

# Greater Milan Sustainable Energy Utility

The Greater Milan Initiative and the Sustainable Energy Utility invite you to a series of free workshops that will show you how to stay warm AND save money on utility bills. Using low or no cost energy conservation practices you will learn how to lower your monthly heating bill. These two-hour workshops will take place July, August, September, and October from 6:30 – 8:30 pm at the Milan Community Center.

Topics will include:

**July 21: Energy Basics,** What is energy? Why should we care about energy? Household energy use. How to reduce our energy use. Lighting activity. Household lighting inventory. Home energy log.

**August 25: Weatherization/Home Heating and Cooling,** What is weatherization? Home energy audit. Energy conservation in winter and summer. Quick and easy do it yourself home energy audit.

**September 22: Slash Electricity Bills,** Inefficient lighting. Phantom Load. Energy Hogs.

**October 13: Big Appliances, Small Changes, Big Savers,** Refrigerator, hot water heater, washer & dryer, automobile, setting priorities, my energy priorities, learn more!

**If you implement what you learn you are guaranteed to reduce your energy bill!**

- These workshops are no charge to participants.
- You are required to attend all 4 workshops and be willing to share your energy bills for the past 2 years to evaluate your energy savings after taking the class.
- We ask you to complete a survey and to share your experiences with others.
- After completing each class you will receive an energy saving reward or incentive.

Contact Michele Skogrand at 320-734-4128 or email Michele at the [milanschoolproject@fedtel.net](mailto:milanschoolproject@fedtel.net) to learn more. The SEU Office is located on the second floor of the Milan School Building. Office Hours are Monday and Wednesday from 1-4 pm and Fridays, 9-12 am. This is a program of the Greater Milan Initiative, funded by the Clean Energy Resource Team.



