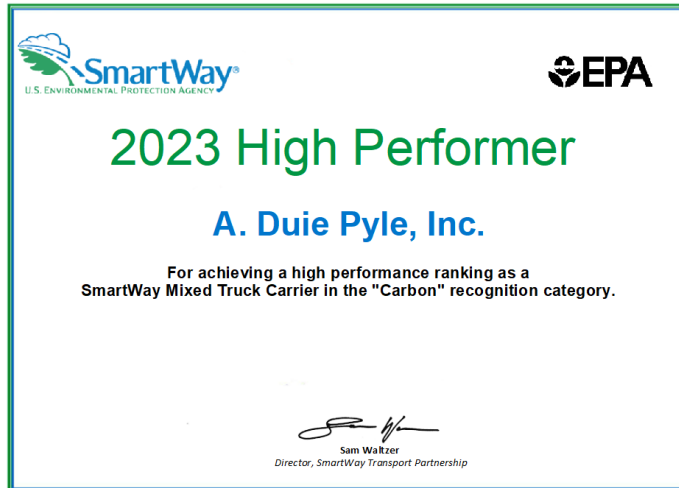


## A. Duie Pyle has been recognized by the EPA as a 2023 SmartWay High Performer



Sustainability is a key aspect of our business philosophy, which is why we are excited to announce that A. Duie Pyle has been recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as a 2023 SmartWay High Performer. This is the second year in a row that we've received this distinguished honor.

We were specifically honored for our work in the mixed truck carrier in the carbon recognition category, which is a performance range for efficiency metric (CO<sub>2</sub>) measured in grams per mile and grams per ton-mile. This award recognizes leaders in the freight industry who

produce more efficient and sustainable supply chain transportation solutions. SmartWay partners with almost 3000 carriers, and fewer than 10 percent maintained fleets efficient enough in their carbon emissions to be recognized for this award.

Carbon is the leading indicator of fuel use, meaning we consume less fuel for every mile we travel and for every ton of freight we move. For every trip we make, A. Duie Pyle moves heavier loads, packs trailers more efficiently and still consumes thousands of gallons of less fuel annually compared to our SmartWay peers. Our dedication to sustainability saves us thousands of dollars in fuel costs per truck and carbon reductions that make a big difference.

A. Duie Pyle is no stranger to sustainability. Every step forward we take as a business, whether it's adding more equipment or building a new facility, is done with the environment in mind.

Back in 2010, we installed over 4,000 solar panels at our Parkesburg, Pennsylvania, warehouse. Thanks to this initiative, Parkesburg's 570,000 square foot facility has since been operating on 100% solar energy. Over the past two years, we have also invested in equipment that promotes conservation and decreases the consumption of resources in our warehouses, facilities and fleets. This is visible through the use of electric forklifts in our service centers which reduce carbon emissions by 24,000 pounds per unit.

Our prioritization of sustainability has earned us numerous awards, including the Heavy Duty Trucking's "Top Green Fleets" and Supply & Demand Chain Executive's "Green Supply Chain" awards. We will continue to support green initiatives and strive for even greater sustainability goals as Pyle readies to enter its 100th year in business.

*"Community has always been a strong part of the A. Duie Pyle culture, and as we continue growing into our next generation of being a family-operated business, sustainability efforts will be at the forefront of everything we do."*

*- Peter Latta, CEO*