This beautiful mural used to be in someone's home! It was carefully taken apart and reused.

This Green Screen helps us grow vegetables on the rooftop in unlikely places.

This wind turbine made from old bicycle parts pumps water from our rain barrel, showing the incredible power of wind!

The two-headed bird sculpture made by Dr. Evermor is completely made using repurposed steel from factories throughout Wisconsin. Look for scissor parts, gears and machine parts.

The flock of rooftop chickens are fed organic feed and fresh vegetables, helping them stay healthy and strong. They are able to produce organic eggs that are high in nutrients.

This Solar Chicken was built to help kids understand just how much energy is produced by the sun each day.

Animals in the clubhouse are all native. They are fed food grown on site.

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This bench, and the others throughout the museum, were made using local, sustainably harvested or reclaimed materials by UW-Madison art students and professors.

The Squashed House was made using old barn boards found in rural Dane County.

This slide is made from a naturally downed tree from our fabricator’s own backyard!

These earthen huts are made from local soil, wheat straw, wheat paste, beeswax, and food-grade linseed oil.

Rain chains are made from antique electrical insulators used in power lines.

The countertop laminate surface has banana peel fibers sprinkled throughout.

Hand dryers are high efficiency, using little electricity and eliminating the need for paper towels.

Refrigerator doors and windows in the art gallery were all salvaged and repurposed. All of the paints and finishes in the Art Studio and throughout the museum are made with non-toxic paints that don’t release fumes.

The mosaic column was made by more than 13,000 students in Madison using bottle caps, broken glass, and found objects.

The gym floor is reclaimed from the old Oak Creek Junior High School outside of Milwaukee.

This buoy was previously used in Lake Michigan as a location marker.

This piano fuselage has been repurposed for use as a tinkering table.

Our well loved cow Melba Sue, now hoisted high up in the museum, has been with the museum for 20 years in two separate exhibits. Instead of buying all new exhibits, we have playfully reused many older exhibits from our State Street location.