

Kadel's Auto Body

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Kadel's Nu Way Manager Rodney Edwards with Debra Taevs of the Pacific Northwest Pollution Prevention Resource Center

Kadel's Nu Way Auto Body joined 12 other Kadel's shops as Eco-Biz Certified locations in a ceremony on April 25, 2011. Debra Taevs of Pacific Northwest Pollution Prevention Resource Center conferred the credential congratulating the company on their 13th Eco-Biz certified location.

"To be certified, a business must go beyond state and local requirements for pollution prevention, completing a rigorous 97 point checklist." Taevs explained. She went on to say that the participation of smaller business was critical because they contribute 30% of all hazardous air pollutants to the atmosphere.

"Obtaining pollution prevention certification is an important way Kadel's Auto Body supports the local community,"

said Don Braden, President and CEO of Kadel's Auto Body. "We are very proud to have all of our Oregon locations Eco-Biz certified."



The "Eco-Logical" Business Program is a joint project of the Pollution Prevention Outreach Team (Portland, Gresham, Clackamas and Washington counties, Clean Water Services, Metro and the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality). More information and a list of Eco-Biz Shops are available on line at <http://www.ecobiz.org/>. Information on the Pollution Prevention Resource Center, a critical partner in the P2O effort is available at <http://pprc.org/about/>.

Founded in 1954, Kadel's is the 10th largest repair provider in the U.S. Since its founding the company has expanded to fourteen locations based on the quality of its repairs and its customer service, its reputation in the communities it serves and its partnership with the insurance industry. Based in Tigard, OR, Kadel's is the region's largest provider of auto body repair services.

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