



It's important to me and my family that we are environmentally responsible as a company. It doesn't get any more green than being 100% recycled."

Oliver Lyles, Safety Director
Nucor Steel Seattle, Inc.

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Nucor's commitment to the environment is great for Washington, and especially for Oliver and his family.

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"I'm an expectant mother and I want my baby to come into a safe, clean world. Which is why I feel so good about working at Nucor. They care about the environment."

Amber Jaspers, Crane Tender
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