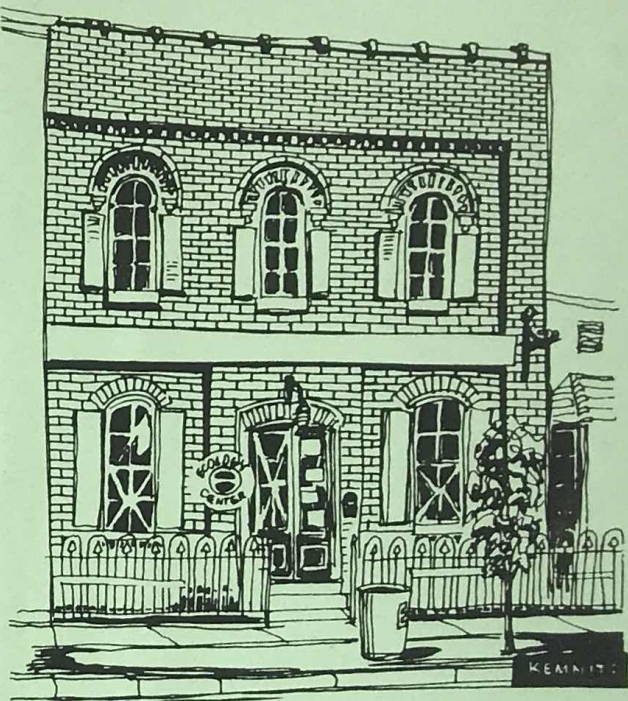


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AT YOUR LOCAL  
ECOLOGY CENTER



THE  
ECOLOGY CENTER  
OF  
ANN ARBOR

1970-1990

TWENTY YEARS OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION



# Ecology Center

417 Detroit Street • Ann Arbor, MI 48104

## MEMBERSHIP RESPONSE FORM

Yes! I want to support the  
Ecology Center of Ann Arbor.

This is at:

- new membership  
 renewal membership  
 donation only

- Sponsor \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contributor \$100  
 Sustaining \$50  
 Regular \$25  
 Supporting \$15  
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I am enclosing an additional  
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*Your contribution is tax-deductible to the extent allowable by law.*  
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## CENTER BACKGROUND

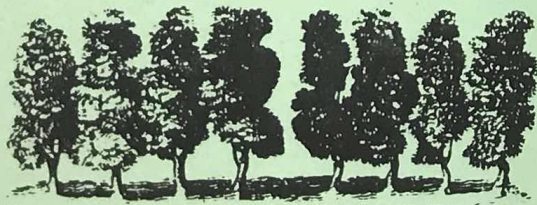
This year marks the 20th anniversary of Earth Day and the **Ecology Center**. One of the most significant outgrowths of the first Earth Day in 1970 was the founding of more than twenty ecology centers across the country. Now, twenty years later, we are one of only five remaining ecology centers, which demonstrates the commitment and interest of area residents!

Many residents understand the basic need for a healthy place in which to live, and comprehend the difference between the latest fashion and long-term survival.

Thanks to the support of our members, the Ecology Center has been able to continue its task of protecting and improving our local environment.

The Center is a non-profit organization. It runs on a tight budget with help from many volunteers. Some money is made on programs and promotional events you may have seen, for example Recycle Ann Arbor and our annual Bike-a-Thon. But these alone are not enough.

We need your help to continue addressing and solving important environmental questions in our community.



## COMMUNITY BENEFITS

- **Environmental information and referrals:** assistance by phone is available Mon-Fri 9:30-5:00, Sat 9:30-1:00, at 761-3186. A public library of over 2,000 books, journals, files and curricula is open Mon-Fri 1:00-5:00 & Sat 9:30-1:00, at 417 Detroit St.

- **Educational activities and programs** on local environmental issues are available for students, teachers and community members. The **Groundwater Education** program brings hands-on, environmental education programs to the youth of Southeast Michigan. Presentations on recycling are also available.

- **Toxics Reduction Project:** a statewide project to empower citizens in their efforts to reduce toxics pollution and prevent chemical accidents in their communities.

- **Recycle Ann Arbor:** monthly curbside pickups of recyclables in all Ann Arbor neighborhoods. The **Recycling Drop-Off Station**, 2050 S. Industrial, Ann Arbor, is open Friday and Saturday from 9:30-4:30.

**Commercial recycling pickups** are available for local businesses and institutions. For further information call Recycle Ann Arbor at 971-9676.

- **Energy Works:** this program offers energy conservation education, including workshops, presentations, building assessments and weatherization visits. These services are available for residences, nonprofit facilities, municipalities, community groups and foundations.

- **Environmental policy and advocacy programs:** these programs promote community involvement and research in areas of air and water quality, pesticides, hazardous waste, land use and solid waste.

- **Volunteer opportunities** in all organizational and program areas for all ages and interests. Becoming a Block Coordinator, joining the Pesticide Task Force, or becoming involved with the Solid Waste Environmental Action Team (SWEAT) are three of the many opportunities for volunteers.



## MEMBER BENEFITS

- A one year subscription to *Ecology Reports* (10 issues).
- Discounts on Ecology Center publications, cards, merchandise.
- **Environmental Alerts** on critical local issues.
- Voting rights to elect board members.
- Plus, the knowledge that your support is helping improve the environment in which you and your family live.