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Former COPT VP Forms Sustainable Development Partnerships

New Company To Focus on Green Development and Consultation

Peter Garver, former vice president of development for Corporate Office Properties Trust, launched Sustainable Development Partnerships. This company will develop and provide third-party consultation for "green" real estate projects throughout the mid-Atlantic region.

At COPT, Garver led the way in the company's initiative to become a leader in the creation of green commercial real estate. COPT had little expertise in sustainable development but now considers green one of its core values. Some of Garver's accomplishments at COPT include the development of three LEED Gold buildings, three LEED Silver buildings and the registration of 24 additional LEED buildings.

Sustainable Development Partnerships will assist companies and owners to create green projects through strategic coaching and leadership of development teams, to achieve green results in a practical fashion.