

BundleUp.jpg

Someone wise once said, "'Tis the season to be freezin'." ❄️

Instead of running to turn up the thermostat the second a snowflake hits the ground, bundle up! Adding extra layers, cuddling with a loved one or pet, or drinking hot cocoa can help you #conserve energy & save money 🧑‍🦲

Gift Guide.jpg

No time like the PRESENT to make gift giving more eco-friendly! 📺

Adding a green touch to any gift can show thought & consideration, and that you are trying to make a difference in more than one way. 🌍 Consider gifts that help #reduce our waste stream!

<https://on.in.gov/p2tips>

ReuseMug.png

Nothing beats warming up with a hot cup of coffee or tea. ☕❤️

Unfortunately, single-use cups (along with lids, sleeves, & stir sticks) are often made with hard-to-recycle materials. Invest in a #reusable mug (or two) so you can be ready whenever the craving hits!

CarIdle.jpg

With modern fuel-injected engines, your car only needs 30 seconds of idling on cold winter days. Unnecessary idling not only wastes your fuel (& money!), but it has a significant impact on emissions and local air quality 😞

#CleanAir tips: <https://on.in.gov/cleanair>

Drafts.jpg

If cold air is creeping in, you could be wasting up to 30% of your home's energy. ❄️

Investing in insulated curtains, caulking leaks, adding insulation to your attic or crawlspace, & using a door draft snake are just a few ways to keep the cold out and the warm air inside. 🏠

Vehicle.jpg

A winterized vehicle reduces damage and is more efficient 🚗💨

Check your air filter and fluid levels, ensure your tires have proper inflation and tread, & inspect the condition of your windshield wipers before you go dashing through the snow! ❄️

Delce.jpg

Despite their usefulness in preventing slips, many de-icing products contribute to contamination of our environment.

❄️ Shovel snow away from paths

👉 Use less de-icing products

♥️ Choose eco-friendlier options, like fireplace ash or sugar beet juice

<https://on.in.gov/NPS>

Fireplace.jpg

Opting for firewood rather than turning on the thermostat can save energy for many homeowners. In order to maintain a healthy indoor & outdoor air quality, burn only clean, dry wood. 🔥 NEVER burn trash or any artificial material.

Learn before you burn: <https://on.in.gov/burnwise>
