



**Massachusetts**

# **Interfaith Power & Light**

*honors*

## **Whole Foods Market**

*with our “Renewable Energy Credits” Award. Whole Foods Market made the largest-ever purchase of wind energy credits in United States history. In December 2005, Whole Foods Market made its historic renewable energy credit purchase to offset 100% of the company's electricity use. Whole Foods is the world's leading natural and organic foods supermarket. Its renewable energy credits purchase will offset 100% of the electricity used in all of its stores, facilities, bake houses, distribution centers, regional offices and national headquarters in the USA and Canada. Specifically, Whole Foods is purchasing more than 458,000 megawatt-hours of renewable energy credits from wind farms. This purchase will avoid more than 700 million pounds of carbon dioxide pollution this year. To have the same environmental impact, more than 60,000 cars would have to be taken off the road. Thank you, Whole Foods, for having the vision to see your purchase of renewable energy credits as a natural extension of efforts to help the environment through promoting organic and natural foods.*

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*Signed on this Twenty-sixth day of April 2006.*

