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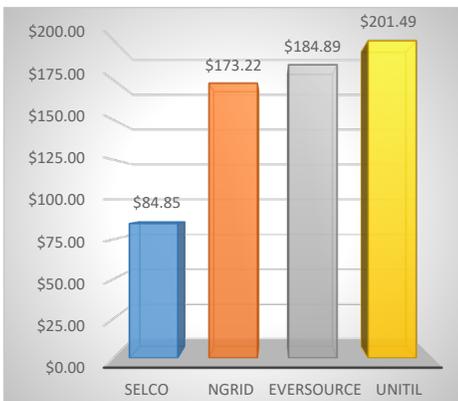
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Shrewsbury Farmers Market

Check out the new Farmers' Market location in the Senior Center at 98 Maple Ave. every Wednesday starting June 13th from 2:30 to 6:30 pm. The season's tastiest fruits and vegetables come from the Shrewsbury Farmers Market. There's always lots of fresh local produce to choose from, as well as special jams, honey, baked goods, dairy products and more!



SELCO will be at the Farmers Market June 20, July 11, August 15 and September 12. Please visit our booth each time as SELCO will have a different theme each visit.

For more information, visit the Shrewsbury Farmers Market website at www.shrewsburyfarmersmarket.com.

Earth Day Celebration a Success

SELCO's annual Earth Day celebration was a huge success! Thank you to the Shrewsbury Public Library and their staff for partnering with us for our 2018 special events.

We gave 300 trees to local residents, bringing our total trees given away since 2005 to more than 5,000.

The "Little Gardeners" program was tons of fun! Kids in K - 4 did a great job planting their mini succulent gardens!

Special thanks to Massachusetts Audubon Society's Martha Gach for highlighting New England pollinators and how to support them at home. Martha talked about pollinator life cycles, and best practices to nurture the pollinators that give us food and flowers. SELCO gave away butterfly bushes, bee houses and flower seeds at this great event!



Rick Maksian of SELCO handing out trees at the Shrewsbury Public Library





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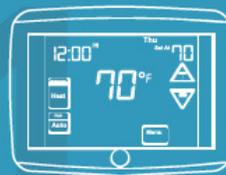
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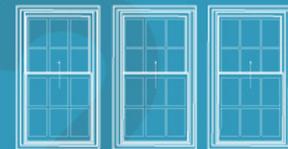


SAVING ENERGY *Saves Money*

Looking for ways to save energy and money at home? Check out the 8 things all homeowners should do to cost effectively lower their energy bills.



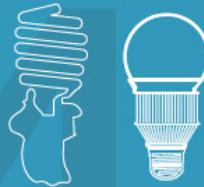
Install and set a programmable thermostat. Save an estimated 10 percent per year on heating and cooling costs by using a programmable thermostat.



Use sunlight to your advantage. Choose window treatments that allow you to use natural light while reducing heat loss and gain.



Switch to ENERGY STAR appliances, fans and electronics. Using ENERGY STAR certified products throughout your home could save nearly \$750 over the lifetime of the products.



Choose energy-saving lighting. Replacing 5 of your home's most frequently used lights with energy-efficient ENERGY STAR bulbs could save you \$75 a year in energy costs.



Use an electronic power strip for your electronic equipment. Help reduce phantom loads -- and save up to \$100 a year -- by plugging electronic devices into a power strip and turn it off when not in use.



Reduce energy for water heating. Take simple steps -- like lowering your water heater's temperature and installing low-flow showerheads -- to reduce your water heating bills.



Hire a professional to maintain your heating and cooling system. Check and replace your air filters regularly and arrange for annual maintenance with a qualified technician.



Consult a home performance contractor to achieve large savings. These professionals will do a comprehensive audit of your whole house using special tools to measure home energy efficiency.