



2025 OCTOBER PROGRAM

SEEK Presentations – Saving Earth with Environmental Knowledge

Kent Free Library – 312 W. Main St, 2nd Floor

Thursday, October 16 • 6:30–7:30

**Choose Green...
...Live Clean.**



Celebrating Sustainability!

Judy Nelson, Chair of the City's Sustainability Commission, and Chair of the Portage County Solid Waste District's Policy Committee, will provide information about the City's October Sustainability Month Celebration and answer the often-asked question “Do the materials I separate for recycling actually get recycled?” She will also talk about her recent tour of Waste Management’s Materials Handling Facility (MRF) and how to recycle plastic film.

Food Waste & Hazardous Waste Collections.

Bailee Evans Administrative Assistant at Portage Solid Waste District, will talk about what food waste they take at their food waste drop-off that is collected by Rubber City Reuse. She will also talk about what is accepted in their hazardous waste collection at the Center for Hard to Recycle Materials (CHaRM) Center in cooperation with Clean Earth on the first Monday of every month from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.



Electronic Recycling.

Benjamin “Ben” Baker, Vice President and co-owner of Summit e-Waste, will talk about how, since 2019, Summit e-Waste has diverted hazards, recycled, and recovered raw materials found in electronics from an unfortunate landfill destination.

Be the Solution...

...Not the Pollution

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