## Revere Copper Products, Inc.

## **Statement of Recycled Content**

This is to certify that all Revere's architectural copper sheet, strip and coil are made in conformance to ASTM B 370 – <u>Standard Specification for Copper Sheet and Strip for Building Construction</u>. This is to further certify that Revere's standard and pre oxidized architectural coppers – **Classic Copper**, **The Liberty Collection**, and **ContinentalBronze** – contain **95%** to **99%** recycled copper.

A portion of the tin/zinc alloy coating on Revere *FreedomGray*<sup>™</sup> is recycled material but, since the percent varies Revere certifies the recycled content of 16-ounce *FreedomGray* is 87.5% to 92.2%; the recycled content of 20-ounce *FreedomGray* is 89.0% to 93.6%.

All Revere architectural coppers are made from "number 1, bare-bright" scrap only. Coated wire and/or other materials that emit VOC's or similar compounds are never used during melting and casting.

The recycled copper Revere uses to produce its architectural coppers is obtained from both industrial sources (i.e., wire mills, metal stamping and fabricating plants, etc.) and metal scrap dealers who have satisfied Revere's quality control standards.

Market conditions dictate when and where recyclable copper is available. Nevertheless, well over 75% of this material is harvested from sources within 500 miles of our plant. Most of these facilities are located in New York State, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Southern Ontario. Smaller amounts are harvested from facilities in Southern Maine, New Hampshire, plus the "manufacturing belt" that encompasses Detroit, Toledo, and Cleveland. Due to the competitive nature of the scrap copper market we cannot disclose individual locations (or cities) from which we obtain copper.

Depending upon market conditions the exact percentage of recycled copper and mix of preconsumer and post-consumer material will vary. Since market conditions vary constantly Revere cannot accurately identify the ratio of pre-consumer to post-consumer copper in a given order. Therefore, Revere has historically used the conservative position that its copper contains only post-industrial material. 2017 industry survey data tells us that producers in North America used roughly 57% pre-consumer scrap and 43% postconsumer scrap.

All Revere's architectural sheet copper is made in Rome, NY – approximately 95 miles west of Albany, NY.

For technical assistance or additional information, please call Revere's Architectural Services Department at (800) 448-1776, extension 2554.