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1. Fitchburg's Fall Paper Shred Day Set for October 10th

The City of Fitchburg, Pellitteri Waste Systems and Oak Bank are sponsoring a paper shredding event on Saturday, Oct. 10th from 8-11 a.m. Please join us in the parking lot behind Oak Bank, 5951 McKee Rd, at the corner of Marketplace & Executive Drives. This event provides **free** shredding and recycling to destroy **no more than five boxes** of confidential paper documents.

For more information, contact Felipe Avila, Engineering/GIS Specialist at 270-4277 or felipe.avila@fitchburgwi.gov. Visit our web page at: www.city.fitchburg.wi.us/solidwaste for more information about other recycling options in Fitchburg's 2015 Recycling Guide. Hard copies are available in the lobby of Fitchburg City Hall and at the Recycling Drop-Off Site.



2. Green Thursday Series Kicks Off at the Fitchburg Library



This year marks a change in Green Thursday program at the Fitchburg Public Library. While the goal of presenting engaging and relevant programs about a variety of sustainability topics remains the same, the program will be shifting from monthly films to quarterly workshops. Mark your calendar for our first event on Thursday, Nov. 5th at 6:30 p.m., a home energy workshop covering simple strategies to save energy and money for apartment and house dwellers alike. Please send any topic ideas to Erika Kluetmeier, Sustainability Specialist, at erika.kluetmeier@fitchburgwi.gov or 270-4274.

3. Dane County Seeks Volunteers to Collect Seeds at Dawley Park

The Dane County Seed Collection Program is looking for volunteers to collect prairie seeds on Thursday, October 15th at 9 a.m. in the Dawley Park, 3401 S. Seminole Hwy. Sturdy shoes, drinking water, long pants and long-sleeve shirts are recommended. Bring along gloves, mosquito repellent and pruning shears if available. For more information or additional dates/locations, contact Rhea Stangel-Maier at Stangel-Maier@countyofdane.com or 224-3601.



4. Community Calendar

Madison Gas & Electric Community Conversations. MGE is seeking feedback to help shape their future energy plans for the next decade. For more information and to sign up, go to mge.com/conversations.



Friends of Capitol Springs Harvest Moon Festival. Friday, Oct. 2nd from 6-9 p.m., Lussier Family Heritage Center, 3101 Lake Farm Rd., Madison. For more information, visit friendsofcapitalsprings.org.



UW-Madison MOOCs (Massive Open Online Courses). To sign up for free courses and discussion groups on "Forests and Humans" (Sept. 30 start) or "Climate Change and Public Health" (Dec. 11 start), go to moocs.wisc.edu.