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Hello,
I am here presenting a project begun in 2008 and finished in June 2013. It began with the DC Ecohouse, a strawbale structure built on the terrace of the US Botanic Garden on the mall.



The ecohouse was moved to Upper Marlboro, MD and incorporated into a small studio for Kappy Laning. So the Ecohouse was the first thing to be reused.

The studio built on site included lumber from Community Forklift and other building recyclers in the DC area. Windows also came from CF and other businesses including Habitat for Humanity . Ceiling fans ditto. The bathroom floor was built with pieces of stone countertop scavenged from businesses (with their blessing). Some of the roofing was from CF. Sinks ditto, shower ditto. Oak floor and posts from Glen Echo Town Hall and Bumper Car Pavilion demolition thanks to Ranger Stan Fowler. I'm sure there's more.



Thanks, Eric Hempstead.



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