

# 8 Ideas to Protect Our Planet

Here's a list of actions that every one of us can take on Earth Day – and every day – to invest in a more sustainable planet.

# PROMOTE POLLINATORS

Support bees and other pollinators by planting a pollinator garden or limiting pesticide use.



# BE INFORMED

Get educated about the science behind **climate change** and share your knowledge.



# RECYCLE RIGHT

Learn what can and can't be recycled locally. Make sure recyclable materials are clean of food waste, empty and dry.



# MOVE SMARTER

Consider biking, rideshares or public transportation when possible. Combine errands to make fewer trips.



# CONSERVE ENERGY AT HOME

Use a programmable thermostat and reset it when you are asleep or away from home.



#### EAT SUSTAINABLY

Buy **locally grown food**, use what you buy and try more meat-free days.



# PLANT TREES

**Trees** act as carbon sinks and provide shade, helping to keep our homes, yards and streets cooler.



#### **VOLUNTEER**

Get involved in **cleanups** in your community.

