At Home

Wash clothes in cold water

Hang clothes to dry

Turn off lights in empty rooms

Use motion sensors to turn lights on

Plan driving errands to combine trips

Walk more, drive less

Install Compact Fluorescent lighting (CFL)

Turn the thermostat down

Unplug AC/DC adapters when batteries are charged

Don’t use the dry cycle in the dishwasher

Install proper installation

Use reusable containers

Pick up canned and dry goods once a week or a month

Use glass and aluminum

Take your shoes off to save the carpet

Unplug unused appliances

Make cold dinners

Use Natural pesticides/fertilizers

Buy rechargeable batteries

Dispose of batteries properly

Buy fruits and vegetables locally

At Work

Use recycled paper.

Print on both sides of the paper

Turn your computer screen off when you leave your desk

Use single-serving coffee makers

Send electronic instead of paper documents

Buy rechargeable batteries

Provide ceramic coffee cups to employees

Buy equipment and supplies made locally whenever possible

Use motion sensors to turn lights on

Join a carpool or take public transportation

Turn the thermostat down

Buy only Energy Star equipment and appliances

Use email instead of fax or regular mail when possible

Install water filters on water taps, eliminate bottled water

Separate recyclable trash from garbage

If you don’t turn your computer off, put it in stand-by when you leave

Buy natural cleaning products

In the Community

Carpool with neighbors to school or the shopping mall

Put the leaf blowers away and get out the rakes

Water early in the morning or after the sun sets

Bring your own bags when shopping

Don’t idle at the train station or in parking lots

Create a community garden for herbs, fruits and vegetables

Recycle dead branches and lawn waste as mulch

Ask your local government to institute green policies

Form walking/biking clubs

Form a subscription club to swap newspapers and magazines

Plant more trees

BBQ with neighbors to use less propane/charcoal

Cut grass less frequently or use a push mower

Schedule garage sales on the same day

Use reusable dishware for parties

Plant indigenous trees and shrubs that need little water

Use natural fertilizers and pesticides

Collect rainwater in covered containers for plants and trees