

Home Energy Workshops / Ace Hardware

Make your home and yard more energy efficient! Stop by the **North Dodge Ace Hardware** parking lot on **Saturday, April 20, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM** to hear **free** presentations about simple DIY projects, landscaping to cut energy, and historic preservation.

**Save money and the planet!
Have a donut and coffee with neighbors!**

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| 9:00 – 9:30 | A whole lot of money going around – Learn how you can get thousands of dollars in tax credits and rebates for home energy improvements. We'll give you a step-by-step way to prioritize upgrade needs and develop a long-range plan for your home. <i>Cheryl Miller, JCED</i> |
| 9:30 – 10:00 | The 3 most important fixes to save energy – Plugging and insulating key parts of your home's structure, including band joists, are crucial in preventing heat/energy loss. We'll give you a hands-on course for correcting problems in your house. <i>JCED energy coaches Craig and Eric Streed</i> |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | What you need in your tool kit. Join a tour around Ace Hardware to learn about specific energy-related products and tools, and answer questions about your needs. <i>Ace staff and JCED energy coaches</i> |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Historic preservation — Get your questions answered about exterior upgrades covered by historic preservation rules (windows, solar panels, etc.) and learn about subsidies to help pay for them. <i>Mike Haverkamp, Friends of Historic Preservation</i> |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Trees, energy use, and climate change – Trees and other plantings can reduce energy consumption and help us adapt to a changing climate. Learn about a bottoms-up approach to regenerating your home turf and neighborhood. <i>John Thomas, Northsider and retired landscape architect</i> |