



Hannaford Supermarkets



COMPANY:

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LOCATION:

Scarborough, ME

INDUSTRY/SECTOR:

Retail grocery

COMPANY INFORMATION:

Hannaford Supermarkets, based in Scarborough, Maine, operates 175 stores and employs more than 27,000 associates in Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York and Vermont. Most Hannaford locations have full-service pharmacies and all stores feature Guiding Stars, the nation's first store-wide nutrition navigation system.

Hannaford is owned by Delhaize Group of Brussels, Belgium. For additional information, visit www.hannaford.com.

Reducing Maine's Dependence on Fossil Fuels

Hannaford operates 55 retail grocery stores in Maine. We are working hard to reduce our energy consumption across the chain by converting to LED lighting and monitoring and centrally controlling energy systems, by enclosing refrigerated display cases where possible, and reusing the waste heat from our refrigeration systems. We are also investing in creating a more fuel efficient fleet of trucks to deliver products to our stores as efficiently as we can throughout the State and region. In 2009, Hannaford opened the most environmentally advanced supermarket in the world, certified by the US Green Building Council at the Platinum level, the highest level achievable.

Supporting Our Long-Term Growth

Our customers expect us to operate effectively and in a manner that minimizes impact on the planet. Our initiatives to aggressively explore clean energy generate insight and learning that supports our long-term growth. We've applied solar technologies, tested for applications for wind, and are testing geothermal heating and cooling in the Augusta store. What we learn from these projects allows us to apply clean energy sources more efficiently in our business operations. To move more comprehensively to clean energy applications, we need the support of an economy that's committed to clean energy.

We are committed to operating responsibly and to delivering good prices and great value when we explore clean energy alternatives. Consistent and forward-thinking public policy will support ongoing investment in energy efficiency and energy alternatives.



"We have a strong legacy in operating responsibly and in a manner that saves energy costs and treats more lightly on our planet. The opening of the world's most environmentally-advanced supermarket in Maine last summer was a major milestone in our efforts. We know that there is more work to be done and we appreciate public policy efforts that make easier for all Maine businesses and citizens to participate in the development of a clean energy future."

— Steve Culver,
Vice President, Government Relations
Hannaford Bros. Co.

