

Sustainability....

....from the Globe to the Community

For humans to live sustainably, the Earth's resources must be used at a rate at which they can be replenished. However, there is now clear scientific evidence that humanity is living unsustainably, and that an unprecedented collective effort is needed to return human use of natural resources to within sustainable limits.



Blue Marble composite images generated by NASA in 2001 (left) and 2002 (right).

Since the 1980s, the idea of human sustainability has become increasingly associated with the integration of economic, social and environmental spheres. In 1989, the United Nations Brundtland Commission articulated what has now become a widely accepted definition of sustainability: “[to meet] the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.”

Three Pillars



Think Globally....

This year your Community Bank & Trust of Florida Green Team will bring you current examples of sustainable endeavors across the globe.

...and Act Locally!

We will also bring you presentations of ideas on how you and others in our community can make a difference and impact the quality and sustainability of life – for us and for everyone.