



TOWN OF WELLESLEY MASSACHUSETTS

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Six Ways YOU can Save Money and the Climate

Join Us for a Pizza Party Tuesday February 11, 6:30 p.m.

January 21, 2025 (Wellesley, MA) – The Town of Wellesley invites you to a “Pizza Party! Six Ways YOU can Save Money and the Climate” on Tuesday, February 11, 6:30—8:30 p.m. at the Wellesley Free Library, 530 Washington Street, Wellesley. Pizza and socializing begin at 6:30 p.m. Program begins at 7:00 p.m.

[Sign-up](#) now.

Yes, you can make a difference and protect the planet and people you love. The Town of Wellesley is here to help with cost-saving resources and programs. Learn how you can:

- Weatherize your home
- Heat and cool with heat pumps
- Go solar
- Get around sustainably
- Refuse, reduce, reuse, recycle
- Landscape sustainably

In addition, this is your opportunity to:

- Provide input on Wellesley street safety. What improvements would make driving, biking, and walking safer for you?

In addition to discussing town, state, and federal initiatives to support climate action at home, town representatives will answer questions about financial incentives for decarbonizing buildings, vehicles, and lawn care; no-cost, one-on-one energy coaching; traveling around Wellesley without a car; resources for sustainable landscaping; and more.

The Town is engaging in the same climate actions it encourages for residents. The new Hardy and Hunnewell Elementary Schools are net-zero-ready; Wellesley’s recently renovated historic Town Hall is now all-electric; and an ongoing renovation will electrify the Warren Recreation

Building. The Town is increasingly choosing electric vehicles and electric landscaping equipment and is improving its materials management practices across Town properties.

Please register [here](#).

Speakers include:

- Chris Chan, Assistant Director, [Wellesley Municipal Light Plant](#)
- Jamie Manzolini, Superintendent, [Recycling and Disposal Facility](#)
- Marybeth Martello, [Sustainability Director](#)
- Sheila Page, [Mobility Manager](#)
- Brandon Schmitt, Director, [Natural Resources Commission](#)



Six Ways YOU can Save Money and the Climate!

PIZZA PARTY



LEARN ABOUT INCENTIVES, ENERGY COACHING, AND RESOURCES TO HELP YOU:

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+Pizza



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

AT THE WELLESLEY FREE LIBRARY - WAKELIN ROOM
530 WASHINGTON STREET, WELLESLEY, MA

6:30 PM THROUGH 8:30 PM

PIZZA AND SOCIALIZING

6:30-7:00 P.M.

PROGRAM

7:00-8:30 P.M.

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WELLESLEY CLIMATE ACTION



BE PART OF IT

About Climate Action in Wellesley

The [Town of Wellesley](#) adopted a [goal](#) to reduce townwide greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions to net-zero by 2050, in concert with the state of Massachusetts and the nation's carbon neutrality goals. The Town's [Climate Action Plan](#) (CAP) and [Sustainable Mobility Plan](#) (SMP) provide roadmaps for reaching this goal. The [Climate Action Committee](#) supports and leads CAP implementation across municipal, residential, commercial, and institutional sectors. The [Select Board Office](#) leads SMP implementation.



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