

# **NATURAL ENVIRONMENT**

**"EARTH EXISTS"**

## **NATURAL RESOURCES**

### **✓ SUPPORT SYSTEMS**

**AIR**

**WATER**

**ENERGY**

### **✓ LIFE FORMS**

**ANIMAL**

**VEGETABLE**

**MICROBIAL**

(THINGS PEOPLE KNOW ABOUT,  
BUT DON'T WANT TO "KNOW" ABOUT)

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## **HUMAN ENVIRONMENT**

**MAN DOMINATES**

## **HUMAN REQUIREMENTS**

### **✓ HUMAN NEEDS**

**AIR**

**WATER**

**ENERGY**

### **✓ HUMAN DESIRES**

**FAST CARS**

**BIG HOUSES**

**TALL BUILDINGS**

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# **BUILT ENVIRONMENT**

**VISIONEERING ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY ALLIANCE**

## **Common Expressions: Built environment**

<b>Expressions</b>	<b>Definition</b>
<b>Built environment</b>	The phrase <b>built environment</b> refers to the manmade surroundings that provide the setting for human activity, from the largest-scale civic surroundings to the smallest personal place. <small>(references)</small>

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<http://www.websters-online-dictionary.org/definitions/Built+environment/> . . .

# **EMPIRE STATE BUILDING**

**"GOES GREEN"**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vZw4bQuq9gI>

## **VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS**

### **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

**ENERGY CONSUMPTION**

**GREENHOUSE GASSES**

**TENANT VACANCY**

**BUILDING LIFE-COST**

### **ECONOMIC BENEFIT**

**COST OF TOTAL RETROFIT**

**RETURN ON INVESTMENT**

**REDUCED MAINTENANCE**

**INCREASED OCCUPANCY**