

A series of lectures on the topic of energy at Herrick District Library

Thursday, April 2 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Thursday, April 23 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Tuesday, April 28 7:00 pm

Holland's New Energy Park

Dan Nally, Director of Business Services for the Holland Board of Public Works, will share information on the new natural gas energy park currently under construction. Nally was recently named the Sustainability Newsmaker of the Year by *Grand Rapids Business Journal*. This is a brown bag lunch session (bring your own lunch or purchase one from the library café).

Renewable Energy 101: Policy and thinking about energy differently Kim Walton is the Program Director at the Michigan Alternative & Renewable Energy Center (MAREC) part of Grand Valley State University. Kim develops workshops, courses and other events at MAREC, and consults with nonprofits on renewable energy issues and technologies. Kim has a Bachelors degree in Appropriate (Renewable) Technology from Appalachian State University in Boone North Carolina and a Masters in Environmental Analysis along with an MPA from Western Michigan University.

Energy Efficiency & the Triple Bottom Line: How do we get there?

George Crabtree is Director, Joint Center for Energy Storage Research (JCESR), Senior Scientist and Distinguished Fellow in the Materials Science Division at Argonne National Laboratory, and Distinguished Professor of Physics, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering at University of Illinois at Chicago. He has won numerous awards for his research and has led workshops for the Department of Energy on hydrogen, solar energy, superconductivity, materials under extreme environments, and basic science for energy technology. He co-chaired the Undersecretary of Energy's assessment of DOE's Applied Energy Programs. He has testified before the U.S. Congress on the hydrogen economy and on meeting sustainable energy challenges.

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