	2023 Land Use Department Environmental Events
JANUARY	- Green Guide updating
FEBRUARY	<ul> <li>Invitations for May Wind Farm Tours</li> <li>To 5<sup>th</sup> grade teachers and Library Groups</li> <li>Trashformation Applications sent to the Libraries K-High School</li> </ul>
MARCH	<ul> <li>Transformation Sculptures from libraries for March 22 judging Land Use Committee 4:30 PM</li> <li>March 25<sup>th</sup> Saturday WWF Earth Hour 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM - Lights out</li> <li>Compost Sale Begins - Half Off</li> </ul>
APRIL	<ul> <li>April 11 County Board awards for first place trashformation sculptures</li> <li>Recycling gifts to libraries for Earth Day Week of 04/17/2022</li> <li>EWASTE and Shredding Event Saturday April 15<sup>th</sup> 8-Noon; TV charged - Parking Lot north Animal Control (AC); Shredding 2 box limit</li> <li>UpCycle presentation and compost sale; Rain barrels for painting contest with Grundy libraries begins. Due on May 19.</li> <li>Paint Event Recycling Season Begins</li> </ul>
MAY	<ul> <li>Perennial Flower Seeds Give Away for Moms for Mother's Day - May 1 at Libraries and Administration Building</li> <li>Composters – Half Off Sale - \$25.00 each</li> <li>EDP Renewables Wind Farm Tour 5-8<sup>th</sup> Grade for Libraries</li> <li>Rain Barrel Competition Art judged by the Land Use Committee 5/24/2023</li> </ul>
IUNE	<ul> <li>Used Book Drive for Bernie's Book Bank 6/12 through 7/14</li> <li>Rain Barrel Awards June 13<sup>th</sup> with the County Board</li> </ul>
IULY	- Tire Collection July 13-15 <sup>th</sup> at Olson's Recycling in Seneca
SEPTEMBER	<ul> <li>EWASTE and Shredding Event September 16th 8-Noon; TVs charged; parking lot north AC</li> </ul>
OCTOBER	<ul> <li>Reusable Halloween bags distributed to Grundy County preschools</li> <li>Paint Recycling Ends</li> </ul>
NOVEMBER	<ul> <li>Gently Used Toy Drive begins November 17th through December 8th</li> <li>America Recycles Day November 15<sup>th</sup> – promoted with media announcement of promo gifts at Administration Building for residents</li> </ul>
DECEMBER	<ul> <li>Holiday light recycling to begin ending in January 2024 – A-Team</li> <li>Toy Collection ends December 8<sup>th</sup></li> </ul>