



SUSTAINABLE KENOSHA COUNTY



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CELEBRATE CULTURAL SUSTAINABILITY IN APRIL

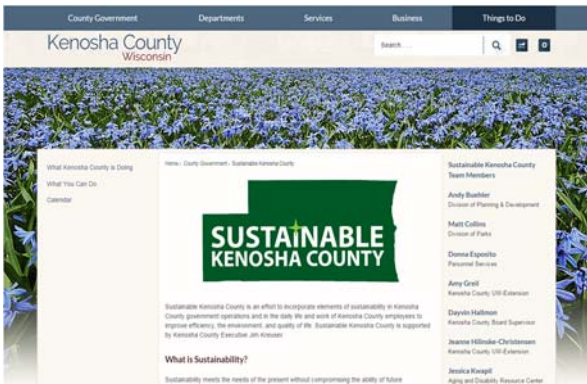
Cultural sustainability examines ways to enhance our cultural identity and sense of place through heritage, shared spaces, public art, social capital, educational opportunities, and public policies in ways that promote environmental, economic, and social sustainability.

Cultural heritage connects people to a place through an identity and values, and the continuance of that heritage is what cultural sustainability is about. When preserving cultural capital for contemporary and future use, communities are protecting their

cultural identities, both tangible and intangible.

Celebrate Kenosha’s cultural heritage at the **May 1st** Humana Go365 walk at the Kenosha County Administration Building! The 3k walk will follow the route of the Central Downtown Historical Walking Tour. Join Sustainable Kenosha County volunteers and learn about Downtown Kenosha’s iconic historic sites!

SUSTAINABLE KENOSHA COUNTY WEBSITE UNVEILED!



Sustainable Kenosha County is pleased to announce the unveiling of our new website. Please take a few minutes to visit the site. The page is designed to be a place where Kenosha County employees and citizens can easily find, use, learn and explore opportunities related to sustainability. Search the “notify me” feature to get alerts related to the team.

<http://www.co.kenosha.wi.us/1785/Sustainable-Kenosha-County>

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING EVENT ON MAY 6, 2017 AT KCC 8AM-1PM

The Kenosha County Household Hazardous Waste Program is a FREE program and a great opportunity for Kenosha residents to dispose of their household hazardous waste in an environmentally friendly way. As in 2016, e-waste (electronic waste) and refrigerant waste (items containing freon) will also be accepted again this year. For the official press release, flyer and informational brochure, go to <http://www.kenoshacounty.org/civicalerts.aspx?aid=636>.



EARTH DAY IS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 22ND

Earth Day is an annual event celebrated on April 22. Worldwide, various events are held to demonstrate support for environmental protection. According to the [Earth Day Network](http://www.earthdaynetwork.org), this year’s campaign is Environmental and Climate Literacy.



Celebrate Earth Day in Kenosha County. Gateway Technical College will be hosting a free community celebration of our planet at its Kenosha Campus! Go to gtc.edu/celebrate-earth-day for more info!

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- **5/1** Go365 3K Walk at KCAB, 5pm - Route follows Historical Walking Tour
- **5/15** Go365 3K Walk at KCC, 5pm
- **6/5** Go365 3K Walk at KCAB, 5pm
- **6/10** “Courerus de Bois Run/Walk at Petrifying Springs*"
- **6/10-6/11** “Revolutionary War Reenactment”*
- **6/14** “Running Free Series” at Bristol Woods*"
- **6/16** Movie Night at Petrifying Springs*"
- **6/17** “Dairy Air Bike Ride”*
- **6/19** Go365 3K Walk at KCC, 5pm - Learn about Foodscaping at the Demonstration Garden

*For County Park details, go to: parks.kenoshacounty.org

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