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Check your Clean Energy IQ & Enter to Win a Borough Bag of Goodies!*

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LOOKING FOR MORE INFO ON CLEAN ENERGY? HERE ARE HELPFUL LINKS!

Electric Vehicles

<https://pluginamerica.org>

<https://driveelectricweek.org>

Solar Energy

You've heard that solar energy is beneficial to the environment... but do you know why? Here are a few reasons!

- Reduces air pollution, water usage & dependence on non-renewable energy sources.
- Improves humanity's health, in the long run.
- Helps fight climate change.
- Oh, and it CAN save you money!

Need a local solar installer? Check out [Green House Solar](#), right here in Madison NJ!

<https://greenhouse.solar/>

[Learn more about solar energy here!](#)

Composting

Why compost? Why not?

Did you know that at least 30% of your home garbage is compostable? Food does not belong in the trash! Food rots in landfills, emitting greenhouse gases and noxious odors and impacting climate change. Who wants that?

Compost restores depleted nutrients to the soil, putting organic material back where it belongs- in the earth - and gives your food a second chance at life.

And then there is packaging! As more businesses turn to compostable take out &

delivery containers, they need a way to dispose of them properly. Using the latest technologies, companies can turn a broader range of organic materials into fertile soil using temperatures that can usually only be reached by commercial composting methods.

Learn more here:

<https://www.javascompost.com/>

<https://www.goodstartpackaging.com/commercial-composting/>

[Click here to TAKE OUR COMPOST SURVEY](#) and enter to win a FREE MEAL for 2!

Own a local business? Want to be more sustainable?

Compostable Commercial Packaging

Check out Good Start Packaging!

Good Start products are made from renewable plant-based materials like corn, wheat fiber and sugarcane, which break down into soil when composted at a commercial facility.

Good Start supports foodservice operators to build sustainable, successful businesses, offering one of the widest selections of compostable packaging products for the foodservice industry.

<https://www.goodstartpackaging.com/>

SAVE THE DREW FOREST PRESERVE!

For 150 years, the 53 acre Forest Preserve at Drew University has been a local treasure, and now it is in danger of being sold off for development. We are asking for you to join us, the *Friends of the Drew Forest*, to help permanently protect the entire Forest Preserve and the countless benefits it provides. Please sign this petition to show your support of Saving the Drew Forest Preserve!

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