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Westland Recycling Center Completes Upgrades



Westland, MI (October 12, 2021) – The City of Westland will host a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to commemorate upgrades done to the **Westland Recycling Center**.

In October 2020 The City received \$50,000 grant from The Environmental Great Lakes & Energy (EGLE) to improve the Recycling Center site. In turn, The City used the funds for several upgrades to include site grading & resurfacing, making this easier for residents to drop off their materials to the Westland Recycling Center.

The City installed new pavement, lighting and signage for the center as well as adding trees and additional landscaping.

The Westland Recycling Center features a solar powered compactor for single stream recycling and provides a one stop option for residents in condominiums and apartments who do not have access to the city's curbside recycling program. Additionally, it provides an option for all residents to drop off items that are not currently accepted at the curb, including glass, batteries, scrap metals and automotive fluids.

The Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will be on Friday, October 15, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the Westland Recycling Center located at 37137 Marquette Westland, MI 48185.

For more information, please call (734) 467-3200.

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Westland, Michigan is the state's 10th largest municipality, with a population of over 84,000.

Westland has been recognized as one of 24/7 Wall Street's America's Best 50 Cities to Live, offering residents and visitors an ideal blend of single – family affordable homes, apartments and condominiums, great schools, and access to numerous outdoor activities. Public safety is delivered by full-service, professional law enforcement and firefighting personnel.

Westland is well known as a premier destination for shopping and dining in Wayne County with hundreds of shops and restaurants anchored by the Westland shopping Center, one of the country's original four regional malls.

The City is served by two public school districts. Wayne-Westland Community Schools serving 12,000 youth was recently named one of the best schools in Michigan by WXYZ-TV and is the proud recipient of 14 Golden Apple and two Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School Awards. Livonia Public Schools, educating nearly 15,000 students, is proud of their MEAP/MME scores that exceed State averages and the district has also earned Golden Apple and Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School awards.

The City provides competitive incentives for those who are interested in investing in Westland, making it one of the hottest investment markets in the region. Westland's Fast-Track to Business Team, which consists of key decision makers who work diligently to “cut the red tape” and expedite the approval process for new business development.