# **RESILIENCE IN ACTION** 2020 Boxley 360 Corporate Responsibility Report







NOTE: In keeping with our sustainable practices, we largely distribute this report electronically which also makes it easier to share with others. This year's report, along with reports from past years, can be found at: boxley.com/corporate-responsibility-reports

# President's Letter

As a company with more than 100 years of history, it's fair to say that resilience is a key attribute of Boxley's success. Through world

2020 was transformational in other important ways. As our nation wars, the Great Depression, recessions, good times and bad, Boxley began to confront social justice issues, Boxley began a formal process employees always have risen to the challenge with strong leadership, ingenuity, determination, teamwork and big hearts. We call this, The to determine how our company can be more intentional about our diversity, equity and inclusion (DE&I) efforts. We convened an Boxley Way. The Boxley Way proved itself again last March as COVID-19 employee-led committee supported by a DE&I consultant to review and make recommendations to assure Boxley maintains an inclusive presented a trial like no other to our communities, business, culture where employees are valued for their diversity of abilities, employees and families. Yet, like those who came before us, we were backgrounds and perspectives and have equitable opportunities for resilient, leaning into the adversity by adopting a solutions-oriented mindset to getting our jobs done while supporting one another and growth and advancement. This is a vital component of The Boxley Way.

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our communities even during the darkest hours of this global pandemic. Corporate responsibility took on a new mantle of commitment with the onset of COVID-19. Deemed an essential business, the Boxley

team was tasked to alter the way we conduct every facet of our business to safeguard the health of our employees and customers. While COVID-19 changed how we do business, our commitment

# Hats Off to our 2020 Boxley Team 360



Like so many other deferred traditions, we had to settle for a screenshot in lieu of our annual Team 360 photo. This was one of many ways the team demonstrated its resilience as they carried on the Boxley 360 corporate responsibility effort.

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to serving our customers and supporting our communities never wavered.

Indeed, 2020 was a year like no other and our annual 360 Corporate Responsibility Report is reflective of the year that defined resilience in all we did and continue to do. This year, perhaps more than any other, our leadership team proudly shares a summary of these efforts through the 2020 Boxley 360 Corporate Responsibility Report. As always, we provide this report to be accountable as a company and a corporate citizen. We hope that some of our experiences and learnings may be useful to you and your organization.

Affrey Nerkins, President

- Andy Vassar Support Center Safety Director
- Brian Pieklik Lynchburg Asphalt Operations Manager
- Holly Yungwirth Support Center- Marketing Coordinator/ Safety Technician
- Jim Covington Buckingham Slate Sales
- Joseph Pinkard Buckingham Slate Sales
- Lori Baisden Support Center Director of HR, Team 360 Leadership Team Liaison
  - Mac McWane Lynchburg Block Sales Operations, Team 360 Chair
  - Manisha Hall Support Center Human Resources
  - Sherry Foutz Support Center Executive Assistant
  - Stacey Tyler Support Center Equipment
  - Tom Miles Support Center Engineer
  - Torri St. Clair Support Center PO Admin
  - Tyler Daughtery Management Trainee
- Wayland Bond Blue Ridge Quarry Assistant Plant Manager

# **Resilience In Action Open for business. Just in a different way.**

As an essential business, the Boxley team found alternative ways of operating to safeguard the health of our employees and customers. We are proud of their dedication and perseverance.

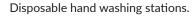
Use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) is a standard operating procedure, but COVID-19 added a few more elements to our standard gear.



Persistence paid off as Andy Vassar, Safety Director, secured 2, 55-gallon drums of hand sanitizer distributed to Boxley's operations in southwest and central Virginia.



Hand sanitizer and washable Boxley face mask for all employees.



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Wear your mask. Wash your hands. Social distance.



Annual safety training meeting was retooled and held in smaller, socially distanced groups at each Boxley operation.





Technology played a significant role in our customer communication efforts. ~~~





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A repurposed school bus enables social

distancing and safer

transport of Boxley

asphalt crews to job sites.

# **Operational Safety Report Card**

While COVID-19 added an additional component to our safety program, operational safety remained a top value. Learn more about our worldclass safety management system:

## boxley.com/safety

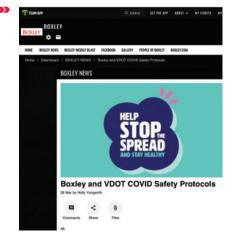
Hours Worked: 859,175 Miles Traveled: 2,847,893 Lost Time Incidents: O

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# **Distanced. But Not Distant**

Proactive communication was essential to keep our employees and customers informed and connected.

Boxley's TeamApp proved an essential communication tool for our deskless employees.



**Boxley President Jeff Perkins** filmed a weekly Town Hall video to update employees on COVID-19 response and business activities. This video was sent out via e-mail to employees, as well as available on Boxley's TeamApp, reaching those employees without access to the company email.



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Virtual meetings kept employees safely distanced, yet connected, and our business moving forward. 

# **TeamApp Employee Engagement**



Team 360 Communications committee saw a 56% increase in employee signups on the TeamApp last year.

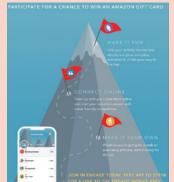




**Microsoft Teams** 

# **KEEPING HEALTHY**

Team 360 Health & Wellness committee coordinated the virtual version of the annual Reach the Peak Challenge sponsored by our parent company, Summit Materials.



### **Boxley Quarry Dogs Team earned** a Top 10 finish among operating companies with nearly 3 million steps in a month.

Team: Jack McCarthy, Team Captain (Lynchburg Area), Bo Farr (VA Agg), Amy Mayo (Mt. Athos), Mike Ferrell, (Mt. Athos), Chuckie Laverty (Piney River), and William Burch (Piney River).

# **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion**



Seff Perkins receives the DE&I committee recommendations as one of his final acts before assuming his new role as South Region President of Boxley's parent company, Summit Materials.

continuous improvement process and will be an integral part of Team 360.

## Our Commitment to Diversity, Equity & Inclusion.

### Mission

We deliver quality on every project, backed by our commitment to safety, service and reliability. It's The Boxley Way.

### Vision

We will be the industry leader in all facets of our business with the diverse talent to sustain it.

Boxley's culture will be inclusive where all employees are valued for their diversity of abilities, backgrounds and perspectives with equitable opportunities for growth and advancement. We will recruit, retain, foster and reward diverse talent that enables Boxley to deliver the highest quality, innovative products and services that make us an industry leader.

### **Company Core Beliefs**

- Work safely
- Hire, train, retain and promote the best people •
- Involve our employees in the decision-making process •
- Maintain an inclusive and supportive workplace
- Respect differing opinions and encourage healthy debate ٠
- Provide equitable opportunities for personal growth and professional development •
- Reward outstanding contributions throughout the organization
- Be honest
- Build long-term relationships ٠
- Deliver quality from the ground up
- Be active participants in improving the quality of life in our communities
- Be responsible stewards of the environment •
- Commit to be a little better at what we do each and every day
- Earn profits to support our corporate growth and beliefs

### Special thanks to the Boxley DE&I committee for their great work:

- Stacy Barbour (chair) Fieldale Quarry Operations Manager
- Isaiah Christian Lynchburg Asphalt Safety Manager/Estimator
- Chuckie Laverty Piney River Quarry Operations Manager
- Latosha Mabins Lynchburg Asphalt Slurry Superintendent
- Sarah Paterson Lynchburg Block, Brick & Hardscapes
- Jennifer Reeves Roanoke Ready Mix Plant Manager
- Tom Roller Support Center Director of Techincal Services
- Holly Yungwirth Support Center Marketing Coordinator/Safety Technician

# Based on the committee's recommendations, Boxley adopted a DE&I statement and updated our Vision and Core Beliefs to clarify our commitment. Our DE&I work is ongoing as part of our

# Corporate Giving and Community Outreach

In January and February, the Team 360 Community Outreach committee was on track for another outstanding volunteerism year. Then COVID hit. Resilient as always, they found ways to keep the volunteer spirit alive and support our communities.

# **Boxley Employees in the Community**



### United Way -**95 Years of Pledges**

In a year when the needs of many in our communities were overwhelming, Boxley employees supported another record year of giving during our 2020 United Way campaign. With the company match, Boxley raised a total of

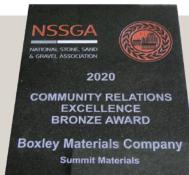
# **\$117,416** in 2021 pledges.

# **Community Outreach**

Boxley partnered with Feed America and donated \$3,000 to help provide 500 new food donation boxes across our operating area in Virginia. Feeding Southwest Virginia and Blue Ridge Area Food Bank serve over 217,000 individuals each month across 51 counties and 17 cities.

Donated **\$3,000** to help provide **500** food donation boxes





The National Stone, Sand & Gravel Association (NSSGA) honored Boxley Aggregate with the **Excellence in Community Relations** Bronze Award. Efforts put forth by the teams across seven quarries throughout central and western Virginia provided the foundation for this national recognition.



### Answering a Neighbor's Call

Boxley and other community businesses were there to assist when 25 families became stranded after the bridge that provided the only access to their homes collapsed after a severe summer storm. Boxley helped install a temporary logging bridge and then donated three, 20-foot pieces of 87-inch high opening culvert; two coupling bands and 200 tons of stone and rip-rap valued at \$18,000 as well as labor to help install the new bridge. The neighborhood has a sturdy structure that will withstand the varying Southwest Virginia storms to come.



# **Support Center**

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Montvale Elementary School



### Lynchburg employees -Aggregate, Asphalt, Block, Brick & Hardscapes





### **Boxley Helps Habitat for Humanity Family Move Home for Good**

In July, with COVID safety precautions in place, Boxley employees spent the first volunteer day finishing up the framing work for the Warren family home in Roanoke. The team returned two months later for another volunteer day to complete the job. Boxley also made a \$5,000 donation to support Habitat for Humanity.



Daily Bread – food servers, yard clean-up, asphalt paving, food drive Timberlake Dixie Youth Athletic Field Maintenance Salvation Army Bell Ringers

93 employees **VOLUNTEERED** hours

**Piney River Quarry** 





**Fieldale Quarry and Martinsville Ready Mix** Concrete



Food drive for Red Cross supporting retired and active military and Southern Area Agency on Aging

Roanoke employees – All business lines and Support Center



# Wytheville employees

Adopt-a-Spot Litter Clean Up



Boxley employees are active in their communities beyond the volunteer projects we take on at work. When asked about volunteer activities, here's just a sampling of how they are making a difference:

- Coach youth sports
- Baby Rocker in the NICU unit at a local hospital
- Special Olympics Ski Instructor
- Sea Cadets Mentor
- Salvation Army Bell Ringer
- Community Kitchen Volunteer



Team 360 Environmental Committee kept Boxley's recycling and water stewardship initiatives moving forward.

# **Environmental Excellence** 2020 Recycling Report Card

### Reduce. Reuse. Recycle.

| Oil (gallons)  | 4,986       |
|--|-------------|
| Metals   | 133.8 tons  |
| Single Stream Recycling (Plastic, Absorbent and Cardboard) | 2.48 tons   |
| Mixed Paper  | 3 tons      |
| Recycled Asphalt Pavement                                  | 82,987 tons |
| Recycled Concrete<br>(concrete and recycled block)         | 10,746 tons |

# **Greener. Smarter. Better.**°

# Water Conservation

Being good water stewards is an important operational priority. From capturing rainwater to recycling gray water, Boxley dramatically minimizes the amount of freshwater used in our operations. Last year, **we recycled 1.28 million** gallons of water for use in our operations.

### AGGREGATE

Capture rainwater and runoff in the quarries and utilize closed-loop water recycling systems for stone washing, washout, dust suppression, and truck wheel washing.

### ASPHALT

Minimal water gets used in the production and clean-up process.

### BLOCK

Zero wastewater gets generated in the block production process. Water used to wash out mixers is recycled and used for the production process.

## CONCRETE

Recycled water is used to wash out the mixers and for production. Gray water gets sent to retaining ponds where concrete sediment settles out and gets then reused in the production process.

### SLATE

Capture and store rainwater and runoff in old quarries and use it to cool saws for cutting slate and dust suppression. Gray water gets cycled back into the same quarries, which act like settling/ sediment ponds, and then water gets used again.



# 2020 BOXLEY WATER STEWARDSHIP REPORT

# BOXLEY. Serving you from these locations

### **Support Center**

15418 West Lynchburg Salem Tpke. Blue Ridge, VA 24064

### (800) 442-8878



### Aggregate

#### Arvonia

715 Arvon Road Arvonia, VA 23004 (800) 235-8921

#### **Blue Ridge**

15415 West Lynchburg Salem Tpke. Blue Ridge, VA 24064 (866) 676-2466

#### Fieldale

3785 Carver Rd. Martinsville, VA 24112 (866) 676-2466

#### **Lawyers Road**

762 Lawyers Rd. Lynchburg, VA 24501 (800) 269-5392

#### **Mt. Athos**

1299 Stage Rd. Concord, VA 24538 (800) 269-5392

### **Piney River**

739 Warrick Barn Rd Arrington, VA 22922 (800) 269-5392

**Rich Patch** 7612 Rich Patch Rd. Lowmoor, VA 24457 (866) 676-2466

### Block

Lynchburg 110 Lynchpin Ln. Lynchburg, VA 24501 (800) 422-2565

### Roanoke

3830 Blue Ridge Dr. Roanoke, VA 24018 (800) 982-8028

#### Asphalt

### Salem

1993 Salem Industrial Drive Salem, VA 24153-3141 (540) 389-2768 Plant located in Salem

#### Lynchburg

1678 Lawyers Road Lynchburg, VA 24502 (434) 239-0383 Plants located in Lynchburg and at Piney River Quarry

### **Zion Crossroads**

535 Midway Lane Louisa, VA 23903 (540) 603-5001

### Concrete

**Blue Ridge** 139 Healing Springs Rd Blue Ridge, VA 24064 (888) 832-0003

### Martinsville

201 Koehler Rd. Martinsville, VA 24112 (866) 216-0601

### Roanoke

3830 Blue Ridge Dr. Roanoke, VA 24018 (888) 832-0003

#### Wytheville

1050 Church Street Wytheville, VA 24382 (877) 854-2939