



Indiana Department of Environmental Management

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# 2019 Indiana Governor's Awards for Environmental Excellence

*September 18, 2019*



2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Environmental  
Education/Outreach

**Grace College**  
**Lilly Center for Lakes & Streams**



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## Grace College Lilly Center for Lakes & Streams



**LILLY CENTER FOR  
LAKES  
& STREAMS**



## Grace College Lilly Center for Lakes & Streams

- Classroom Lake Experience
  - 5,205 student participants since 2015
- Lake Adventure Day
  - 2,626 student participants since 2015
- Aquatic Petting Zoo
  - 949 student participants since 2015
- Lakes & Streams Art Contest
  - 885 student participants since 2015





2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Energy Efficiency/Renewable  
Resources

**Cummins Virtual Purchase Power  
Agreement (VPPA) Team**



## Cummins Virtual Purchase Power Agreement (VPPA) Team







## Cummins VPPA Team

- Adding 75 megawatts to the Meadow Lake Wind Farm generating capacity
- The expansion of the wind farm produces the equivalent amount of energy that Cummins uses at its Indiana facilities and reduces air emissions and water consumption at the local power plant.





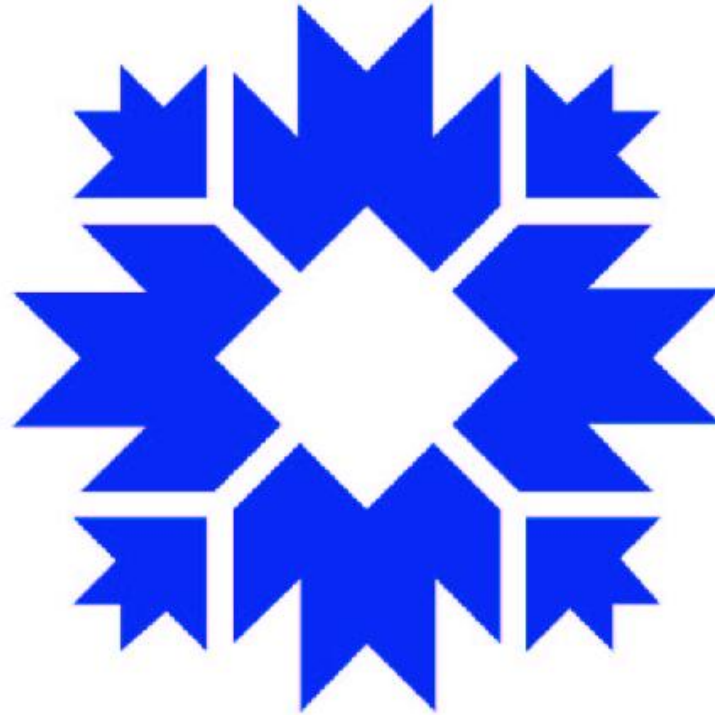
2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Greening the Government

**The City of Bloomington**





## The City of Bloomington Sustainability Planning & Implementation



**CITY OF BLOOMINGTON**  
Economic and  
Sustainable Development



## City of Bloomington

# Sustainability Planning & Implementation

- Solarize Bloomington
  - Over 1.9 megawatts of solar capacity
- Hoosier Community Sale
  - Diverting an estimated 80 tons of material
- Composting Programs
  - Diverting over 500 pounds of food waste
- City Hall Recycling
- Sustainability Action Plan
- LEED certification





2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Land Use/Conservation

**Jennings County Pollinator Committee**





# Share Some Space

## Jennings County Pollinator Committee





## Share Some Space Jennings County Pollinator Committee

- 800 total habitats throughout the county
- 328 backyard habitats
- 2,500 acres of new pollinator habitat created
- 7,700 new native flowering plants







2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Pollution Prevention

**Helmer Scientific – Noblesville**





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## **Gen 4 Project Helmer Scientific**





## Gen 4 Project Helmer Scientific

- Refrigerant charge reduction of 3,882 lbs/year
- CO2 equivalent reduction of 5,420 tons/year
- Energy use reduction 31,439 kWh/day
- HFC elimination 5,300 lbs/year
- Raw material reduction 71 tons/year





2019 Indiana Governor's Awards  
for Environmental Excellence in  
Recycle/Reuse

**The City of Greendale**



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## **City of Greendale Curbside Recycling Program**



# City of Greendale

Indiana



## City of Greendale Curbside Recycling

- Launched April 2, 2018
- Increased recycling rate by 10 percent
- Diverted 374.77 tons of material from landfill
- Saved \$5,775.21 over last year on tipping fees



### City of Greendale Curbside Recycling

#### Your Weekly Collection Day

##### Thursday

North of Greendale  
Cemetery

##### Friday

South of Greendale  
Cemetery, Valley Woods,  
Oberting Rd. & SR 1

No collection on holidays.

Questions? 812-537-2125

## RECYCLE THESE:

Put all recyclables together. Loose materials only. All items must fit in cart. No bags.



#### Metal Cans



#### Plastic Bottles & Jugs

#### Cartons



#### Paper & Cardboard

#### Glass Bottles & Jars





Congratulations to all of the 2019  
Governor's Award for  
Environmental Excellence  
Winners!