box

Reinhartpaint@gmail.com
(970) 623-2994



Reinhart Contracting is a locally owned and operated business providing top quality services for all of your home repair and maintenance needs while focusing on reducing environmental impact. Specializing in interior/ exterior painting and window washing, structural and finish carpentry, log home and deck refinishing and staining, power washing, fauz painting, plaster repairs and much more.

San Miguel Power Association Ridgway
720 N. Railroad St., Ridgway, CO 81432

<http://www.smpa.com/>
(970)- 626-5549



San Miguel Power Association (SMPA) is the region's member-owned, locally controlled electric power cooperative providing safe, reliable and responsible electric service to approximately 10,000 members with 13,500 meters covering a region of approximately 3,600 square miles in western Colorado. As a cooperative, SMPA strives to support the quality of life in our communities through our core business of electric service as well as innovative ideas and programs surrounding economic development and environmental forward thinking. SMPA is proud to join the growing list of certified green businesses in our region with the certification of our Ridgway facility. Efforts are underway to also certify SMPA's Nucla, CO office.

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TELLURIDE HISTORICAL MUSEUM
201 W Gregory Ave, Telluride, CO 81435



In association with the Smithsonian Institution

info@telluridemuseum.org
(970) 728-3344

Established in 1965, the Telluride Historical Museum has operated within one of Telluride's first public buildings, the 1896 historic landmark miner's hospital building. The mission of the Telluride Historical Museum is to preserve the rich, colorful, and diverse history of the region and to bring history to life through exhibits, programs, and education. In order to retain a

sense of community in the face of the area's unprecedented growth, the Museum now appeals to culturally and economically diverse audiences to examine the events, artifacts and personal accounts of Telluride's heritage.

TELLURIDE NATURALS
Mountain Village Blvd #102, CO 81435

<https://www.telluride.com/telluride-naturals>
(970) 728-7357



From jewelry to candles and to artwork and clothing, Telluride Naturals is the BEST place for local and regional gifts. Come in to find your little piece of Telluride to take home with you.

TELLURIDE REALTY AND INVESTMENT

<http://janusrealestate.com/>

747 E. Columbia Telluride, CO 81435 (970) 728-3205

John Janus operates his business from his green, off-grid home on Hastings Mesa that was featured in EcoAction Partner's Green Home Tour a few years ago. His business focus is on marketing energy efficient, sustainable homes in the region, and promoting smart eco-friendly lifestyles. He is excited to work in partnership with EcoAction Partners to encourage sustainable living practices in our community.



TELLURIDE RESORT STORE

<https://www.telluride.com/telluride-ski-resort-store>

565 Mountain Village Blv. Mountain Village, Colorado 81435

(970) 728-7358



Apparel, souvenirs and gifts with the Telluride logo can be found at the Telluride Resort Store, located in the Gondola Building Plaza.

WILKINSON PUBLIC LIBRARY
100 W Pacific Ave, Telluride, CO 81435

<https://www.telluridelibrary.org/>
[\(970\) 728-4519](tel:(970)728-4519)



The staff and trustees of the Wilkinson Public Library have made a strong commitment to sustainability. Their role as a strong community leader drives them not only to implement green initiatives on site, but to provide education to the community that supports home, business, nonprofit, and local government efforts to reduce negative impacts on the environment. At the library, the staff participates on a Green Team that monitors utility use and brainstorms ways to “green up” library operations. They have implemented many changes that have greatly reduced our carbon footprint including the installation of a 10,000 Watt photovoltaic solar electric system that provides 6% of the library’s electricity.