



# Comfort Inn & Suites Boston/Logan International Airport



## AMENITY DISPENSERS

### PRODUCT BACKGROUND

Hotel guests use, on average, only 15% of the bath amenities that are opened, and the remainder is discarded.

Individual amenity bottles have become an expected item in guest rooms at hotels and are regarded as convenient, complimentary gifts. The use of millions of amenity bottles, however, is detrimental to the environment, and therefore serves as an ideal opportunity for a more sustainable alternative.

*In order to divert thousands of pounds of waste annually, the Comfort Inn & Suites Boston/Logan International Airport provides amenity dispensers in each guestroom to offer high quality bath products.*

### PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

Amenity dispensers were installed during initial building construction. Both dispensers and liquids are the product of Dispenser Amenities and the shampoo and shower gels are of the "WindRiver" Salon Products line. "WindRiver" products are environmentally friendly, as they are biodegradable and are available in larger bottles to avoid excess waste.

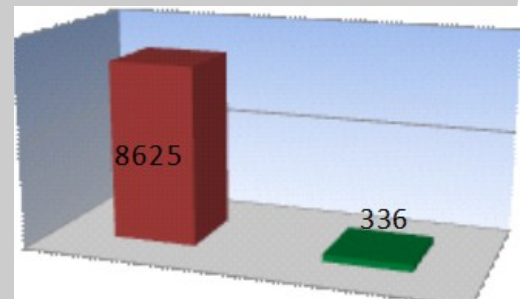
*Instead of replacing partially used individual bottles daily, dispensers are refilled and are always topped off upon guest check out.*



### OUTLOOK

Amenity dispensers create benefits along the entire supply and production chain and are far superior in terms of sustainability. Soap and shampoo are not wasted as they are when half used bottles are disposed of, and thousands of pounds of plastic are diverted from landfills annually.

*The Comfort Inn and Suites Boston/Logan International Airport's use of amenity dispensers serves as a very positive and realistic example of sustainability without sacrificing guest comfort and satisfaction in any way.*



Lbs. of plastic from single use bottles

Lbs. of plastic purchased in bulk